NOW ACCEPTING applications for NEW Dietary Aide Program

Train to become a Dietary Aide in the growing and rewarding field of Nutrition Services! This program will specifically prepare you to work in skilled nursing and assisted living facility kitchens

Training Includes:

⇒ Sanitation/food handling
⇒ Kitchen safety
⇒ Ability to read tray line tickets
⇒ Food supplements/food textures identification
⇒ Patient privacy and confidentiality
⇒ Patient interaction
⇒ Food service
⇒ Teamwork
⇒ Communication skills/stress management
⇒ Conflict resolution
⇒ Resume writing and interview practice
⇒ ServSafe Food Handler Certificate

Participants who successfully complete program requirements will be eligible for a paid internship

This program is offered by Castro Valley Adult & Career Education in partnership with East Bay Innovations

Program Schedule:

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays
9:30 am - 2:15 pm
September 19, 2017 - February 22, 2018

Program Cost:

$2,050
Tuition assistance may be available for WIOA and DOR clients whose employment goals are in alignment with the program

To Apply:

Must be eligible for Regional Center Services. Contact Kerry Principato at 510-886-1000 or kprincipato@cv.k12.ca.us for application and eligibility information. Apply by July 14, 2017

Dietary Aide Employment Statistics
State of CA, EDD, as of 1st Quarter 2016

Dietary Aide projected employment increase of 24.6% (2014—2024)

California Hourly Mean for Dietary Aide in Nutrition Services for Healthcare field is $11 - $13/hour

(see reverse for eligibility criteria)
Dietary Aide Certificate Program

ENTRANCE CRITERIA

Applicants: Please read the following entrance criteria. Then complete and sign the bottom portion and return along with your application. **Recommendation for acceptance in the Dietary Aide Certificate Program is based on the student meeting all of the following eligibility requirements.**

DIAGNOSIS

1. Must have a primary diagnosis of Intellectual Disability, Autistic Spectrum Disorder, or other disabling condition that qualifies for Regional Center services.

GENERAL

1. Must be at least 22 years of age, and graduated or exited from any High School or Transition Program or have graduated with a high school diploma.
2. Must have an active case with Regional Center of the East Bay
3. Willing and able to be travel trained to/from internship site (for eventual independent travel)
4. Receives the necessary home and agency support needed for successful program participation.
5. Able to independently navigate on an integrated adult school campus.

WORK-RELATED

1. Demonstrates interest and commitment to work in the nutrition services field
2. Must be willing and able to participate in a paid internship at the end of the training program (if qualify)
3. Must be able to be served in supported employment in an individual job placement (if job found)
4. Demonstrates the ability to follow directions and stay focused on work tasks
5. Must have sufficient reading skills to be able to read menus and labels with diet/food needs
6. Must be able to clearly verbally communicate
7. Must be able to maintain professional, non-disruptive behavior in the learning environment and a commercial kitchen
8. Must be able to maintain regular attendance
9. Demonstrates basic computer skills
10. Able to maintain good hygiene for a work environment

PHYSICAL/MEDICAL

1. Medically stable and physically able to work as a dietary aide, including:
   a. standing during a 5-8 hour work shift
   b. lifting up to 25 lbs.
   c. operating large kitchen equipment safely
2. Internship will require a completed medical report and TB clearance, verified by a physician.

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