



WORKFORCE AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

DIETARY MANAGER PROGRAM

100% ONLINE! STARTS OCTOBER 14, 2025

BECOME A CERTIFIED DIETARY MANAGER

Northern Maine Community College is offering Maine's only Dietary Manager training program. This flexible, online series, along with your previous qualifying two (2) or more years of managerial or supervisory experience, allows you to apply to sit for the nationally recognized [CDM, CFPP Credentialing Exam](#).

Program Highlights:

Format: Online, asynchronous (flexible, study anywhere)

Start Date: October 14, 2025

Length: Three courses

Cost: FREE for Maine residents!

Certification: Eligible to apply to sit for the Certified Dietary Manager, Certified Food Protection Professional (CDM, CFPP) Credentialing Exam. The [CDM, CFPP](#) is listed as the primary qualification in the CMS regulations for the Director of Food and Nutrition Services in the absence of a full-time Registered Nutritionist in healthcare settings

Who Should Enroll?

Foodservice professionals who have two years of qualifying work experience as a manager or supervisor in long-term care facilities, hospitals and healthcare systems, correctional facilities, or school systems.

What is a CDM, CFPP?

CDM, CFPPs are experts in foodservice personnel management, fostering increased staff engagement, greater employee retention, a stable working environment, and higher client satisfaction.

They lead the foodservice department during challenges of natural disasters, foodborne illness, supply chain difficulties, pandemics, and other incident management issues.

CDM, CFPPs are recognized as the expert in all areas of foodservice management, including leading a foodservice operation team, ensuring sanitation and food safety, purchasing and inventory control, business operations, documentation of nutrition information and applying medical nutrition therapy principles.



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Requirements: Two years of qualifying work experience as a manager or supervisor in long-term care facilities, hospitals and healthcare systems, correctional facilities, or school systems.

Career Benefits

Nationally recognized credential accredited by the National Commission for Certified Agencies (NCCA).

Expanded job opportunities in healthcare and institutional foodservice.

SPACE IS LIMITED REGISTER TODAY

All three courses are required to sit for the exam. Register now for all three and secure your seat.

NUTR 600: Foodservice Safety and Sanitation

10/14/2025 - 12/5/2025

www.bit.ly/nutr600

NUTR 620: Medical Nutrition Therapy

1/13/2026 - 3/6/2026

www.bit.ly/nutr620

NUTR 610: Foodservice Management

3/16/2026 - 5/8/2026

www.bit.ly/nutr610