
**University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics
Nutrition Specialty Residency Program
Information and Application Materials**

Madison, Wisconsin

Madison is a thriving city of 250,000 situated in south central Wisconsin. It combines the friendly atmosphere of a university town with the appeal of a big city, including sporting events, art festivals, farmers' markets, and cultural activities. Madison is only a short distance from lakes, parks, state and national forests, and larger cities such as Chicago and Milwaukee. Publications such as *USA Today*, *Money Magazine*, *Outside*, and *U.S. News and World Report* have rated Madison as one of the finest cities in the country in which to live and work.

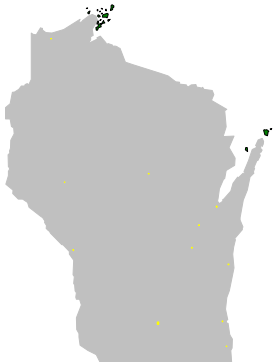
The University of Wisconsin-Madison, with 45,000 students, is one of the largest and most diverse universities in the country. The campus is situated on the shores of Lake Mendota, within walking distance of the State Capital. There are 26 libraries throughout the campus. The Wisconsin Badgers, of the Big Ten Conference, offer major-college football, basketball, volleyball, hockey, crew, and many other sports.



There are 13 beaches and over 150 parks throughout the city. Some of the more popular city attractions include the Henry Vilas Zoo, Olbrich Botanical Gardens, and the UW-Madison Arboretum, with 1200 acres of natural forests, prairies and orchards. There are four lakes, with over 18,000 acres of lake surface for sailing, swimming, fishing, and water skiing. Many major streets have bike lanes to accommodate citizens and students who ride bicycles. On Saturdays in spring through fall, the Farmers' Market takes place on the sidewalks surrounding the capital. With hundreds of vendors, it is one of the largest such markets in the country.

There are several museums and playhouses throughout the Madison area, including the Elvehjem Art Museum, Madison Children's Museum, Museum of Natural History, Madison Art Center, Oscar Meyer Theatre, and the Isthmus Playhouse. The Memorial Union, on the UW-Madison campus, plays host to various events as well. The Dane County Coliseum plays host to fairs, sporting events, and concerts year round. The Monona Terrace, a Frank Lloyd Wright design overlooking Lake Monona, is a 250,000 square foot meeting facility. The annual Art Fair on the Square draws over 100,000 visitors each year.

Madison is within driving distance of many attractions. An hour's drive north is the famous Wisconsin Dells recreation area and the Circus World Museum in Baraboo. To the northeast is Green Bay, home of the Green Bay Packers football team, and Door County, with its old-style charm and bed-and-breakfast inns. One hour to the east on I-94 is Milwaukee, home of Miller Brewing Company and the Brewers baseball club and Bucks basketball. Chicago is only 2½ hours southeast on I-90, and Minneapolis-St. Paul is 4 hours west on I-94.



More information about Madison can be found on the following websites:

- madison.com
- madisonmag.com
- visitmadison.com
- greatermadisonchamber.com
- wisc.edu
- insiders.com

How Do I Apply?

In order to be considered for the Nutrition Residency at UW Hospital and Clinics, you must:

1. Have completed a pharmacy practice residency by July 1, 2011
2. Submit an application packet by January 15th containing the following:
 - Letter of intent. Include the following in your letter:
 - Why do you want to complete a nutrition residency?
 - Why do you want to complete a nutrition residency at UW Hospital and Clinics?

UWHC Nutrition Residency Application (attached)

Curriculum Vitae

Mail application packets to:

Caitlin Curtis, Pharm.D., BCNSP
University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics
Department of Pharmacy
600 Highland Avenue, F6/133-1530
Madison, WI 53792

3. The three persons you select as references should mail their recommendation forms (attached) directly to Caitlin Curtis at the address listed above.
4. Request a copy of your official pharmacy school transcripts; have them sent directly to Caitlin Curtis at the address listed above.
5. Once your complete application packet is received, you will be contacted by the department secretary to set up an interview. You may also contact the nutrition program director, Caitlin Curtis, at (608) 265-1746 or ccurtis@uwhealth.org with any questions about the interview or the program.

Relative to persons of similar background, training and professional interests, how would you rate this applicant for each of the following characteristics? Please place an X under the rating column which best described the applicant.

CHARACTERISTICS EVALUATED	UPPER 10%	UPPER 25%	UPPER 50%	LOWER 50%	NO BASIS FOR JUDGEMENT	COMMENTS
Academic ability						
Quality of work						
Written communication skills						
Oral communication skills						
Leadership skills						
Industriousness and perseverance						
Initiative and motivation						
Problem solving						
Assertiveness						
Cooperativeness						
Ability to organize, prioritize and manage time						
Ability to manage multiple priorities/tasks						
Ability to work with supervisors						
Ability to work with peers/teamwork						
Ability to work with patients						
Dependability						
Resourcefulness and originality						
Willingness to accept constructive criticism						
Personal appearance and professional demeanor						
Commitment to professional practice						
Emotional stability and maturity						
Enthusiasm						
Integrity						

Recommendation concerning admission (check one):

- I highly recommend this applicant. I recommend this applicant, but with some reservations.
 I recommend this applicant. I am not able to recommend this applicant.

Signature of recommender Date

Name (typed or printed)

Title

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