

Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics

The Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND) is the accrediting agency for education programs preparing students for careers as registered dietitian nutritionists or nutrition and dietetics technicians, registered.

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Sign Up Now: November 2025 Program Director Workshop

ACEND offers several workshops and modules specifically for program directors. These workshops are designed to help dietetic education program directors learn the latest accreditation standards and specific details on how to prepare for site visits and self-study reports. The next workshop that will cover both the 2022 Standards and the Future Education Model Accreditation Standards will be held virtually on **November 12 -13, 2025**. Register now to reserve your spot! Registration closes on November 10, 2025.

[Register](#)

Earn Continuing Education Credits for Writing Your Self-Study Report!

Did you know that your hard work in writing the self-study report and completing the program review process can count toward your continuing education? Under **Activity Type 191 – Expert Work**, ACEND Program Directors can earn 15 CPEUs for RDNs and 10 CPEUs for NDTRs per five-year cycle for participating in dietetics-related activities that showcase your expertise, including the site visit process. You decide how many CPEUs your self-study and site visit work is worth based on the time and effort you have invested. This is a great opportunity to get recognized for the valuable work you are already doing. Just be sure to complete and retain the Expert Work Attestation Form available on the **CDR website**.

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