

## CERTIFICATE IN DIETETICS (DIETETIC INTERNSHIP PROGRAM)

### Estimated Costs and Financial Aid Information

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<b>Estimated Costs for Class of 2022-2023</b>	
Application document review fee *	\$80
Non-refundable application fee to Graduate Division *	\$55
Non-refundable tuition – 24 units of College of Extended Learning Fees *	\$13,200
Transcript fee *	\$4
Lab coats and dress shoes **	\$200
Professional work clothes **	\$300
Required immunizations, titers, TB tests, physical exam **	\$250
Personal health insurance **	\$1,300
Facility onboarding fee**	\$50
Drug testing, background check, fingerprinting **	\$250
Books and supplies and online training **	\$400
Rent and utilities **	\$18,000
Food and personal items **	\$1,500
Personal car insurance **	\$1000
Transportation and parking **	\$1,200
Attendance at Professional Conference (more if travel is required) **	\$300
Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Membership **	\$50
Membership in local Dietetic Association **	\$20
<b>Total estimated cost:</b>	<b>\$38,159</b>

- University fees and tuition subject to change

\*\* Non-university costs are estimated

### Financial Aid

Those enrolled in the Certificate in Dietetics/Dietetic Internship may be eligible for a Federal Direct Student loan. Those interested in financial aid should complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) application after admittance to the program. Please note that Financial Aid is not available until the Fall semester. Tuition (estimated to be \$1650-\$3300, subject to change) for the summer will need to be paid in full prior to Financial Aid monies being available. Please note that financial aid has covered only partial tuition costs for previous interns, and is a loan, not a grant.

Applicants should consider their ability to financially cover tuition, all living expenses, and other program-related and personal costs for the program year prior to applying to our program. As this is a full-time program, any outside employment or other significant time commitments during the program are very strongly discouraged.

As per federal regulations for programs that qualify for financial aid, the following information is provided:

A dietetic internship prepares students for the following careers:

SOC# 29-1030 "Dietitians and Nutritionists" and SOC# 29-1031 "Dietitians"

Job description for "Dietitian and Nutritionists" can be found at:

<http://www.onetonline.org/link/summary/29-1031.00>

Please also visit SFSU's Financial Aid Website at: <http://www.sfsu.edu/~finaid/>

Applicants are encouraged to apply for Academy of Nutrition & Dietetics, California Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, and other scholarships. Private student loans are also available.