

Mandatory Professional Licensure Disclosure - Registered Dietitian Nutritionist

New York State prides itself in the high quality of its licensed and certified professionals. For the protection of its citizens, each license and certificate has requirements that individuals must meet in order to be licensed or certified in New York State. SUNY's academic programs leading to licensure or certification are carefully designed to meet and exceed these State requirements. This is a role SUNY plays in protecting the public. Other states frequently have their own requirements, so if your goal is to practice in another state, this disclosure will help you check to see what that state requires.

Per U.S. Federal Regulations, §668.43 (2019 Rule), and in compliance with the State Authorization Reciprocity Agreements (SARA) Manual version 19.2, Buffalo State provides the following disclosure related to the educational requirements for professional licensure and certification.¹

This Disclosure is strictly limited to Buffalo State's determination of whether its educational program, Master of Science in Dietetics, if successfully completed, would be sufficient to meet the educational licensure or certification requirements for Registered Dietitian Nutritionist in another state.² Buffalo State cannot provide verification of an individual's ability to meet licensure or certification requirements unrelated to its educational programming. Such individual determinations are made by state licensing boards and are fact-specific determinations.

This disclosure does **not** provide any guarantee that any particular state licensure or certification entity will approve or deny your application. Furthermore, this disclosure does **not** account for changes in state law or regulation that may affect your application for licensure and occur after this disclosure has been made. **Enrolled students and prospective students are strongly encouraged to contact their State's licensure entity using the links provided to review all licensure and certification requirements imposed by their state(s) of choice.**

Buffalo State has designed an educational program curriculum for a Master of Science in Dietetics that, if successfully completed, **is sufficient to meet** the licensure and certification requirements for Registered Dietitian Nutritionist in the following state:

STATE	Dietetics – Licensure/Certification Office
New York	https://www.op.nysed.gov/dietetics-nutrition

¹ The terms related to Dietetics, including licensure and certification, among others, vary by state and your state may use different terms.

² This determination is based on the educational and curricular requirements of each state for licensure (i.e., excluding any special, temporary licensure that may be granted) and does not imply that other requirements for licensure do not exist or have been determined to have been met by this program or that any necessary approvals for clinical placements have been secured at the time of enrollment.

Buffalo State has designed an educational program curriculum for a Master of Science in Dietetics and currently has made **no determination** that the curriculum is **insufficient to meet** the licensure and certification requirements for Registered Dietitian Nutritionist in any of the 50 states and territories.

After making all reasonable efforts, Buffalo State cannot determine whether its educational program curriculum for Master of Science in Dietetics, if successfully completed, is sufficient to meet the licensure and certification requirements for a Registered Dietitian Nutritionist in the following states³:

STATE	Dietetics – Licensure/Certification Office
Alabama	https://www.boed.alabama.gov/
Alaska	https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/professionallicensing/dietitiansnutritionists.aspx
Arizona	No licensure required
Arkansas	https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/arkansas-dietetics-licensing-board1
California	https://codes.findlaw.com/ca/business-and-professions-code/bpc-sect-2585.html
Colorado	https://codes.findlaw.com/co/title-6-consumer-and-commercial-affairs/co-rev-st-sect-6-1-707.html
Connecticut	https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/Dietitian/DietitianNutritionist-Certification
Delaware	https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/dietitians/
District of Columbia	https://dchealth.dc.gov/node/146182
Florida	https://www.floridahealth.gov/%5C/licensing-and-regulation/dietetic-nutrition/index.html
Georgia	https://sos.ga.gov/georgia-board-examiners-licensed-dietitians
Hawaii	https://health.hawaii.gov/ohca/state-licensing-section/
Idaho	https://elitepublic.bom.idaho.gov/IBOMPortal/BoardPage.aspx?Board=DIE
Illinois	https://idfpr.illinois.gov/profs/dietnutrition.html
Indiana	https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/dietitians-home/
Iowa	https://dial.iowa.gov/licenses/medical/dietetic
Kansas	https://kdads.ks.gov/kdads-commissions/survey-certification-and-credentialing-commission/health-occupations-credentialing
Kentucky	https://bdn.ky.gov/
Louisiana	https://www.lbedn.org/
Maine	https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/board-licensing-dietetic-practice
Maryland	https://health.maryland.gov/dietetic/Pages/index.aspx
Massachusetts	https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-registration-of-dietitians-and-nutritionists
Michigan	https://eatrightmich.org/licensure-for-michigan/
Minnesota	https://mn.gov/boards/dietetics-and-nutrition/
Mississippi	https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,82.html
Missouri	https://www.pr.mo.gov/dietitians.asp

³ This does not mean the educational program will not ultimately be approved by the state entity.

Montana	https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/medical-examiners/#1
Nebraska	https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Medical-Nutrition-Therapist.aspx
New Hampshire	https://www.oplc.nh.gov/board-licensed-dietitians
New Jersey	https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/
New Mexico	https://www.rld.nm.gov/boards-and-commissions/individual-boards-and-commissions/nutrition-and-dietetics/
Nevada	https://dph.nv.gov/Reg/Dietitian/Dietitian - Home/
North Carolina	https://www.ncbdn.org/
North Dakota	https://ndbodp.com/
Ohio	https://med.ohio.gov/Renew/Dietitian-LD
Oklahoma	https://www.okmedicalboard.org/dietitians
Oregon	https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/HLO/Pages/index.aspx
Pennsylvania	https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/Licensed-Dietitian-Nutritionist-Licensure-Requirements-Snapshot.aspx
Rhode Island	https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=222
South Carolina	https://llr.sc.gov/diet/licensure.aspx
South Dakota	https://www.sdbmoe.gov/professions-licensed-nutritionist-dietician-ln/
Texas	https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/diet/diet.htm
Tennessee	https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/dn-board.html
Utah	https://dopl.utah.gov/diet/
Vermont	https://sos.vermont.gov/dietitians/
Virginia	https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/BHP/
Washington	https://doh.wa.gov/licenses-permits-and-certificates/professions-new-renew-or-update/dietitian-and-nutritionist
West Virginia	https://www.wvbold.com/
Wisconsin	https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/Dietitian/Default.aspx
Wyoming	https://dietetics.wyo.gov/