



## **Dietetics and Nutrition**

Dear Prospective Student,

Thank you for your interest in Keiser University's master's degrees in nutrition. KU is required by law to disclose to your specific state licensing requirements regarding professional licensure. In particular, KU must disclose whether (1) the program meets state educational requirements for professional licensure, (2) does not meet state educational requirements for professional licensure, or (3) it cannot be confirmed if the program meets state educational requirements for professional licensure.

The attached professional licensure disclosure notification is designed to provide the aforementioned detail for all 50 states in the U.S., the District of Columbia, and U.S. protectorates.

Upon review, should you find you reside in and/or wish to obtain licensure in a state where the program does not meet state educational requirements, or it cannot be confirmed if the program does so, please click on the link below to determine the professional licensure requirements for that state. Upon review, should you find you reside in and/or wish to obtain licensure in a state where the program does not meet state educational requirements, or it cannot be confirmed if the program does so, please click on the link for that state to determine the professional licensure requirements for that state. For questions relating to Master of Science in Clinical Nutrition – Coordinated Program, please contact the University Department Chair of the Professor Mary Kavanagh at the Lakeland campus of Keiser University, (863) 682-6020. For questions relating to the Master of Science in Nutrition with Distance Learning Internship, please contact Dr. Dona Greenwood at the Graduate School of Keiser University, (954) 351- 4040.

Sincerely,

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Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs  
Keiser University



**Professional Licensure Disclosure/Notification Statement  
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<b>Degree Title</b>	<b>Degree Level</b>	<b>Degree</b>
Master of Science in Nutrition with Distance Learning Internship	Master of Science Degree	MS
Master of Science in Clinical Nutrition – Coordinated Program	Master of Science Degree	MS

**Professional Licensure Disclosure Statement:** Keiser University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award certificates and degrees at the associate, baccalaureate, masters, specialist, and doctoral levels. Questions about the accreditation of Keiser University may be directed in writing to the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097, by calling (404) 679-4500, or by using information available on SACSCOC’s website ([www.sacscoc.org](http://www.sacscoc.org)).

The KU Master of Science in Clinical Nutrition – Coordinated Program at the Melbourne, Lakeland, Pembroke Pines, and Port St Lucie campuses and the KU Master of Science in Nutrition with Distance Learning Internship are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND), 120 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 2000, Chicago, IL, 60606-6995; 1-800-877-1600, ext. 5400, <https://www.eatrightpro.org/acend>.

These programs qualify graduates to sit for the National Registered Dietitian/Registered Dietitian Nutritionist examination (RD/RDN) through the Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR) <https://www.cdrnet.org>, and upon passing the exam, receive the designation Registered Dietician (RD) or Registered Dietician Nutritionist (RDN). Many employers require the RD/RDN to obtain licensure in the state in which practice is desired.

At this time, KU has made the following determination regarding the Master of Science in Clinical Nutrition – Coordinated Program and Master of Science in Nutrition with Distance Learning Internship educational degree completion requirements for licensure/certification in the following states:

<b>STATES IN WHICH THE PROGRAM MEETS EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS</b>	<b>STATES IN WHICH THE PROGRAM DOES NOT MEET EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS</b>	<b>STATES FOR WHICH IT CANNOT BE DETERMINED IF THE PROGRAM MEETS EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS</b>
All 50 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico	NA	American Samoa, Guam, Northern Marianna Islands and the US Virgin Islands

It is strongly recommended that students, applicants, and prospective students determine any additional (i.e. non-educational) requirements for licensure in the state in which they seek to be licensed. For additional information and a listing of specific licensing requirements by state, please visit <https://www.eatrightpro.org/advocacy/licensure/licensure-map>. For questions relating to Master of Science in Clinical Nutrition – Coordinated Program, please contact the University Department Chair of the Professor Mary Kavanagh at the Lakeland campus of Keiser University, (863) 682-6020. For

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