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DIETETIC TECHNICIAN-NUTRITION CARE A.A.S

<https://www.morrisville.edu/program/dietetic-technician-nutrition-care-aas>



ACEND ACCREDITED DIETETIC PROGRAM

- ▶ SUNY Morrisville's Dietetic Technician Program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition & Dietetics of the Academy of Nutrition & Dietetics,
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<https://www.eatrightpro.org/acend>

**Accreditation Council
for Education in
Nutrition and Dietetics**

the accrediting agency for the
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and Dietetics

REGISTRATION

COMMISSION ON DIETETIC REGISTRATION (CDR)

Eligibility requires:

- each student to complete the educational, experiential and examination requirements set forth by the CDR.
- each DTR must maintain their registration through completing continuing professional education as required (50 credits in 5 years)
- each state has its own requirements for licensure and/or certification of RDs and DTRs

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

“NDTRs work under the supervision of a registered dietitian nutritionists (RDNs) when in direct patient/client nutrition care in practice areas as:

- ▶ **Hospitals**
- ▶ **Clinics**
- ▶ **Nursing homes**
- ▶ **Retirement centers**
- ▶ **Hospices**
- ▶ **Home health-care programs**
- ▶ **Research facilities**

NDTRs conduct patient/client screens, gathering data and performing assigned tasks to assist RDNs in providing medical nutrition therapy.”

Source: <https://www.eatrightpro.org/about-us/what-is-an-rdn-and-dtr/what-is-a-nutrition-and-dietetics-technician-registered>

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES (CONT.)

“NDTRs may work independently in providing general nutrition education to healthy populations in a variety of settings:

1. managing employees, purchasing and food preparation and maintaining budgets within foodservice operations.

- ▶ **Schools**
- ▶ **Day-care centers**
- ▶ **Correctional facilities**
- ▶ **Restaurants**
- ▶ **Health-care facilities**
- ▶ **Corporations and hospitals”**

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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES (CONT.)

“2. assisting registered dietitians with the implementation of programs and presentation of classes for the public.

- ▶ **(WIC) programs**
- ▶ **Cornell Cooperative Extension**
- ▶ **Public health agencies**
- ▶ **Meals on Wheels**
- ▶ **Community health programs**
- ▶ **Health clubs,**
- ▶ **Weight management clinics**
- ▶ **Community wellness centers**

3. helping to educate clients about the connection between food, fitness and health.

- ▶ **Food companies**
- ▶ **Contract food management companies or food vending and distributing operations** developing menus, conducting nutrient analysis and data collection, and overseeing foodservice sanitation and food safety.”
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FACULTY

Joan A. Nicholson, MA, CAS, RD, CDN, FAND, CHES
Associate Professor/Program Director/Dept. Chair

Education

Syracuse University
CAS (Education Certificate of Advanced Study Degree)
Exercise Science

Syracuse University
AP-4 Dietetic Practicum for dietetic registration

Syracuse University
M.A. Nutrition Science

Syracuse University
B.A. Zoology/ Education

Faculty

Bonnie St. Hilaire, MA, RD, CDN

Associate Professor

Education

SUNY Empire State College, MA

Business & Policy Studies

Rochester Institute of Technology, BS

CP Program for dietetic registration

Nutrition Management

TYPICAL SCHEDULE

First Semester

- ▶ FSAD 101 Quantity Food Preparation and Service
- ▶ FSAD 102 Applied Food Service Sanitation
- ▶ NUTR 110 Nutrition I
- ▶ NUTR 115 Health Field
- ▶ GNED 100 as advised
- ▶ BIOL 150/150 L Human Anatomy & Physiology I
- ▶ Mathematics as advised

Second Semester

- ▶ NUTR 160 Diet Therapy
- ▶ BSAD 116 Business Organization & Management
- ▶ NUTR 170 Supervised Field Experience I
- ▶ NUTR 219 Orientation to Summer Field Experience
- ▶ PSYC 101 Introduction to Psychology
- ▶ BIOL 151/151L Human Anatomy & Physiology II
- ▶ Mathematics as advised

Summer between semesters: Summer Field Experience

Third Semester

- ▶ NUTR 220 Summer Supervised Field Experience
- ▶ NUTR 210 Life Cycle Nutrition
- ▶ NUTR 225 Educational Methods for the Food and Health Care Fields
- ▶ NUTR 230 Supervised Field Experience II
- ▶ FSAD 255 Food Purchasing and Cost Control
- ▶ COMP 101 Composition & Research

Fourth Semester

- ▶ NUTR 260 Meal Management: Spa Cuisine
- ▶ FSAD 257 Senior Seminar
- ▶ NUTR 270 Supervised Field Experience III
- ▶ COMP 102 Writing about Literature
- ▶ SOCI 101 Introduction to Sociology
- ▶ Math 123 or 141 Statistics

