

# THE STATE $^{of}$ ALASKA

Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing

#### **Dietitians and Nutritionists Program**

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### **Dietitian License Application Instructions**

The following must be received by the division before your application for Dietitian License can be reviewed:

#### 1. APPLICATION

A signed, completed application (#08-4400, pages 1-6).

#### 2. FEES

Fees made payable to "State of Alaska."

Nonrefundable Application Fee: \$100.00 License Fee: \$50.00 Total Fees Due: \$150.00

#### 3. AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF RECORDS

A completed Authorization for Release of Records form (#08-4400a).

#### 4. VERIFICATION OF REGISTRATION

Official Verification of Registration must be mailed directly from the Commission on Dietetic Registration(CDR). The CDR may be contacted at <a href="https://www.cdrnet.org/">https://www.cdrnet.org/</a>.

#### 5. VERIFICATION OF LICENSURE

Must be mailed directly from each state or jurisdiction where a license, certificate or registration is, or has ever been held. Please see Verification of Licensure form (#08-4400b).

#### **General Information**

#### APPLICATION PROCESSING:

The average time to process a paper application varies by program but can take several weeks from the date it is received in this office complete with all correct forms, supporting documents and appropriate fees paid. When the application is complete and correct, and all supporting documents have been received and all fees have been paid, the license will be issued. Start the process far enough in advance to allow for processing time. Applications are reviewed in order of receipt in our office, and walk-in customers should not expect immediate review.

#### LICENSE TERM:

There is no "inactive" status. If you choose not to renew your license, it will lapse. Licenses are issued for a two-year period and expire on December 31 of odd-numbered years, regardless of the date of issuance, except licenses issued within 90 days of the expiration date are issued to the next biennial expiration date. Renewal applications become available 30-90 days prior to the expiration date. One renewal notice will be sent via email or mail at least 30 days before license expiration to the last known email or mailing address of record. Failure to receive a renewal notice does not alleviate the requirement to renew the license if you wish to continue providing services in Alaska.

#### **PROFESSIONAL FITNESS QUESTIONS:**

A "yes" response in the application does not mean your application will be denied. If you have responded "yes" to any professional fitness questions in the application, be sure to submit a signed and dated explanation, and the charging document and judgement.

#### **DENIAL OF APPLICATION:**

Please be aware that the denial of an application for licensure may be reported to any person, professional licensing board, federal, state, or local governmental agency, or other entity making a relevant inquiry or as may be required by law.

#### **RANDOM AUDIT:**

If your program requires continuing education, the Division will audit a percentage of the license renewals. If your license is randomly selected for audit, a letter will be sent with instructions to submit documentation as proof you satisfied the continuing competency requirements as stated on this renewal form. Licensees are randomly selected by computer and may be randomly selected as often as the computer program chooses. You must save your documents for at least four years so you can respond to audits.

#### **ADDRESS OR NAME CHANGE:**

In accordance with 12 AAC 02.900, it is the applicant's/licensee's responsibility to notify the Division, in writing, of changes of address or name. Name and address change notification forms are available on the Division's website. The address of record with the division will be used to send renewals and all other official notifications and correspondence. The name appearing on the license must be your current legal name.

#### **CERTIFIED TRUE COPIES:**

If any of the required documents will be issued under a former name, indicate on the application and submit marriage license and/or court documents that are notarized as a "certified true copy of the original document". To obtain a certified true copy, you must present the notary with the original document along with the photocopy. You must write, "I certify this is a true copy of the original document" and sign your name. The notary will compare the original document with the copy and then notarize your signature.

#### **SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS:**

AS 08.01.060 and 08.01.100 require that a U.S. Social Security Number be on file with the division before a professional license is issued or renewed for an individual. If you do not have a U.S. Social Security Number, please complete the Request for Exemption from Social Security Number Requirement form (#08-4372) located at *ProfessionalLicense.Alaska.Gov* or contact the division for a copy of the form. This form is required with every application if you do not have a U.S. Social Security Number.

