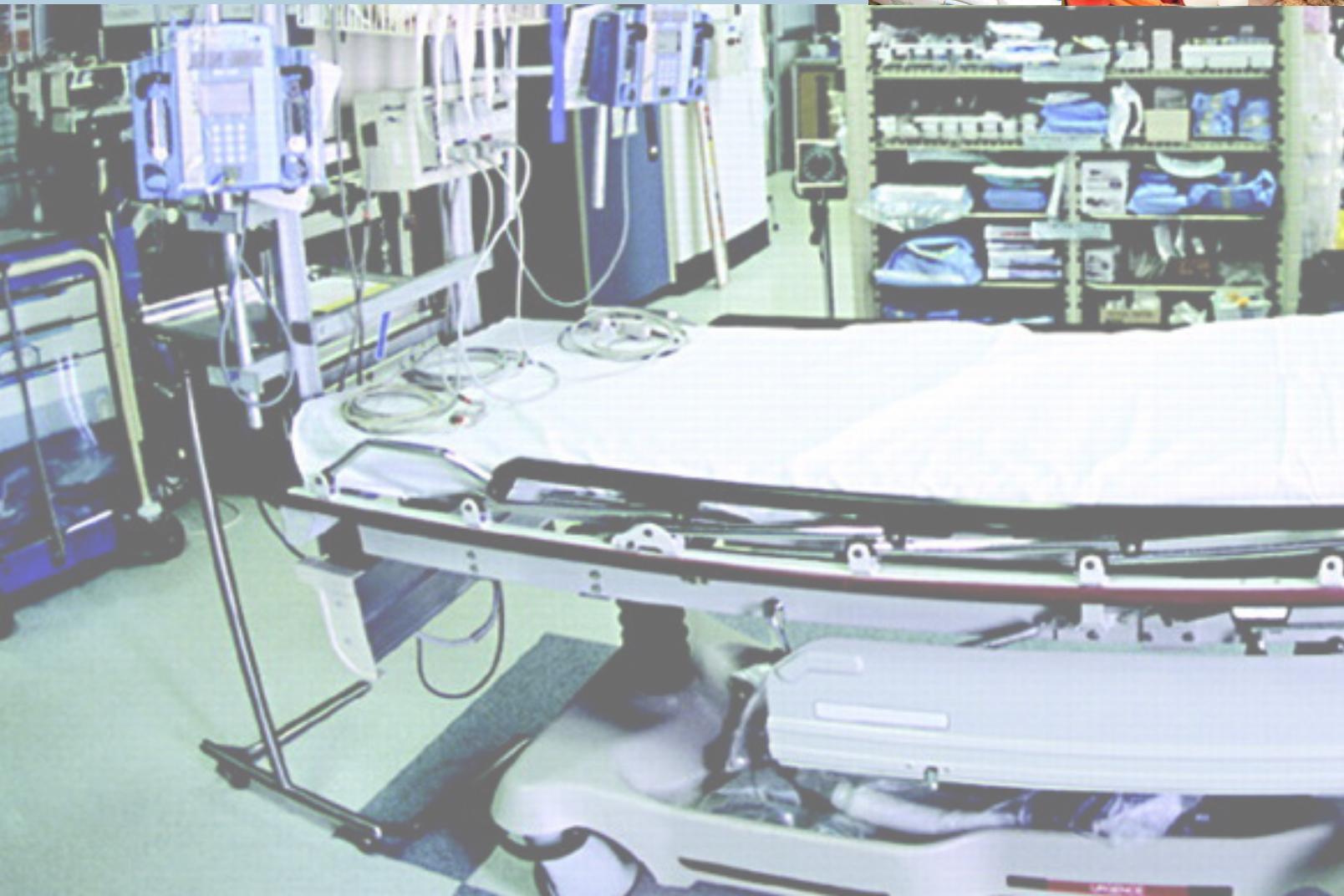




# CERTIFICATE COURSE IN ONCOLOGY NUTRITION

2018

**PROGRAMME INFORMATION BOOKLET**  
IAPEN - Lifelong Learning Initiative





# The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism

## About IAPEN

The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism (IAPEN) is an organization in the field of parenteral and enteral nutrition and promotes basic research, clinical research, advanced education, organization of consensus statements about clinical care and quality control.

IAPEN is a registered charity under Society Registration Act, Government of India.

