

Applicant Information Packet

**Dietetics Technician Program
Associate of Applied Science Degree
Dietetics & Nutritional Management
(DIT.AAS)**



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Dear Prospective Dietetics Student:

Thank you for your interest in applying for admission to the Dietetics Technician (DIT) Program. This packet of information contains the following:

1. Application Process Checklist
2. DT Program Curriculum
3. Estimated Cost of Program

Please contact the DIT program for specific information regarding enrollment dates or possible waiting lists. For additional information, please see our website at:

<http://www.sinclair.edu/academics/lhs/departments/dit/index.cfm>

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS / CHECK LIST



- Step 1 _____ Apply to Sinclair Community College. This must be done before applying to the Dietetics Technician (DIT) program. Paper applications are available in the Admissions office, building 10, 1st floor or via the web at <http://www.sinclair.edu/admissions/Application/>.
- Step 2 _____ Apply to the DIT program by completing a Life & Health Sciences application, which can be found at: <http://www.sinclair.edu/academics/lhs/index.cfm>.
- Step 3 _____ If you have transferable college credit, request your “official” transcripts from previous college(s) to be sent directly to Sinclair Community College, Registration & Student Records, 444 West Third Street, Dayton OH 45402-1460. A grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or higher on a scale of 4.0 as shown in the college transcript (if applicable) is required for admission to the DIT Program. Any deficiency in this area should be made up prior to the formal acceptance to the DIT Program.
- Step 4 _____ If you do not have transferable college credit in English Composition and/or mathematics, take the Sinclair Community College’s Accuplacer Placement Test in reading, writing and mathematics. More information on this test can be found at <http://www.sinclair.edu/stservices/enrl/testing/accfqa/index.cfm> or by calling 937-512-3000 or 800-315-3000.
- Step 5 _____ Complete an academic advising consultation with a Life & Health Sciences Academic Advisor located in room 11-346. Walk-in sessions are available daily. More information is available by calling (937) 512-3700 or (800) 512-3700 or on their website at: <http://www.sinclair.edu/services/advising/>.
- Step 6 _____ Complete developmental courses, if any, resulting from Placement Test Scores.
- Step 7 _____ Program specific requirements:
- _____ Acceptance Letter: A letter of acceptance to the DIT Program will be sent to you after ALL of the above requirements have been met.
- _____ Orientation: Once you have been accepted into the DIT program, you will be notified by letter of upcoming scheduled orientation sessions. Attendance at one of these sessions is mandatory to finalize the application process.
- _____ High School Transcripts: **This requirement applies only to those applicants who have taken high school chemistry within the last five years.** To verify completion of high school chemistry within the last five years, provide a copy of your high school transcript to the Dietetics Office, Building 13, Room 426. If a grade of “C” or better each semester for the school year was earned, non-course credit will be awarded for CHE 121/126 Introduction to Chemistry.

Step 8 _____ Maintain a minimum of 2.0 cumulative GPA.

- You need to maintain a grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or higher in all courses required in the DIT curriculum.
- All support and technical courses in the curriculum must be successfully completed with a grade of “C” or better.

Once again, thank you for your interest in the Dietetics Technician Program. Please contact the Dietetics Office at 937.512.2756, if you have questions regarding the admission process.

Sincerely,

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LIFE & HEALTH SCIENCES - DIETETIC TECHNOLOGY

		First Quarter	Credits	Lecture	Lab	Per Wk	Per Qtr.
DIT	109	Introduction to Dietetics	2	2			4*
DIT	112	Medical Terminology for DIT	2	2			
ALH	103	Intro to Health Care Delivery	3	3			
CHE	120	Introduction to Chemistry	4	3	2		
MAT	101	Elementary Algebra	4	4			
		Field trips	15	14	2		4
		Second Quarter					
DIT	129	Human Nutrition	5	5			
DIT	137	Food Sanitation and Safety	3	3			
ALH	104	Allied Health Informatics	2	2			
CHE	122	Introduction to Biochemistry	4	3	2		
HMT	101	Dine/Kitchen Orientation	2	2			
			16	15	2		
		Third Quarter					
DIT	135	Nutrition in the Life Cycle	4	3		2	22
DIT	224	Community Nutrition	3	1		4	44
ENG	111	English Composition I	3	3			
HMT	112	Basic Food Preparation	5	2			
HMT	113	LAB FOR HMT 112			6		
			15	9	6	6	66
		Fourth Quarter					
DIT	___	Elective	2	2			
COM	206	Interpersonal Communication	3	3			
ENG	112	English Composition II	3	3			
PSY	121	General Psychology	3	3			
HUM	___	Humanities Elective	3	3			
SOC	111	General Sociology I	3	3			
			17	17			
		Fifth Quarter					
DIT	225	Education Methods & Materials	3	3			
DIT	208	Advanced Food Prep. & Internat. Cuisine	2	2			
DIT	209	LAB FOR DIT 208	2		4		
DIT	240	Food and Culture	2	1		2	16
DIT	221	Medical Nutrition Therapy I	3	3			
DIT	226	Dietetics Directed Practice I	4			8	88
DIT	200	Dining Assistant	1	1			
			17	10	4	10	104
		Sixth Quarter					
DIT	216	Food Preparation and Dietary Service	4	4			
DIT	218	Directed Practice for DIT 216	3			6	66
DIT	219	Laboratory for DIT 216	1		2		
DIT	222	Medical Nutrition Therapy II	3	3			
DIT	227	Dietetics Directed Practice II	4			8	88
			15	7	2	14	154
		Seventh Quarter					
DIT	236	Dietary Organization & Management	4	4			
DIT	237	Directed Practice for DIT 236	3			6	66
DIT	223	Medical Nutrition Therapy III	3	3			
DIT	228	Dietetics Directed Practice III	3			6	66
DIT	255	Dietetics Seminar	2	2			
		Total hours: Credit: 110 Directed practice: 456	15	9		12	132

ESTIMATED DT PROGRAM COSTS

Information on the fees to attend Sinclair College is found in the College Catalog and the Bulletin. At present these are:

Fee per quarter credit:

Montgomery County Residents	Ohio Residents	Out-of-State and International residents
\$45.00	\$73.50	\$145.00

Other fees may include:

Application for Admission:	\$20.00
Late registration Fee	30.00
Graduation Ceremony	10.00
Transcript (each)	2.00
Transcript (same day)	7.00
Returned check penalty	25.00

In addition to the above, the following approximate expenses may be incurred:

Laboratory fees:	\$ 350.00
Lab coat / uniforms	145.00
HMT 101 supplies	150.00
Program Fees	100.00
Transportation (sites/events)	250.00
Attendance at meetings	100.00
ADA Student membership	50.00
Medical/physical check-up	100.00
Immunizations	125.00
Background check	55.00
Books, papers, supplies	1,500.00
Food (conferences/trips)	200.00
Miscellaneous	<u>250.00</u>
Total	\$3,375.00