

Bachelor of Science (B.S.) Applied Food and Nutrition

Secondary Admission Application Required

2021-2022
Catalog Year

1 st Year ~ Fall	Credits	1 st Year ~ Winter	Credits
¹ AHS 110: Introduction to Health Care	3	BIO 120: General Biology I <small>GE Life Science</small>	4
² CHM 109: Introductory Chemistry <small>GE Physical Science</small>	4	CHM 231: Introductory Organic Chemistry	4
MTH 110: Algebra <small>prerequisite to STA 215</small>	4	WRT 150: Strategies in Writing <small>GE Writing</small>	4
General Education <small>Art</small>	3	*General Education <small>Philosophy & Literature</small>	3
Total Credit Hours	14	Total Credit Hours	15
2 nd Year ~ Fall	Credits	2 nd Year ~ Winter <small>Priority Application Deadline: February 15th</small>	Credits
¹ AHS 100: Medical Terminology	3	CHM 232: Biological Chemistry	4
³ BMS 250: Anatomy & Physiology I	4	³ BMS 251: Anatomy & Physiology II	4
BMS 105: Basic Nutrition	3	AFN 281: Advocacy in Food & Nutrition	1
General Education <small>Historical Perspectives</small>	3	*General Education <small>Global Perspectives</small>	3
*General Education <small>Social & Behavioral Sciences</small>	3	*General Education <small>Social & Behavioral Sciences</small>	3
Total Credit Hours	16	Total Credit Hours	15
3 rd Year ~ Fall (AFN Program)	Credits	3 rd Year ~ Winter (AFN Program)	Credits
AHS 340: Health Care Management <small>Issues</small>	3	AFN 300: Food Protection Management	3
BMS 212/213: Introductory Microbiology w/ Lab	4	AFN 400: Applied Medical Nutrition Therapy	3
AFN 381: Design Thinking in Applied Food & Nutrition	3	AFN 417: Food Service Practicum	2
COM 209: Health Communication Systems	3	BMS 304: Community Nutrition <small>winter only</small>	3
*General Education <small>US Diversity</small>	3	STA 215: Introductory Applied Statistics <small>GE Math</small>	3
Total Credit Hours	16	Total Credit Hours	14
4 th Year ~ Fall (AFN Program)	Credits	4 th Year ~ Winter (AFN Program)	Credits
AFN 416: Applied Food & Culinary Science	3	AFN 401: Emerging Issues in Food/Nutrition	2
AFN 418: Community Nutrition Practicum	3	AFN 410: Nutrition Care Delivery	4
AFN 460: Nutrition Education w/ Vulnerable Populations	3	AFN 419: Clinical Nutrition Practicum	3
AHS 301: Introduction to Health Care Research	3	AFN 495: Applied Food & Nutrition <small>Capstone/ SWS</small>	3
BMS 407: Nutrition in the life Cycle <small>fall only</small>	3	*General Education <small>GE Issues / SWS</small>	3
Total Credit Hours	15	Total Credit Hours	15

Curriculum Notes:

- ¹ AHS 100 and AHS 110 are not required, however they are recommended
- ² CHM 109 is not required by the major, however it is a prerequisite to CHM 231
- ³ BMS 208, 290 and 391 may be used in place of BMS 250/251
- ⁴ BMS 301 or PSY 300 may be used in place of AHS 301

- Courses in *ITALICS* must be completed prior to the start of the AFN program.
- Courses in **BOLD** fulfill the Clinical Dietetic graduate program prerequisites.
- Students completing the AFN major will meet all of the course prerequisites needed to apply to the Clinical Dietetics Master of Science program.

*General Education Courses that complement AFN

- Philosophy & Literature: PHI 102 or PLS/HRT 105
- Social and Behavioral: CJ 101, SOC 105, SW 150
- Global Perspective: ANT 204
- U.S. Diversity: ITC 100, SOC 315, 322, or 381
- Issues course: ANT 340, INT 342, REC 302

University Requirement Notes:

- This is a suggested curriculum guide and might not be applicable to every student
- Courses that include 'GE' are required in the major **AND** fulfill a General Education requirement.
- Two (2) Supplemental Writing Skills (SWS) courses are required.
- Students must have a minimum of 120 credits to graduate with 58 of the 120 credits being from a senior level institution and the final 30 of the 120 credits completed at GVSU.

Applied Food & Nutrition (AFN)

Application/Admission Information

Phase I ~ Prerequisites

Students may apply to the program if they can demonstrate that the prerequisites below will be completed prior to the start of the AFN program in late August.

- Overall GPA of 2.7 or above
- BIO 120
- BMS 105
- BMS 250 & 251
- CHM 231
- Completion of 45 credit hours
- CHM 232 must be completed with a "C+" or better prior to the start of the 400-level AFN courses.

Phase II ~ Application Requirements

The following materials are required as part of the application process.

- AFN Priority Application Deadline: **February 15th**
 - Late applications will be considered assuming requirements are met & space is available
- Completed AFN secondary application (available on the AFN website)
- Admitted to GVSU for the intended fall start of the program (apply at: GVSU admissions)
- Send GVSU official transcripts from all colleges/universities attended
- Resume
- Course Completion Verification form (available on the AFN website)
- 1-2-page statement of professional philosophy to include addressing the following questions:
 - Why have you chosen AFN?
 - What are your career goals?
- Two completed recommendations forms (available on the AFN website)

Phase III ~ Official Admission Notification

After the priority deadline, applications will be processed and reviewed. All applicants will receive notification of their admission decision. Applicants admitted to the program will be invited to set up an advising appointment with an AFN faculty member to review next steps.

Accreditation Information:

Grand Valley State University has been granted candidacy accreditation status as a Future Education Model Bachelor's degree program*. Rolling admissions for first applicants will be accepted beginning in February 2021 for Fall 2021 start in the accredited part (final two years) of the AFN program. Graduates of the program will be eligible to sit for the Credentialing Examination for Nutrition and Dietetic Technicians, Registered.

*The Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND) released the Future Education Model Accreditation Standards for programs in nutrition and dietetics (see www.eatrightpro.org/FutureModel). These accreditation standards integrate didactic coursework with supervised experiential learning in a competency -based curriculum designed to prepare nutrition and dietetics practitioners for future practice.

For more detailed AFN admission/application information visit:
<https://www.gvsu.edu/chpss/applied-food-and-nutrition-162.htm>