Department of Home Science University of Lucknow Lucknow

Advanced Diploma in Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics

Program Objectives:

- To understand the etiology, physiologic and metabolic anomalies of acute and chronic diseases.
- To know the effect of various diseases on nutritional status.
- To impart systematic knowledge of basic and applied aspects of therapeutic nutrition.
- To familiarize the students with various aspects of disease progression.
- Provide the necessary knowledge of basic principles and procedures of diet therapy,
 patient counseling and patient needs.

Program Specific Outcomes:

- To enable the students to understand the integrated functioning of all systems and the grounding of nutritional science in physiology.
- Enhancing and improving practical and theoretical knowledge regarding dietetics.
- Orient the students to potential use of various laws of dietetics.
- To enable the students to develop a holistic knowledge base and understanding of the
 nature of important nutritional problems and their prevention and control for the
 disadvantaged and upper socio-economic strata in society.
- To understand the causes and determinants and consequences of nutritional problems in the society.

Course Specific Outcomes:

- To increase employability among students.
- To give the students a complete practical exposure regarding patient needs and therapeutic nutrition so that they are able to recommend and provide appropriate nutritional care for prevention and treatment of various diseases.
- To increase ability and aptitude of the students to be successful dieticians and to tackle medical problems related to nutrition.

- To provide complete understanding of the nutritional problems and nutrition related diseases prevalent among the affluent and the less privileged groups with reference to their incidents, etiology and public health significance.
- To be useful in the upliftment and betterment of the community.

Course	Outcome
Human Physiology	 To understand the current advances in functional organization of the human body. To develop insight into the functioning of the normal and diseased human bodies.
Clinical Bio-chemistry	 To understand the clinical roles of enzymes, hormones etc. To have an insight into the biochemical processes in the human body.
Principles of Nutrition and Meal Management	 To gain knowledge of basic principles of nutrition and meal management. To develop expertise in managing various meals based on the dietary requirements.
Diet Therapy	 To have an insight of the role of balanced diet in the disease recovery process. The capacity building in the area of diet therapy.
Community Nutrition and Epidemiology	 To understand the principles of hygiene, community nutrition and disease spread. To develop capacity in applying theoretical principles in Community Nutrition.
Dietetic Techniques and Patient Counseling	 To enhance the ability in understanding the dietetic needs of the patients. To develop skills in communicating with patients to understand their dietary preferences with reference to Dietetic Techniques.
Advance Clinical Nutrition	 To understand the specific dietetic needs of patients under specialized treatments. To be able to correlate the healing effects of diets with diseases
Dissertation	To develop research aptitude and writing skills

	• To enhance the ability to find solutions to specific problems.
Practical Work	To promote basic skills based on the theoretical principles.
Internship	• To promote the students to interact with the real time situations.