OHIO CLASSIFICATION SPECIFICATION
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CLASS TITLE:	CODE:
Public Health Nutritionist	65714C
MAJOR AGENCIES: County Offices, Universities	**JURISDICTION:** County, Univ.

FUNCTION: Under general supervision from nutrition supervisor, public health nutrition administrator or other professional health superior, plans, implements & evaluates components of health plans (e.g., Older Americans Act Nutrition Programs), or provides nutritional consultation, orientation & technical assistance to local health agency personnel in assigned geographical area or to personnel engaged in specialty area (e.g., maternal & child health, heart disease, long term care) on statewide basis;

PERFORMS RELATED DUTIES AS REQUIRE

RANK	% OF TIME	JOB DUTIES	MAJOR WORKER CHARACTERISTICS
1	30-50	A - Plans, implements & evaluates nutrition components of health care programs (e.g., Older Americans Act Nutrition Programs, rehabilitation center for industrially injured workers), develops & implements procedures to routinely monitor nutrition components of health care programs to ensure quality & compliance with governmental funding requirements &/or hospital accreditation standards & assists in preparation of grant proposals for nutrition care programs. B - Provides nutrition consultation, orientation & technical assistance to local assigned geographic area, or to personnel engaged in speciality area (e.g., maternal & child health, heart disease, long term care) on statewide basis, identifies nutrition related needs of client population, designs & implements nutrition programs to meet standards & coordinates services with other local programs, clarifies interpretations of nutrition & dietary standards & periodically evaluates programs to determine compliance & recommend changes.	Knowledge of (1) training & development*, (2) public relations, (3) operations of health care delivery systems*, (4) federal & state standards governing nutrition components of health care programs*, (5) dietetics & nutrition, (6) physiology, (7) organic, inorganic & biochemistry; ability to (8) define problems, collect data, establish facts & draw valid conclusions, (9) understand & interpret technical materials, (10) evaluate programs to determine compliance with federal & state guidelines, (11) gather, collate & classify data, (12) establish & maintain good working relationship with local health agency personnel, government officials & public.
2	21-41	A - Plans, implements, conducts or evaluates pre-service & in-service education programs in nutrition & dietary management used by local health agencies, develops educational materials for professional & public distribution & orientates new state survey staff or nutrition students & interns.	Knowledge of 1, 2, 4*, 5, 6, 7; ability to 8, 9, 12, (13) prepare & deliver training & educational materials &/or lectures to health professionals,

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UNUSUAL WORKING CONDITIONS: May require travel.

MINIMUM CLASS REQUIREMENTS: *(including license, if any.)* Be registered or eligible for registration with American Dietetic Association; or equivalent specified by state or federal law.

TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT:

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RANK	% OF TIME	JOB DUTIES	MAJOR WORKER CHARACTERISTICS
		B - Plans & conducts education programs for teachers & health professionals used to provide nutrition education to students, patients & public; trains clinic personnel to conduct nutritional status assessments of infants, children & adults & how to interpret related anthropometics & laboratory data; prepares educational materials for distribution to professionals & public.	teachers & public, (14) interpret anthropometric & laboratory data & conduct nutrition assessments.
3	21-31	A - Periodically monitors & evaluates food services in care facilities; monitors compliance of nutrition components of federally funded health care programs in relation to food distribution & certification records of medical eligibility; conducts research. B - Identifies & documents nutritional problems for assigned speciality area which serves as basis for planning specialized programs or develop standards & guidelines; participates &/or conducts research on relationship of dietary factors to health & prevention of disease.	Knowledge of 2, 3*, 4*, 5, 6, 7, (15) research methods; ability to 8, 9, 10, 11.
4 (890) 123:1-7-17	0-6	Participates in development of state health plans for assigned area; prepares daily activity reports & other reports related to program activities & progress.	Knowledge of 3*, 4*, 5, 6, 7; ability to 8, 11, (16) prepare reports.

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