What They Do:
- Specialize in providing optimum nutritional care through foodservice management in hospitals, long-term care, schools, correctional facilities, and other non-commercial foodservice settings.

What Barton Offers:
- Certificate (16 credit hours) and Associate in Science Studies in foodservice management, nutrition therapy, and human resource management.
- 120 hours of classroom studies and 150 hours of field experience. The preceptor will serve along with the instructor to provide the field experience training.
- Preparation training and education to take national certification exam.
- Students must be endorsed by a healthcare facility and a Registered Dietitian to qualify for the program. Field experience is not offered online.

Why Choose Barton’s Dietary Manager Program:
- Flexibility:
  - Lecture courses are 100% online.
  - Field experience in current work facility.
- Support that includes an online orientation.
- Articulation with Kansas State University’s Bachelor of Science in Dietetics. Articulation provides students with a seamless transition from earning their Dietary Manager certification, to an Associate in Science Degree to immediately begin working towards a Bachelor of Science degree in dietetics. This flexibility allows students to achieve their educational goals while working in the field.

Occupational Outlook and Earnings:
- Food service manager jobs are expected to grow 5% through 2018.
- Job opportunities should be good, because in addition to job growth, many more openings will arise from the need to replace managers who leave the occupation.
- Median annual earnings of salaried Certified Dietary Manager was $47,960 in October 2012.
- Employment of dietitians and nutritionists is expected to increase 21% during the 2008-2018 projection decade.
- Job growth will result from an increasing emphasis on disease prevention through improved dietary habits.
- Median annual earnings of dietitians and nutritionists was $55,240 in 2012.

Source: 2012 Occupational Outlook Handbook and 2010 ANFP Salary and Benefit Survey

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