

Foodservice Systems Management (FSSM- 11 wks) & School Nutrition Education (SNE- 2 wks) Rotations (13 wks total):

Time Allowed	Facilities Allowed	Facilities Not Allowed
13 weeks 11 wks (FSSM) 2 wks (SNE)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Public School District 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ No private or charter schools unless they follow USDA School Lunch Guidelines ▪ No hospitals or long-term care kitchens ▪ No dorms or campus foodservice facilities ▪ No restaurants or spas

Public Health Nutrition (PHN) Rotation (4 wks total):

Time Allowed*	Facilities Allowed	Facilities Not Allowed
2-4 wks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Women, Infant, Children (WIC) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Outpatient facilities (i.e. diabetes, weight loss, and/or renal centers, etc)
2-4 wks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Department of Health at county or state level that administers nutrition programs 	
1-2 wks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Nonprofit or non-governmental organization (i.e. Dairy Council, Beef Council, etc) 	
1-2 wks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ County Extension Agencies 	

*You decide where, how long, and how many facilities you train at for you PHN rotation; however it needs to add up to 4 wks total and you really need to have at least some time in a WIC facility if possible.

Inpatient (IPC- 8 wks), Long-Term Care (LTC- 2 wks) & Outpatient (OPC-3 wks) Clinical Rotations (13 wks total):

Time Allowed*	Rotation	Facilities Allowed	Facilities Not Allowed
8-13 wks	IPC/LTC/OPC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Medical Center (needs a variety of inpatient and outpatient experiences available to be used for IPC, LTC, & OPC; including nutrition support or critical care opportunities; some medical centers have LTC type facilities such as skilled nursing facility or transitional care units all which would count as your LTC time) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Commercial weight loss clinics (i.e. Weight Watchers, Jenny Craig, LA Weight Loss, etc)
3-9 wks	IPC/OPC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Community Hospital (these are usually smaller and <u>may not</u> have critical care and outpatient opportunities) 	

**Inpatient (IPC- 8 wks), Long-Term Care (LTC- 2 wks) & Outpatient (OPC-3 wks)
Clinical Rotations (13 wks total): *Continued***

Time Allowed*	Rotation	Facilities Allowed	Facilities Not Allowed
2 wks	LTC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Long-Term Care facilities, Skilled nursing facilities, or Transitional Care Units (if this is “stand alone” facility your preceptor will most likely be the Foodservice manager; however, you’ll only be doing the clinical and patient care parts of the job, not FSSM) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪
1-3 wks	IPC/OPC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Home Infusion Centers (this can be used as part of your IPC or OPC, but not both) 	
1-3 wks	OPC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Diabetes, Dialysis, Weight Loss, and/or Eating Disorder Clinics (must have a RD as your preceptor at weight loss clinics) 	

*You decide where, how long, and how many facilities you train at for your clinical rotation; however it needs to add up to 13 wks total and you need at least 8 wks of inpatient (IPC), 2 wks of long-term care (LTC) and 3 wks of outpatient (OPC).

Please note your Primary Preceptor for IPC, OPC and PHN rotations needs to have been credentialed for at least 1 year to be eligible to be your Primary Preceptor. By credentialed, we mean having their degree and/or license to practice (such as RD, RN, CDE, MS, etc as appropriate for the job). The FSSM and LTC Primary Preceptor may not be a dietitian and may or may not even have an official degree. That’s okay! It is still to your best advantage to select preceptors that have had at least 1 year of experience prior to you training with them. If you have questions/concerns on this, please contact the directors for further clarification.