IAPEN is the additional link to the already existing chain consisting of American Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition (ASPEN), European (ESPEN, BAPEN), Australian (AusPEN), Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition Society of Asia (PENSA) and South African (SASPEN) societies.

### Mission statement

1. To help ensure that those suffering from malnutrition or other nutritional problems are appropriately recognised and managed (adopted from BAPEN, UK)
2. To help ensure that proper nutrition is supplied to children in orphanages, anganwadis and schools, students in hostels and pg accommodations, patients in hospitals, senior citizens in old age homes and customers in restaurants.

### Aim

1. To improve the nutritional care of people at risk of malnutrition, whether in hospitals or in the community.
2. To improve the basic and advanced clinical research and to organize the consensus statements about clinical care and care quality control.

### IAPEN Lifelong Learning Initiative

The IAPEN Lifelong Learning Initiative provides stimulating, congenial, and varied opportunities designed specifically for lifelong learners in advanced clinical nutrition research.

In order to promote life long learning in basic and advanced clinical nutrition and to facilitate the academic pursuits of more number of nutrition support clinicians from the

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educational institutions, hospitals and health care settings, The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism (IAPEN) announces various courses which will be made available in all major cities in India.

For more information, check <http://edu.iapenll.com>

### IAPEN Nutrition Support Certification Board

IAPEN Nutrition Support Certification Board is formed after five years of inception of IAPEN with the help of Expert Nutrition Support Clinicians present in India.

Nutrition support is a specialized practice that requires the expertise of multiple health-care professionals including physicians, dietitians, pharmacists, physician assistants, and nurses. IAPEN Nutrition Support Certification Board credentialing program provides a valuable addition to your professional experience and contributes to excellent care.

The IAPEN Certified Nutrition Support Clinician is certified by IAPEN Nutrition Support Certification Board.

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*Putting patients at the centre  
of good nutritional care*



### **IAPEN Journals**

***Journal of Nutrition Research***

***Indian Journal of Parenteral and  
Enteral Nutrition***

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# Certificate Course in Oncology Nutrition

**The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism (IAPEN, India) announces the Six Months Certificate Course in Oncology through distance learning/correspondance course.**

The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism (IAPEN) is an organization in the field of parenteral and enteral nutrition and promotes basic research, clinical research, advanced education and organization of consensus statements about clinical care and quality control.

In order to promote lifelong learning in basic and advanced clinical nutrition and to facilitate the academic pursuits of more number of clinical nutritionists, doctors, dieticians from the educational institutions, hospitals and health care settings, The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism (IAPEN) announces the Certified Course in Oncology Nutrition.

## About Course

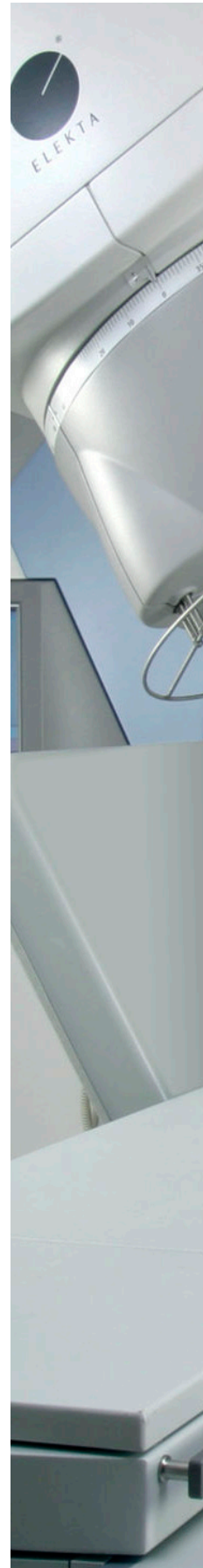
Certificate Course in Oncology Nutrition provides an intensive, evidence-based, self-paced learning program that provides practitioners the latest information on implementing nutrition care in the