CAMPUS FACILITIES

Dietetic Demonstration Kitchen



Copper Turret



OFF-CAMPUS FIELD SITES

- ▶ Morrisville Child Care Center
- ▶ Chenango County WIC/Chenango County Cooperative Extension
- ▶ Nelson Farms
- ▶ SUNY Morrisville Campus Community Dining Services
- ▶ Mohawk Region Dietetic Association continuing education opportunities
- ▶ Madison County Office of the Aging
- ▶ Madison County CAP
- ▶ Chittenango Central School Food Service Program (Bridgeport Elementary)
- ▶ Morrisville Eaton Central Schools Food Service
- ▶ Clearpath for Veterans
- ▶ Onondaga Nation Health Service
- ▶ Friendship Inn, Morrisville, Hamilton, and Cazenovia
- ▶ Morrisville State College Wellness Center
- ▶ CNY Food Bank
- ▶ Onondaga County Office of Aging
- ▶ Rocky Top Acres Farm
- ▶ Sitrin Health Care
- ▶ Oneida Health Care Center
- ▶ Loretto

**DIETETICS STUDENTS
APPLY LEARNING IN THE
CLASSROOM TO REAL
WORLD EXPERIENCES**

RENAL VIDEO PROJECT

Preparing Patient Education Materials

Integrated Disciplines



Dietetics and CIT collaborate



RENAL VIDEO PROJECT



HARTWOOD FARM HARVESTING POTATOES Where Does Our Food Come From?



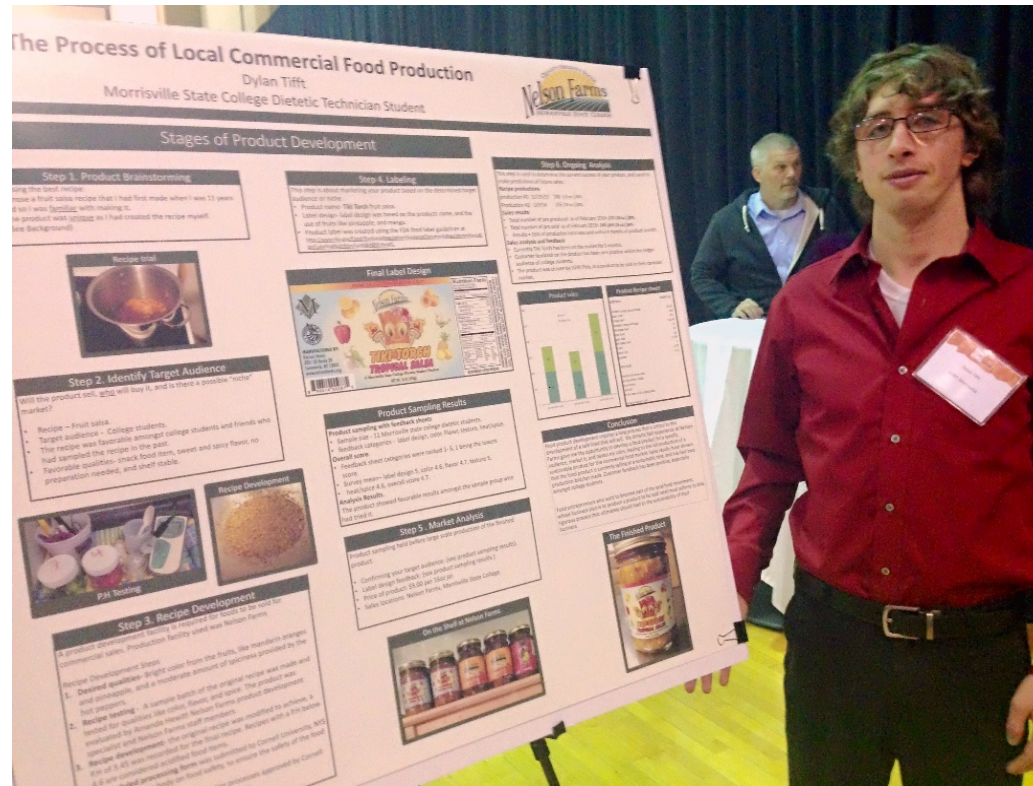
Meal Management

Thanking our Preceptors and Welcoming New Admits to the Program



RESEARCH

- *SUNY Research Conference at SUNY Cobleskill 4/15/16*



Hosting Regional Dietetic Conferences On Campus

Rural Nutrition: Challenges & Strategies!!



ATTENDING NATIONAL AND REGIONAL CONFERENCES



OUR GRADUATES



AFTER GRADUATION

- ▶ 50% of students go into the workforce
- ▶ 50% of students transfer to 4 year programs to become registered dietitians
- ▶ SUNY Morrisville dietetics has articulation agreements for transfer to:
 - ▶ Syracuse University
 - ▶ SUNY Oneonta
 - ▶ Rochester Institute of Technology
 - ▶ SUNY Plattsburg

Meet one of our graduates

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hK49ayvCxFl&feature=youtu.be>