

FAQs

I have been working as a dietitian in my home country for many years. Will this be considered in my assessment for registration?

Yes, the assessment for registration considers many factors including – formal academic and practical training, work experience, time elapsed since last practiced as a dietitian, currency of knowledge, skills abilities and judgement, and results of the CHCPBC's Competency Self-Assessment Process and Practical Assessments.

How can I prepare or study for these assessments? Do you have any resources to direct me to?

The purpose of these assessments is not to test newly learnt knowledge but rather to assess and compare your education and experience from your home country to that of Canadian dietetic practice. If you wish to orient yourself to Canadian dietetic practice, there are several resources in the resource section of this webpage. The Canadian Dietetic Registration Examination (CDRE) is the final exam all dietitians need to pass and the assessments share the same standards as practice as this exam. It is worth well to familiarize yourself with the areas of this exam for the assessment portion of the international application process.