The DPD Handbook
for the dietetics program at FSU

For the complete handbook, please go to http://www.chs.fsu.edu/Nutrition-Food-Exercise-Sciences/Undergraduate-Programs/Dietetics/Undergraduate-Dietetics-Information

DPD Program Goals

1. Prepare graduates for careers in dietetics
   Outcome 1:
   Over a five-year period, 60% of DPD graduates will apply to a supervised practice program in the academic year they graduate.
   Outcome 2:
   Over a five-year 80% of those applying to a supervised practice program in the academic year they complete the program will be accepted.
   Outcome 3:
   Over a 5 year period, the pass rate for DPD graduates taking the registration exam for the first time will be ≥ 80%.

2. Retain, and graduate a highly motivated and diverse population of undergraduate dietetics students.
   Outcome 1:
   Over a five-year period 60% of dietetics students enrolled in their junior year will graduate with a degree in food and nutrition within the next three years.
   Outcome 2:
   Over a five-year period 60% of ethnically and/or gender diverse dietetics students will graduate with a DPD verification statement.
   Outcome 3
   Of those students not applying to a supervised practice program in the academic year they complete the program, 75% will apply for post-baccalaureate education or be employed in the field within three months of graduation.

3. Instill graduates with a commitment to community and professional service.
   Outcome 1:
   80% of DPD graduates will have been a member of a related professional or pre-professional organization (such as SDA, TDA, FDA, or AND) prior to program completion.
   Outcome 2:
   80% of DPD graduates will have completed >20 hours of volunteer or philanthropic activities prior to program completion.

Outcome data showing the extent to which the program meets these goals is available upon request.