CRDN (ACEND-Required Core Competency) Log

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| **Domain 1:**  **Scientific and Evidence Base of Practice:**  **Integration of scientific information and research into practice** | **Description of Activity Performed** | **Rotation/Course** | **Signature of Preceptor/Instructor** | **Signature of Intern** | **Date** |
| CRDN 1.1: Select indicators of program quality and/or customer service and measure achievement of objectives. | Quality Improvement Plan assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 1.2: Evaluate research and apply evidence-based guidelines, systematic reviews and scientific literature in nutrition and dietetics practice. | Clinical Case Study Presentation | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |
| CRDN 1.3: Justify programs, products, services and care using appropriate evidence or data. | Community Assessment Project | MHS 696 Program Planning & Evaluation |  |  |  |
| CRDN 1.4: Conduct projects using appropriate research or quality improvement methods, ethical procedures and data analysis utilizing current and/or new technologies. | Emerging Science into ND Practice Assignment | MHS 698 Research Project |  |  |  |
| CRDN 1.5: Incorporate critical-thinking skills in overall  practice. | Clinical Case Study assignment | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |

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| **Domain 2: Professional Practice Expectations:**  **Beliefs, values, attitudes and behaviors for the professional dietitian level of practice.** | **Description of Activity Performed** | **Rotation/Course** | **Signature of Preceptor/Instructor** | **Signature of Intern** | **Date** |
| CRDN 2.1: Practice in compliance with current federal regulations and state statutes and rules, as applicable, and in accordance with accreditation standards and the Scope of Nutrition and Dietetics Practice for the RDN, Standards of Practice, Standards of Professional Performance, and Code of Ethics for the Profession of Nutrition and Dietetics. | Code of Ethics for the Profession of Dietetics scenario- based assignment | ND 681 Practicum in Clinical Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.2: Demonstrate professional writing skills in  preparing professional communications. | EHR evaluation | ND 681 Practicum in  Clinical Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.3: Demonstrate active participation, teamwork and contributions in group settings. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicums |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.4: Function as a member of interprofessional  teams. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicums |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.5: Work collaboratively with NDTRs and/or  support personnel in other disciplines. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicums |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.6: Refer clients and patients to other professionals and services when needs are beyond individual scope of practice. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicums |  |  |  |

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| CRDN 2.7: Apply change management strategies to achieve desired outcomes. | Safety & Sanitation Assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.8: Demonstrate negotiation skills. | Application of motivational interviewing techniques during counseling role play scenarios | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.9: Actively contribute to nutrition and dietetics professional and community organizations. | Professional organization assignment | Any practicum course |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.10: Demonstrate professional attributes in all areas of practice. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicums |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.11: Show cultural humility in interactions with colleagues, staff, clients, patients and public. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicums |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.12: Implement culturally sensitive strategies to address cultural biases and differences. | Self-evaluation narrative assignment | First/Final practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 2.13: Advocate for local, state or national legislative and regulatory issues or policies impacting the nutrition and dietetics profession. | Public Policy assignment | ND 683 Practicum in Community Nutrition |  |  |  |
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| **Domain 3:**  **Clinical and Customer Services:**  **Development and delivery of information, products and services to individuals, groups and populations** | **Description of Activity Performed** | **Rotation/Course** | **Signature of Preceptor/Instructor** | **Signature of Intern** | **Date** |
| CRDN 3.1: Perform the Medical Nutrition Therapy by utilizing the Nutrition Care Process including the use of standardized nutrition terminology as part of the clinical workflow elements for individuals, groups and populations of differing ages and health status, in a variety of settings. | ADIME Notes assignment | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.2: Conduct nutrition focused physical exams. | Nutrition Focused Physical Exam assignment | ND 681 Practicum in  Clinical Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.3: Perform routine health screening assessments including measuring blood pressure, conducting waived point-of-care laboratory testing (such as blood glucose or cholesterol), recommending and/or initiating nutrition related pharmocotherapy plans (such as modifications to bowel regimens, carbohydrate to insulin ratio, B12 or iron supplementation). | **ADIME- Notes assignment** | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.4: Provide instruction to clients/patients for self- monitoring blood glucose considering diabetes medication and medical nutrition therapy plan. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | ND 681 Practicum in Clinical Dietetics |  |  |  |

