



Graduate Programs in Human Nutrition Master of Science in Human Nutrition

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOME (SLO) STATEMENTS

At the end of the program, graduates of the Master of Science in Human Nutrition Program will be able to:

1. Apply their advanced knowledge of nutrient metabolism to explain relationships between nutrient intake, indicators of nutritional status, and health and disease.
2. Utilize the Nutrition Physical Examination to identify physical signs and symptoms of nutrition-related disease in patients and communicate these findings to the healthcare team using the Nutrition Care Process.
3. Perform a thorough review of the nutrition-related scientific literature using library resources, evidence-based guidelines, systematic reviews and other peer-reviewed material and critically analyze this material for scientific merit and cultural biases while applying the principles of social justice and equity.
4. Develop a project to answer a nutrition-related question: including problem identification, a review of existing literature, collection of data or conduction of a project, analysis of results and statement of conclusion.
5. Disseminate research results or other scholarly work about nutrition-related topics to scientists, health care professionals and members of the general public using poster, oral presentation, and written formats.
6. Communicate effectively with clients, patients, peers, mentors, and collaborators in a professional and ethical manner that fosters a constructive and collaborative working environmental for all.