

# Dietetics

## Key transferable skills

Skills you will obtain in this degree that are transferable across many career options.



RESEARCH AND  
EVALUATION



WELLBEING DEVELOPMENT



SYNTHESISE INFORMATION



PRESENTATION SKILLS



ONGOING LEARNING



COMMUNICATION

## Career pathways

Graduates will be well placed to find employment in a range of roles directly or after further study. Common roles include:

- Clinical dietitian
- Dietitian in private practice
- Dietitian in aged care
- Community dietitian
- Health promotion officer
- Policy adviser
- Food service dietitian
- Food product developer
- Food writing/nutrition communication specialist
- Specialist dietitian
- Nutrition marketing consultant
- Research dietitian

## Major employers

Graduates have found jobs in a range of organisations including:

- Major hospitals
- Community health centres
- Private consulting clinics
- Aged care facilities
- Industry peak bodies/lobby groups
- Public health and local government
- Food and beverage manufacturing companies
- Food and beverage regulation bodies
- Sporting clubs and organisations
- State and federal government agencies
- Universities and research institutes
- Advocacy bodies

Source: LinkedIn Live Alumni, Burning Glass Technologies

## Discipline specific/technical skills

Technical skills that you will develop as part of your course.

- Knowledge of evidence-based practice in dietetics
- Case management/clinical dietetic practice experience
- Communicate/advocate effectively for public health nutrition
- Apply theory and practice of food service management
- Ability to formulate nutrition diagnoses
- Specialist knowledge of food, nutrition and social sciences
- Essential life-long learning & professional development

## Boost your employability



BROADEN YOUR SKILLS



CONNECT WITH INDUSTRY



MANAGE YOUR CAREER



GAIN EXPERIENCE

Being taught by a variety of industry experts from large teaching hospitals provided us with knowledge and information that was far more valuable than any textbook! Placements were a great opportunity to make a good impression and develop relationships with future employers.

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