#### **PUBLIC INFORMATION:**

Please be aware that all information on the application form will be available to the public, unless required to be kept confidential by state or federal law. Information about current licensees, including mailing addresses, is available on the division's website at *ProfessionalLicense.Alaska.Gov* under License Search.

#### **ABANDONED APPLICATIONS:**

Under 12 AAC 02.910, an application is considered abandoned when 12 months have elapsed since correspondence was last received from or on behalf of the applicant. An abandoned application is denied without prejudice. At the time of abandonment, the division will send notification to the last known address of the applicant, who has 30 days to submit a written request for a refund of biennial license and other fees paid. The application fee will not be refunded. If no request for refund is received within that timeframe, no refund will be issued, and all fees will be forfeited.

#### **BUSINESS LICENSES:**

The status of a professional license will directly impact the status of an associated business license. Renewal applications for business licenses are mailed separately. For more information about business licenses, (907) 465-2550 or *BusinessLicense.Alaska.Gov* 

#### **STALE DOCUMENTS:**

Application forms, authorizations and verifications older than 12 months from the date the document was received by the division will be considered stale; the document must be resubmitted as appropriate before the application will be considered by the division or a licensing board. Application documents include the application documents and verifications of licensure from other licensing jurisdictions. (12 AAC 02.915)

#### **PAYMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT:**

If the Alaska Child Support Enforcement Division has determined that you are in arrears on child support, you may be issued a nonrenewable temporary license valid for 150 days. Contact Child Support Services at (907) 269-6900 to resolve payment issues.

#### **STATUTES AND REGULATIONS:**

The complete set of statutes and regulations for this program are available by written request or online at the division's website: ProfessionalLicense.Alaska.Gov

If you would like to receive notice of all proposed regulation changes for your program, please send a request in writing with your name, preferred contact method (mail or email), and the specific program you want to be updated on to the address below.

Regulations Specialist

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## **Dietitian License Application**

PART I	Payment of Fees				
	Nonrefundable Application Fee				\$100.00
Required Fees:	License Fee				\$ 50.00
PART II	Personal Information				
Full Legal Name	:				
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	Names Used:				
Mailing Addres	P.O. Box or Street	City		State	Zip
Contact Phone			Date of Birth:		
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Email Address:			Select One:	Send my Corresponde	•
	Note: If both boxes are selected above,	you will receive c	orrespondence elect	ronically.	
States Social Securit	JMBER: AS 08.01.060 requires you to provide your Unit Number. It is considered confidential information and w				

	PART III	Comm	mission on Dietetic Registration (CDR)					
	Pagistration Number			Original				
Registration Number:		uiiibei.		Registration Date:				

PART IV	Professional Associations					
List all members	List all memberships in good standing of professional associations.					
1	Name of Professional Association	Location				

PART V	Occupational Status		
,	ast five years of work history.		
	Position	Start Date	End Date

### PART VI Professional License(s)

Please list all jurisdictions where you hold, or have ever held, a license to practice as a dietitian or nutritionist. **State Board License Number** Date of Issue **Current Status License Type** □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN

## PART VI Professional License(s) (continued)

Please list all jurisdictions where you hold, or have ever held, a license to practice as a dietitian or nutritionist. **State Board License Number** Date of Issue **Current Status License Type** □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN □ DTN ■ NTN ■ DTN ■ NTN

### **PART VII** Professional Fitness Questions

The following questions must be answered. "Yes" answers may not automatically result in license denial.

For each "yes" response to any question, you must provide an <u>explanation</u> and <u>documentation</u>. Use the letter of explanation form (#08-4752) appended to this application; include full details, dates, locations, type of action, organizations or parties involved, and specific circumstances. A separate letter of explanation form must be provided for each "yes" answer documented below. Documentation includes copies of court orders, charging documents, board, or license actions, etc.

