

Board Certification as a Specialist in Renal Nutrition Examination Application



Registration Number

Last Name

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Part C– Documentation of Specialty Hours:

Part C-2: Verification of Professional Experience– For each professional experience, print and enclose the requested information, with the application. Professional experience(s) must be related to renal nutrition and be completed within the past five years. Note that substitution of the required 2,000 specialty practice hours cannot exceed 800 hours, even when combined with an education substitution. Print the requested information.

Specialty Work Experience	Documentation Required	Number of Specialty Hours Documented
Primary author of an article in a peer-reviewed scientific publication <i>(20 hours, maximum per article)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of the article(s) or letter(s) verifying acceptance for publication in a peer-reviewed journal	
Co-author of an article in a peer-reviewed scientific publication <i>(10 hours, maximum per article)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of the article(s) or letter(s) verifying acceptance for publication in a peer-reviewed journal	
Author of a renal nutrition textbook/manual <i>(100 hours, maximum per textbook/manual)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of the title page, copyright page and introduction for each textbook/manual	
Author of chapter in a renal nutrition textbook/manual <i>(15 hours, maximum per textbook/manual)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of the chapter (s), copy of the title page, copyright page and introduction for each textbook/manual	
Presenter at a peer-review national, state, and/or regional scientific conference <i>(5 hours, maximum per presentation)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of objectives and handouts for presentation, copy of the brochure/program agenda for each presentation documented.	
Research– sole or principal investigator <i>(20 hours, maximum per research activity)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of published research article/final summary technical report for each research activity documented	
Research– co-investigator <i>(10 hours, maximum per research activity)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of published research article/final summary technical report for each research activity documented	

Total Specialty Professional Experience Hours Documented:

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Part C-3: Verification of Education– Education from a US-accredited college or university (or foreign equivalent) will be allowed to substitute for some of the required experience according to the following chart (any combination can substitute for up to the maximums). *Note that graduate academic coursework and fellowship hours, even if combined with another degree or specialty professional experience hours, cannot substitute for more than the 800 hours (40%) of the required 2,000 hours of specialty experience. For more information and instructions, refer to the application booklet.

Degree	Hours Substituted
Master’s degree in nutrition, health or education	300 hours
Doctorate Degree in nutrition, health or education	400 hours
Fellowship in specialty area, post RD	500 hours

Name of College/University

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Type of Degree(s), (see above choices)

Date of Degree (mo, day, yr)

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Total Hours Substituted:

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Official transcript enclosed:

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Part D– Candidate Acknowledgement:

Instructions: Print your first and last name in the space provided. Read the verification statement carefully and then sign and date the application. CDR has the right to verify the information presented. I understand that this application does not guarantee any rights or privileges.

Print your first and last name

Signature of applicant

Date

Part E– Final Checklist:

I have read and all of the directions and completed the following:

Part A- Candidate Information:

- All information is complete

Part B- Specialty Examination Fee Payment:

- I have enclosed my payment
- If paying by check, my check is signed and my RD number is written on the check, check is made payable to CDR
- If paying by credit card, my credit card information is complete

Part C– Documentation Specialty Practice Hours:

1. Verification of Employment:

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2. Verification of Professional Experiences:

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3. Substitution of Education Hours:

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Total Hours Documented (minimum total of 2,000 specialty hours documented)

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Part D– Candidate Acknowledgement:

- I have read and signed the statement.

Please note:

- Education and professional experiences used for substitution of the required 2,000 specialty practice hours can not exceed 800 hours.
- Documented employment and professional experience hours must be within the past five years (from the date the application is due)
- Original signature must be included
- If documenting education and/or professional experiences, please check all required documentation is enclosed.