

# STATEMENT OF SCOPE

## DIETITIANS AFFILIATED CREDENTIALING BOARD

Rule No.: DI 1

Relating to: Definitions

Rule Type: Permanent

**1. Finding/nature of emergency (Emergency Rule only):**N/A

**2. Detailed description of the objective of the proposed rule:**

The objective of the proposed rule is to revise the Definitions listed in DI 1.02 according to current practice in the profession of Dietetics. The Dietitians Affiliated Credentialing Board will also review and add new definitions as needed.

**3. Description of the existing policies relevant to the rule, new policies proposed to be included in the rule, and an analysis of policy alternatives:**

The Dietitians Affiliated Credentialing Board has identified a need for one or more of their definitions in DI 1.02 to be updated based on current practice standards. The Board may also add other definitions related to the practice of Dietetics. The alternative to this project is that the definitions in DI 1.02 will remain outdated.

**4. Detailed explanation of statutory authority for the rule (including the statutory citation and language):**

Section 15.085 (5) (b), Stats., states that an affiliated credentialing board “[s]hall promulgate rules for its own guidance and for the guidance of the trade or profession to which it pertains, and define and enforce professional conduct and unethical practices not inconsistent with the law relating to the particular trade or profession.”

Section 448.74 (1), Stats., states that an affiliated credentialing board shall promulgate rules that “[e]stablish criteria for the approval of educational programs and training under s. 448.78 (3) and (4).”

**5. Estimate of amount of time that state employees will spend developing the rule and of other resources necessary to develop the rule:**

80 hours

**6. List with description of all entities that may be affected by the proposed rule:**

Currently licensed Dietitians and those applying for a license to practice Dietetics in Wisconsin.

**7. Summary and preliminary comparison with any existing or proposed federal regulation that is intended to address the activities to be regulated by the proposed rule:** None.

**8. Anticipated economic impact of implementing the rule (note if the rule is likely to have a significant economic impact on small businesses):**

The proposed rule is likely to have minimal or no economic impact on small businesses and the state’s economy as a whole.

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