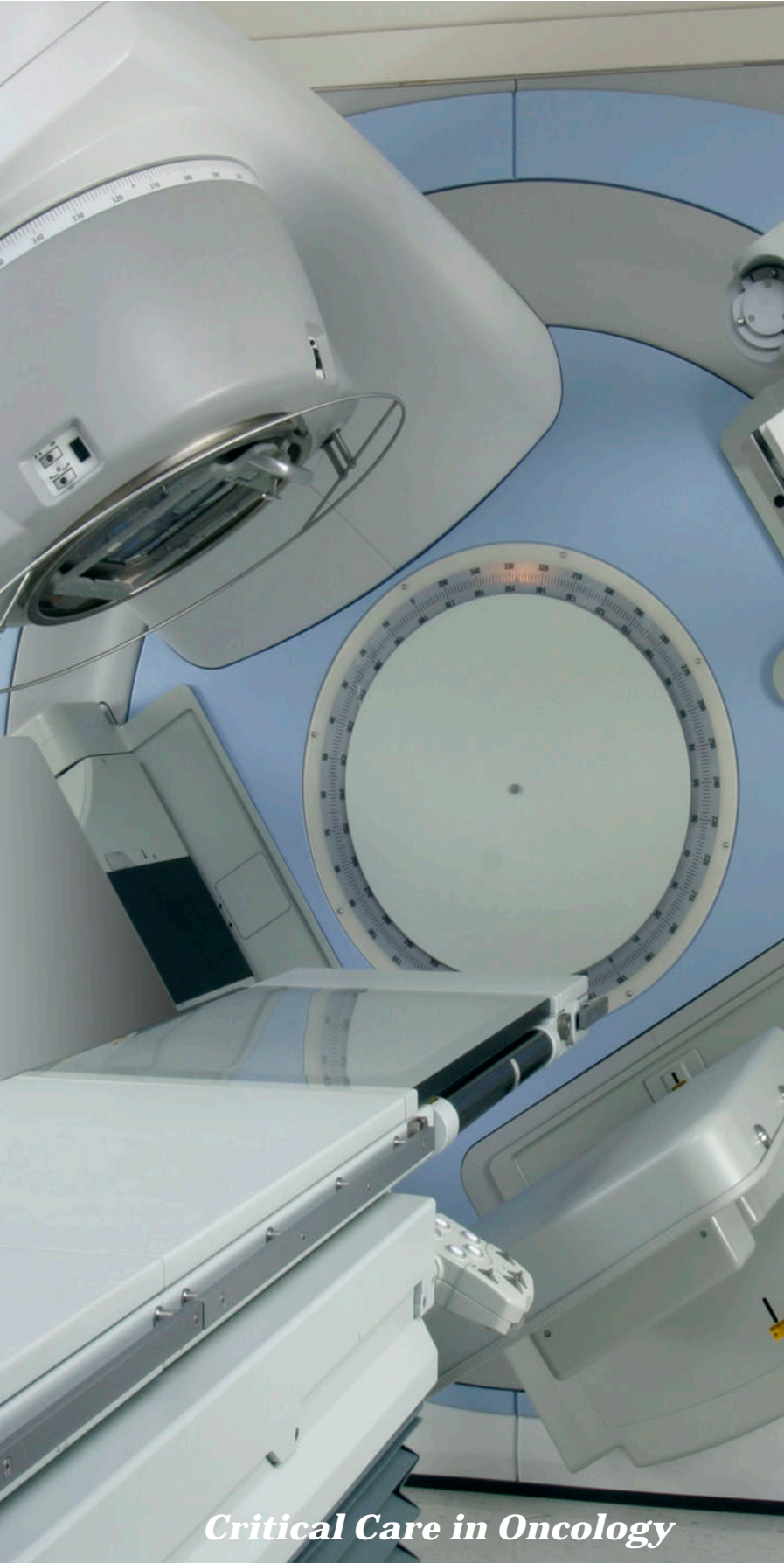
Oncology ICU. The Course assisted by a National Advisory Committee of The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism (IAPEN) and experienced critical care clinical nutritionists and dietitians from across the country, the program provides a balance of background information, current research and practical information of Oncology nutrition.

## Course outcomes

1. An examination of the management of nutrition support therapy in ventilated, Oncology patients.
2. An overview of critical illness, its consequences on organ function, treatments, and effects on nutrient metabolism.
3. Discussions on the use of Enteral and Parenteral therapy, and the benefits and indications for each.
4. An evaluation of the specific issues surrounding selection and supplementation of macronutrients and micronutrients and case studies.