The contents of licensing files are generally considered public records. If you believe that the additional information you are attaching to explain a "yes" answer should be considered confidential, state that in the attachment. A request for confidentiality may or may not be granted.

	When in doubt, disclose and explain.	
1.	Have you ever engaged in deceit, fraud, or intentional misrepresentation in the course of providing professional services or engaging in professional activities?	☐ Yes ☐ No
2.	Have you had a professional license denied, revoked, suspended, or otherwise restricted, conditioned, or limited or have you surrendered a professional license, been fined, placed on probation, reprimanded, disciplined, or entered into a settlement with a licensing authority in connection with a professional license you have held in any jurisdiction including Alaska and including that of any military authorities or is any such action pending?	☐ Yes ☐ No
3.	Have you ever been the subject of an inquiry or under investigation by any state board or other licensing agency concerning a violation or alleged violation of any state regulation, statute or law, for any violation or alleged violation of unprofessional or unethical conduct pertaining to the profession for which you are applying?	☐ Yes ☐ No
4.	Have you been convicted of a crime or are you currently charged with committing a crime? For purposes of this question, "crime" includes a misdemeanor, felony, or a military offense, including, but not limited to, driving under the influence (DUI) or driving while intoxicated (DWI), driving without a license, reckless driving, or driving with a suspended or revoked license. "Convicted" includes having been found guilty by verdict of a judge or jury, having entered a plea of guilty, nolo contendere or no contest, or having been given probation, a suspended imposition of sentence, or a fine.	☐ Yes ☐ No
5.	Within the past five years, have you been or are you addicted to, or excessively used or misused, alcohol, narcotics, barbiturates or habit-forming drugs?	☐ Yes ☐ No
6.	Within the five years immediately preceding the date of application for licensure, have you experienced or been treated for, bipolar disorder, schizophrenia, paranoia, depression (except for situational or reactive depression), psychotic disorder, or other mental or physical condition or disability?	☐ Yes ☐ No
	"Yes" Answers  If you answered "yes" to questions 5 or 6, in addition to your personal state submit a statement from your health care provider indicating your ability to Applications submitted without the appropriate attachments will be considered will not be processed.	o safely practice.

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## **Signature Page**

of unsworn falsification.

**Applicant Signature:** 

Applicant Name:	
PART VIII Ag	greement
and I know the fu	at I am the person herein named and subscribing to this application and that I have read the complete application, all content thereof. I declare that all of the information contained herein, and evidence or other documents the are true and correct.
falsification or mis	any falsification or misrepresentation of any item or response in this application, or any attachment hereto, or representation of documents to support this application, is sufficient grounds for denying, revoking, or otherwise secretificate, or permit to practice in the state of Alaska.

I further understand that it is a Class A misdemeanor under Alaska Statute 11.56.210 to falsify an application and commit the crime

Date Signed:



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#### **Authorization for Release of Records**

I hereby authorize the Alaska Division of Corporations, Business, and Professional Licensing and its investigators to examine my employment, educational records, and records pertaining to litigation, judgments, suits and/or settlements, and any law enforcement records pertaining to me and discuss them with persons having possession of them. I also expressly permit and authorize the release of any and all such records pertaining to me to the Alaska Division of Corporations, Business, and Professional Licensing and its investigators.

I authorize the division to discuss my records with persons or organizations that are considered appropriate by the division in connection with an official investigation, and to provide copies of my records to those persons or organizations deemed appropriate by the division.

I request that upon presentation of this release, or a Certified True Copy thereof, that you provide copies of those records to the division and/or its investigators, and/or representatives of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of Alaska.

This authorization is given expressly in connection with the application (initial, renewal, reactivation) for issuance of a Dietitian License.

I hereby release you, your organization, the Alaska Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, Division of Corporations, Business, and Professional Licensing and its investigators, and all others directly and/or indirectly involved in this matter from any liability or damage which may result from furnishing the information requested.

