

Continuing Professional Education Activity Types

100. Academic Coursework

Dietetics-related academic coursework, including distance learning, at a US regionally accredited college or university can be awarded CPEUs according to the listing below. Under the activity description in your Step 4: Activity Log, indicate whether the coursework was taken during a semester, trimester, or quarter. Academic coursework must be started after a practitioner becomes an RD, RDN, or DTR and must be completed in your current recertification cycle in order to receive CPE credit. The date of completion of academic coursework can be either the date of notification of successful course completion or the date of the final examination required for course completion. However, the notification of successful completion of coursework must be received by May 31 of the last year of the recertification cycle.

| CPEUs Approved | Course taken for Credit | Course Audited |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 semester credit hour | 15 CPEUs | 8 CPEUs |
| 1 trimester credit hour | 14 CPEUs | 7 CPEUs |
| 1 quarter credit hour | 10 CPEUs | 5 CPEUs |

Maximum CPEUs per 5 Years No Maximum Description for Activity Log

Course Title College or University Date Completed Quarter, Semester or Trimester Credits Earned/CPEUs Requested

Audit Documentation to Retain
Official Transcript

101. Recorded, Online Non-Credit Academic Lectures/Seminars

Time spent viewing recorded online lectures or seminars offered via regionally accredited colleges or universities within the context of massive online open courses (MOOCS) can be awarded CPEUs. You must have official verification of your participation, such as a certificate of completion that verifies that you have completed specified assignments, participatory activities, and evaluation benchmarks.

One CPEU is equivalent to 1 contact hour.

Maximum CPEUs per 5 Years

No Maximum

Description for Activity Log

Course Title
College or University
Date Completed

Audit Documentation to Retain

Official Verification
Of Participation