**The Course Duration: 6 Months**





*Critical Care in Oncology*



**Total Modules: 4**

- 1. Nutrition support practice: Challenges and opportunities**
- 2. Enteral Nutrition**
- 3. Parenteral Nutrition**
- 4. Oncology Nutrition**

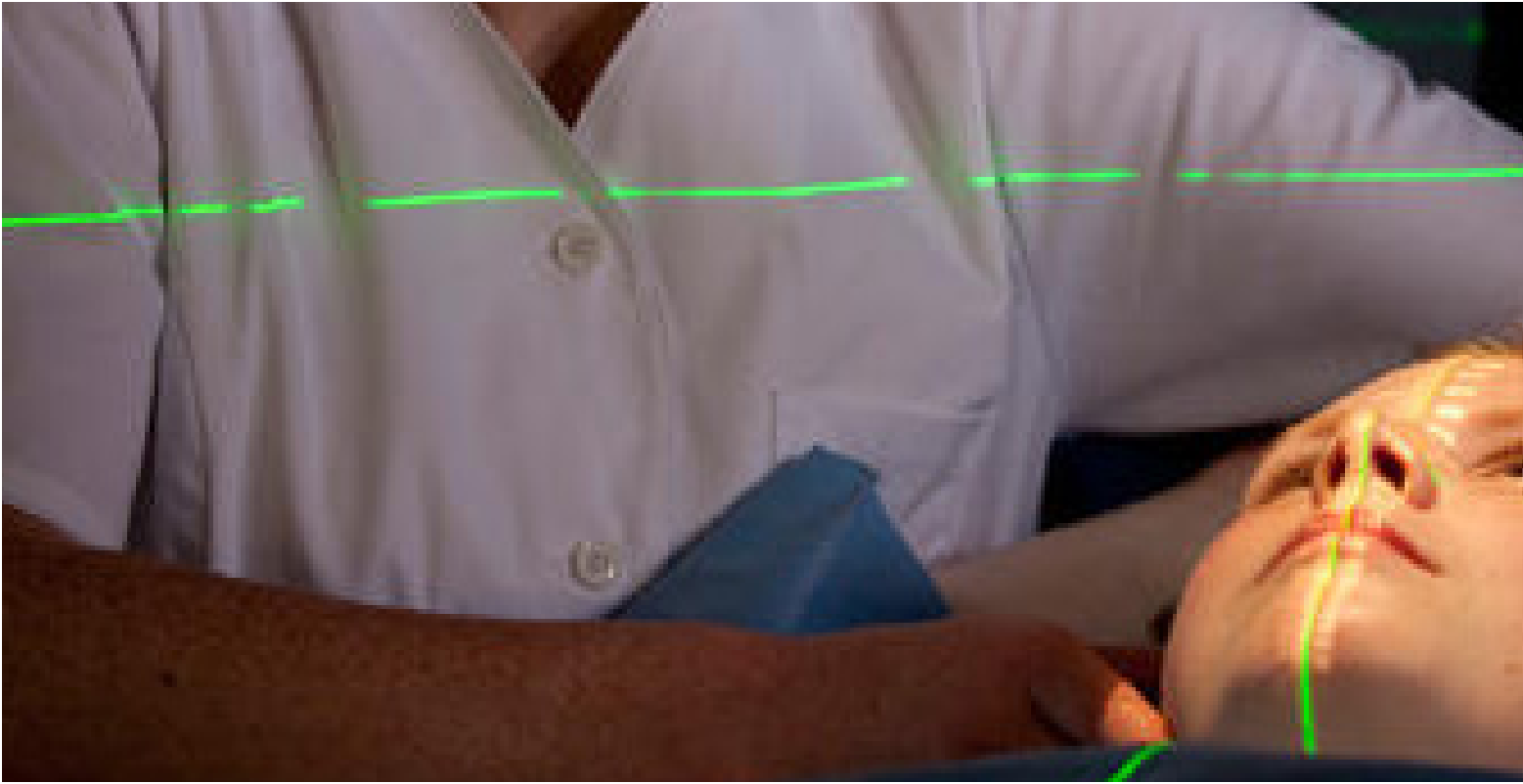
**Module Contents:**

**Nutrition support practice: Challenges and opportunities**

1. Basics of clinical nutrition
2. Nutrition screening
3. Nutrition Assessment
4. Nutrition support: indications and efficacy
5. Ethics
6. Indirect calorimetry
7. Macro nutrient requirements
8. Water and micronutrients
9. Nutritional needs to patients - 1 and case studies
10. Nutrition needs to patients - 2 and case studies