This authorization expires one (1) year from the date of my signature below.

Name:	First	Middle		Last	
Full Address:	P.O. Box or Street	City	State	Zip	
Phone:			Date of Birth:		
Email:					
Signature:			Date Signed:		



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#### **Verification of Licensure**

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Applicant Name:							License Number:				
Applicant Signature:							Date Signed:				
<del></del>	Licensing Agency or State Board:  Please complete this bottom part for the applicant identified above and return the form directly to the Alaska Dietitians and Nutritionists Program at the letterhead address. You may use your state's verification of license certificate if it includes all of the below information.										
State or Jurisdiction:							Original Issue Date:				
License Type:	☐ Di	ietitian 🔲 Nu	utritionist		Other:		Periods of Lapse:		'es	□ No	0
Issued By:	☐ Ex	kam 🔲 Re	ciprocity				Expiration Date:				
1. Has the lic	ense eve	er been revoked, su	ıspended, p	olaced	on probation,	or restrict	ed in any way?		] Yes		No
2. Has the lic		ver been the subje	ct of an unr	esolv	ed complaint, i	review prod	cedure, or		] Yes	;	No
3. Comments	s:										
"Ye	"Yes" Answers  If you answered "yes" to any question above, please attach a detailed explanation or documentation signed and dated by the person whose signature appears below.										
Board Sea		Signature:					Date Sign	ned:			
i  -		Printed Name:					Title:				
   		Email:					Phone:				



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## Letter of Explanation for a Professional Fitness "Yes" Answer

Use this form only to explain and document any professional fitness "yes" answers. A "yes" answer is not necessarily disqualifying but concealing one may be.

Each "yes" answer requires a separate explanation and associated documentation. Submit all relevant documentation with this form, even if you have previously provided it.

- **Explanations** include full details, dates, locations, type of action, organizations or parties involved, and specific circumstances. If the space provided is insufficient, make additional copies as needed.
- **Documentation** includes copies of court orders, charging documents, board or license actions, decisions against your professional certification, satisfaction of consent agreements (fines paid, community service completed, off probation, etc.), and fitness to practice letters (statement from your provider that you are safe to practice if you check "yes" to any of the questions regarding mental or physical health, or drug or alcohol abuse or addiction).
- **Disciplinary actions** may include, but not be limited to, suspension, surrender, revocation, probation, academic probation, reprimand, censure, restricted license, limited license, conditioned license, or letters of counseling, concern, advice, warning, caution, admonishment, or reprimand.

If you have multiple "yes" answers or multiple incidents for any professional fitness question, you must use a separate copy of this form and provide a full explanation and documentation for each incident.

The contents of licensing files are public records. If you believe that the additional information you are attaching to explain a "yes" answer should be considered confidential, state that in the attachment. A request for confidentiality may or may not be granted according to state law.

<	Write the professional fitness question number you are answering "yes" to in the box.						
Location of Incide	nt:				Date of Incident	::	
Explanation of Inc When in doubt, and explain. Make copies as ne	disclose						
Did you attach all	applicabl	le documents associated w	ith this incid	ent?			
Court Order	s [	Consent Agreements	□ D	isciplinary Actions	Charging	g Documents	
Court Recor	☐ Court Records ☐ Fitness to Practice ☐ All Other Documentation Related to This Incident						
I have additional incidents for this "yes" answer, or "yes" answers to other Professional Fitness questions and have attached a separate copy of this form for each incident.							
Full Name:					Program:		
Signature:					Date Signed:		

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Credit Card Payment Form	
All major credit cards are accepted. For security purposes, <u>do not</u> credit card payment form with your application.	t email credit card information. Include this
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License Number (if applicable):	
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08-4438 Rev 12/06/2022 Credit Card Payme	ent Form (all major cards accepted)
1. Credit Card Number:	All 3 fields be completed!
2. Expiration Date:	This section will be
3. Security Code:	destroyed after the payment is processed.