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| CRDN 3.5: Explain the steps involved and observe the placement of nasogastric or nasoenteric feeding tubes; if available, assist in the process of placing nasogastric or nasoenteric feeding tubes. | **Placement assessment video with assignment** | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.6: Conduct a swallow screen and refer to the  appropriate health care professional for full swallow evaluation when needed. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | ND 681 Practicum in Clinical Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.7: Demonstrate effective communication and documentation skills for clinical and client services in a variety of formats and settings, which include telehealth and other information technologies and digital media. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicums |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.8: Design, implement and evaluate presentations to a target audience. | Nutrition Education assignment | ND 683 Practicum in Community Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.9: Develop nutrition education materials that are culturally and age appropriate and designed for the literacy level of the audience. | Nutrition Education assignment | ND 683 Practicum in Community Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.10: Use effective education and counseling skills  to facilitate behavior change. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | ND 681 Clinical Practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.11: Develop and deliver products, programs or  services that promote consumer health, wellness and lifestyle management. | Nutrition Education assignment | ND 683 Practicum in Community Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.12: Deliver respectful, science-based answers to client questions concerning emerging trends. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicums |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.13: Coordinate procurement, production, distribution and service of goods and services, demonstrating and promoting responsible use of  resources. | Inventory, Forecasting, and Food Order Assignment | ND 682 Administrative Dietetics Practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 3.14: Develop and evaluate recipes, formulas and menus for acceptability and affordability that accommodate the cultural diversity and health needs of various populations, groups and individuals. | Menu Assignment evaluation form | ND 682 Administrative Dietetics Practicum |  |  |  |
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| **Domain 4: Practice Management and Use of Resources: strategic application of principles of management and systems in the provision of services to individuals and organizations** | **Description of Activity Performed** | **Rotation/Course** | **Signature of Preceptor/Instructor** | **Signature of Intern** | **Date** |
| CRDN 4.1: Participate in management functions of human resources (such as training and scheduling). | Standardized Recipe assignment | ND 682 Administrative Dietetics Practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 4.2: Perform management functions related to safety, security and sanitation that affect employees, clients, patients, facilities and food. | Safety and Sanitation Audit assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics |  |  |  |

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| CRDN 4.3: Conduct clinical and customer service quality management activities (such as quality improvement or quality assurance projects). | Quality Improvement Plan assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 4.4: Apply current information technologies to develop, manage, and disseminate nutrition information  and data. | EHR evaluation | ND 681 Practicum in Clinical Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 4.5: Analyze quality, financial and productivity data for use in planning. | Inventory, Forecasting, and Food Order Assignment | ND 682 Administrative Dietetics Practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 4.6: Propose and use procedures as appropriate to the practice setting to promote sustainability, reduce waste and protect the environment. | Feasibility Study assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 4.7: Conduct feasibility studies for products, programs or services with consideration of costs and benefits. | Feasibility Study assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics |  |  |  |
| CRDN 4.8: Develop a plan to provide or develop a product, program or service that includes a budget, staffing needs, equipment and supplies. | Product or Service Development Plan assignment | ND 682 Administrative Dietetics Practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 4.9: Engage in the process for coding and billing for nutrition and dietetics services to obtain reimbursement from public or private payers, fee-for-service and value- based payment systems. | Coding/billing presentation | ND 681 Clinical Nutrition Practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 4.10: Analyze risk in nutrition and dietetics practice (such as risks to achieving set goals and objectives, risk management plan, or risk due to clinical  liability or foodborne illness). | Safety and Sanitation assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics |  |  |  |
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| **Domain 5: Leadership and Career Management: Skills, strengths, knowledge and experience relevant to leadership potential and professional growth for the nutrition and dietetics practitioner.** | **Description of Activity Performed** | **Rotation/Course** | **Signature of Preceptor/Instructor** | **Signature of Intern** | **Date** |
| CRDN 5.1: Perform self-assessment that includes awareness in terms of learning and leadership styles and cultural orientation and develop goals for self- improvement throughout the program. | Mid-point self-assessment assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics  ND 681 Clinical Practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 5.2: Identify and articulate ones' skills, strengths knowledge and experiences relevant to the position  desired and career goals. | Professional Development Plan assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics  ND 681 Clinical Practicum |  |  |  |
| CRDN 5.3: Prepare a plan for professional development according to Commission on Dietetic Registration  guidelines. | Professional Development Plan assignment | ND 682 Practicum in Administrative Dietetics  ND 681 Clinical Practicum |  |  |  |

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| CRDN 5.4: Advocate for opportunities in the professional settings (such as asking for additional responsibility, practicing negotiating a salary or wage or asking for a  promotion). | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicum courses |  |  |  |
| CRDN 5.5: Demonstrate the ability to resolve conflict. | Mid- & Final evaluation assignments | All practicum courses |  |  |  |
| CRDN 5.6: Promote team involvement and recognize the  skills of each member. | Mentoring a senior undergraduate student in  completion of a MNT course assignment | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |
| CRDN 5.7: Mentor others. | Mentoring a senior undergraduate student in  completion of a MNT course assignment | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |
| CRDN 5.8: Identify and articulate the value of precepting. | Mentoring a senior undergraduate student in  completion of a MNT course assignment | ND 637 Advanced MNT |  |  |  |