**Enteral Nutrition**

1. Introduction and flow diagrams for nutritional planning.
2. Enteral nutrition formulations-1
3. Enteral nutrition formulations-2
4. Routes of enteral feeding
5. Regimens for enteral feeding
6. Monitoring of nutrition support
7. Nutrition risk assessment
8. Enteral nutrition orders
9. Monitoring
10. International and National Guidelines



## Parenteral Nutrition

1. Indications for Parenteral Nutrition
2. Contraindications for Parenteral Nutrition
3. Nutritional Assessment
4. Venous Access
5. Parenteral Solutions
6. Solution Stability/Compatibility Issues
7. Administering Parenteral Nutrition
8. Complications Associated with Parenteral Nutrition
9. Monitoring and Ceasing Parenteral Nutrition
10. Parenteral nutrition support at home and National and International guidelines

## Oncology Nutrition

1. Introduction to the Nutritional Management of Oncology Patients,
2. Nutrition Screening and Assessment in Oncology
3. Nutrition Support for Oncology Patients, Medical and Radiation Oncology and Surgical Oncology, Nutrition and Cancer Prevention,
4. Esophageal and Head and Neck Cancer, Breast and Reproductive Cancer,
5. Prostate Cancer and Lung Cancer,
6. Hematologic Malignancies,
7. Brain Tumors and Palliative Care, Pharmacologic
8. Management of Cancer Cachexia–Anorexia and Other Gastrointestinal Toxicities Associated with Cancer Treatments

9. Integrative Oncology.
10. Case studies in Oncology Nutrition.

## Eligibility

1. Dietitians and Nutritionists ( Post Graduate in Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics and Food Service , Food and Nutrition and equivalent)
2. Medical Professionals( MBBS and Superspeciality Doctors)
3. Nurses( BSc. Nursing)
4. Others with equivalent degrees

## Basic Qualification and Eligibility

Any Undergraduate or Postgraduate Degree in any branch of education containing “Biochemistry” as one basic subject with laboratory can join the IAPEN lifelong learning courses. The decision was taken based on the diversity of the courses offered by Universities throughout India and to encourage more number of Nutrition Support Clinicians.

People without having Biochemistry basic subject can also join the above courses after writing a written examination on “Lehninger Principles of Biochemistry, 2nd Edition, Albert Lehninger, David Nelson, and Michael Cox, Worth Publishers, Inc., New York, 1992” book.

## How to Apply?

Candidates cannot enroll directly. Candidates have to mail their complete bio-data to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in) for more information about the course. One of the member of Nutrition Support Certification Board of IAPEN should check the bio-data and accept the enrollment of



the candidate. Usually it will take minimum 3 working days.

Candidates can also consult the Regional Officers of IAPEN for more information about the course. The list of Regional Officers is available at <http://iapen.co.in/regional-representatives.html>

### Course Enrollment Dates

The course is offered throughout the year. Candidates can join at any time by sending their bio-data to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in). Fee payment and other details will be sent only after approval from Nutrition Support Certification Board of IAPEN.

### Course Material

The cost for course materials is included in course registration fees. The course material books will be sent to the candidate within 15 working days from the date of payment of registration fee. The course material includes, course information booklet, list of assignment questions, approximate date of completion, required materials as per the module.

### Assignments

The candidates have to answer about 56 questions (Two Modules) in the first two months by referring to the course materials. The answers should be written on A4 sheets and each answer should be minimum 3 pages and each page should contain minimum 30 lines. In case of diagrams separate sheets can be used. If the course material is not sufficient to answer the questions, then other resources like Internet or expert opinion has to be taken. The assignments will help in understanding the Evidence Based Nutrition Practice (EBNP). The learning

experience will improve based on how much time the candidate spends on learning these advanced concepts.

### Project Work and International Publication

The course contains two months project work and publication. The candidates can mail their daily job routine and complete bio-data with list of interested topics to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in) for more information about the project topics and guidance. The project work has to be done only at the workplace and need not require special internship or special training. Guidance will be given for possible completion of project work within stipulated time.

### International Publication

IAPEN encourages all candidates to publish their project work in any international journal indexed by Pubmed or IAPEN Journals or ASPEN or ESPEN Journals.

### Doubts/Clarifications

Candidates can mail to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in) or candidates can also contact respective regional officers for clarification of their doubts. If they need clarification by expert then personal appointment with experts will also be arranged.

### Fee structure

Course Fee : 25550 (USD 950)

The USD rates are applicable to foreign participants.

### Course Duration: 6 Months

## Tentative Dates for Starting the Courses

The course will be open throughout the year and the applications will be considered 14th of every month. Course will start from 1st of every month. The tentative dates can be 1st Jan, 1st Feb, 1st Mar, 1st Apr, 1st May, 1st June, 1st July, 1st Aug, 1st Sep, 1st Oct, 1st Nov and 1st Dec.

## Certification

A course completion certificate and marklist will be issued by IAPEN. The certificate will be recognized by all Sister PEN societies and organizations registered under IAPEN.

## Admission Procedure

1. Apply Online: Prospective candidates can mail to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in) for online application. The application has to be filled along with the Admission Number Issued by IAPEN. Applicants indicate whether they will pursue which Certificate Course are enrolling for personal enrichment.

2. Admission Process: IAPEN's Admissions Team reviews an applicant's expressed goals and assists the applicant with submission of any required documentation, including official transcripts.

3. Getting Started: After transcripts (or certificates) are evaluated, the IAPEN's Admission Team will enroll the candidate and send the required materials to the postal address. Students can submit assignments through postal service. Minimum 2 modules have to be completed for submitting the assignments.

## Attendance

The candidate has to complete the assignments within the stipulated time given at the end of each question. In case of delay in submission of assignments, a request email has to be sent to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in) for extending the date of submission.

Suppose, if he/she fail to submit assignment without prior permission then his/her admission will be cancelled. Fee will not be refunded.

## IAPEN Holidays

The IAPEN is closed on all National holidays or Gazetted Holidays announced by the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Government of India. Any communications to the IAPEN during holidays will be answered on the next working days.

## Academic Information

The Core Team of Lifelong Learning Initiative and Nutrition Support Certification Board, IAPEN primarily serves as the voice for curriculum research and selection, instructional design, course development, faculty selection, articulation, student retention and outcomes assessment.

## Instructional Model

The goal of the IAPEN is to provide a high-quality educational experience to both students and faculty through distance learning using innovative technologies and teaching techniques. The instructional model for undergraduate classes is a modified open-enrollment study track conforming to the following:

- A cohort consists of one student.
- Enrollment is offered 1st of every month 12 times per year.
- Each enrollment has a fixed start date and end date.
- Students are required to submit assignments after completing two modules.
- Students are required to prepare Project Report in a prescribed format.
- Students have to write examination after submitting the project report.
- Respective course coordinators finalize course grades within seven (7) calendar days of course end date and grades become official within fourteen (14) calendar days of course end date.

## Academic Term

An academic term for this six months courses is defined as a 24 weeks. Assignments must be turned in according to the established course schedule. The start of an academic term begins on the published start date of the academic quarter.

## Course Format and Access

IAPEN courses and programs are 100% distance education with no residency requirement. Dormitory facilities, housing availability, and institutional assistance with housing is not offered and does not apply.

## Study Centres

There are many study centres all over India from Delhi to Pondicherry and from Ahmedabad to Kolkatta. We have study center in Assam and Sikkim. Students can approach the study centres for doubts or lab practical's etc. The students have to pay a nominal fee based on the services given by the study centre. For more information about the study centres mail to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in).

## Credits and Grades

The course coordinators are responsible for grading all students assigned to them. The credits will be awarded after completing all course requirements. The examination marks will be in percentage and the grades will be awarded as follows.

- S : 90-100 Marks,  
A : 70 – 90 Marks,  
B : 50 – 70 Marks,  
C : Less than 50 Marks





## More information about Course

The candidate have to complete the first two modules and inform IAPEN by sending email to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in). IAPEN will mail the postal address for posting the assignments to the candidates. IAPEN course coordinator will sent the postal address within 5 working days.

The candidate has to start working on remaining modules and also start literature review for 2 months project work. Candidate can also take help by sending email to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in) for more help and guidance.

After completing the project work, candidate has to try for International Publication with the help of IAPEN.

After submitting the paper, candidate can again sent one request email for finalizing the examination dates and examination centre.

# Grievance

Customer complaints, appeals and grievances in relation to education and training will be handled

by the Ms. Pratibha Sharma, Hon Secretary, IAPEN

## Eligibility

Dietetics interns, B.Sc. food science & nutrition, B.Sc. clinical nutrition, or Basic degree in nutrition with minimum 2 years of experience in multispecialty as dietician. Medical PG, resident doctors, gastroenterologist, nursing staff, pediatricians with minimum B.Sc. Nursing qualification, etc.

**Other Requirements:** Shoult attend atleast one workshop or conference or seminar. More information, mail to [iapenmeet@gmail.com](mailto:iapenmeet@gmail.com) or call to 0091 9986795754 (Dr. Siva Kiran RR, Joint Secretary, IAPEN) or check our Lifelong Learning weblink <http://edu.iapenll.com>.



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Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, India. Pin: 530048

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Website: http://edu.iapenll.com; Ph: 0091 9986795754

Students can use the form below to choose the courses and register. The completely filled application form should be send to The Hon Secretary, The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism, MIG 245, Midhilapuri Vuda Colony, Madhurawada, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, India. Pin: 530048.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: (M/F); Application No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Father/Mother/Gardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Five Passport Size Photographs 

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Name (as you would like it to appear on your Certificate): \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Pin: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone/Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Program Title: **CERTIFICATE COURSE IN ONCOLOGY NUTRITION**Program Code: **IAPENLLON** Study Centre Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Education Qualifications (Attach Seperate Sheet, if necessary)

Qualification	Board/University	College/Department	Year/Grade

Mode of Payment: Demand Draft/Credit Card (Please put tick mark)

I hereby declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

## Instructions and guidelines for filling up the application form

1. Please refer to item wise instructions before filling up the form.
2. Candidates should send their complete biodata to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in) or letter to IAPEN office, for joining this six months Certificate Course. IAPEN office will assign the application number after checking the candidate biodata within 24 hours. Application form without "Application Number" is invalid.
3. Use CAPITAL LETTERS only, throughout the application form. Use standard fonts and avoid stylized writing. Use black or blue ball point pen only. Do NOT fill the application form with ink pen or pencil. Write as clearly as possible. Use a pen with a thinnest possible tip.
4. Overwriting, striking off or erasing in any of the forms may lead to rejection and should be avoided. Any discrepancy in the statement and/or submission of incomplete forms will lead to rejection of application/cancellation of admission. Keep a photocopy of the filled application for future reference. Application number must be quoted in all future correspondence. Write your name in CAPITAL LETTERS as it appears in your 10th standard marks card. Enter the date, month and year of your birth as recorded in the 10th marks card in DD/MM/YY format only. When the number of date or month is a single digit, zero should be prefixed.
5. Study Centre Codes:  
Bangalore - 101; Kolkatta - 102; Delhi - 103; Indore - 104; Vishakhapatnam - 105; Ahmedabad - 106; Chamoli - 107; Phagwara - 108; Tirupathi - 109; Noida - 110; Bhopal - 111; Burdwan - 112; Agra - 113; Chennai - 114; Mumbai - 115; Pondicherry - 116; Dharwaad - 117; Coimbatore - 118; Gurgaon - 119; Pune - 120; Vadodara - 121; Sriganaganagar - 122. Hyderabad - 123; Bhubaneswar - 124; Vijayawada - 125.
6. Applicants are required to submit photocopies of marks cards, certificates along with the application form.
7. Do not fold the form. Do not staple or clip the form with any other enclosures, keep it loose. All marks cards and certificates, if any, must be stapled together. Demand draft must be kept loose.
8. Course Fee : 25550 (USD 950)

The USD rates are applicable to foreign participants.

9. Materials will be send via post to the applicant's postal address within 15 days from the date of payment.
10. The demand draft should be drawn in favour of 'The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism' payable at Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, India or email to [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in) for more payment options.
11. The application number and candidate name should be mentioned on the reverse side of the demand draft.
12. Fees once remitted shall not be refunded under any circumstances.

### Documents Check List:

1. Completely filled Application form with Application Number, Name and other details.
2. Demand Draft mentioning the application number and candidate name on the reverse side.
3. Attested photocopy of the supporting documents about your education qualifications.
4. Five passport size photographs.

The above documents should be send only through Speed Post or Registered Post to "The Hon Secretary, The Society for Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism, Komatipalli Post, Bobbili Mandal - 535558, Andhra Pradesh, India.  
E-mail: [info@iapen.co.in](mailto:info@iapen.co.in); Phone: +91-998-6795754 **(We do not accept courier services).**



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