



WELCOME

Thank you for your interest in immigrating to the province of New Brunswick, Canada. We are pleased that you are considering the Atlantic region as a new home and a place to practice in the dietetics profession.

If you are just exploring the possibility of immigrating to Canada or you have already been accepted, this document will give you information and key links. We encourage you to get started today!

INFORMATION ABOUT IMMIGRATING

Find out about immigrating through the New Brunswick Provincial Nominee Program (NBNP) by reviewing this website:

<http://www.welcomenb.ca/content/wel-bien/en/immigrating/content/HowToImmigrate/NBProvincialNomineeProgram.html>

Read about Federal immigration programs, find out whether you are eligible and download application forms at:

<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/immigrate/index.asp>

Some internationally educated individuals enter Canada as Temporary Foreign Workers. This program is designed to meet the needs of Canadian employers but it can also be a first step towards immigration. Here's a link to more information about that program.

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/corporate/publications-manuals/operational-bulletins-manuals/temporary-residents/foreign-workers.html>

BECOMING QUALIFIED IN YOUR PROFESSION

Dietetics is a regulated occupation in Canada which means you must be registered to work as a Dietitian.

To apply to be a Registered Dietitian you must apply to the New Brunswick Association of Dietitians. **You can apply before you are approved to immigrate.**

<http://www.adnb-nbad.com/internationally-educated-applicant/>



If you are a permanent resident of Canada, you may be able to get a loan to help you with the costs of the qualification process. Please see the following websites for more information:

<http://www.isans.ca/employment/for-immigrants/career-pathway-loan-project/>

[Atlantic Immigrant Career Loan Fund \(AICLF\)](#)

LANGUAGE

To work as a dietitian in Canada, you need a high level of English language. New Brunswick is the only official bilingual province where we speak both English and French. You will need to take a language assessment. Consult <http://www.welcomenb.ca/content/wel-bien/en/LivingSettling/content/LanguageTraining.html> for information on language proficiency. You may want to take an assessment and take steps to improve your English or French before coming to Canada. Start as soon as possible! Participate in English or French language classes in your home country.

To apply for immigration to Canada, you will also need to demonstrate language proficiency.

<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/immigrate/skilled/language-testing.asp>

To apply to the New Brunswick Association of Dietitians, you will need to meet the Association's language proficiency requirements.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE LABOUR MARKET

To explore the demand for dietitians and related careers visit these two websites:

<https://www.nbjobs.ca/explore>

<https://www.jobbank.gc.ca/explorecareers.do>

To prepare a resume that meets Canadian standards, look at the following resource:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/services/youth.html>

It is important to include details about your education and work experience, but do not include personal information about your age, marital status, family, religion, etc. Canadian resumes also do not include photos.



FINDING EMPLOYMENT

To immigrate to Canada as a Skilled Worker or to enter as a Temporary Foreign Worker, you may need to have an “arranged job offer”. This is a challenge. These links may help you find potential employers.

<http://www.jobbank.gc.ca/home>

<https://www.careerbeacon.com/>

<https://www.nbjobs.ca/find-a-job>

<https://www.workopolis.com/jobsearch/jobs-in-New-Brunswick-Canada>

<https://www.monster.ca/jobs/search/New-Brunswick>

GETTING SETTLED IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Once you are approved to immigrate, Immigrant Services of New Brunswick can provide additional programs and services to help with employment, language learning and general settlement in the province of New Brunswick. You can start these programs before you arrive.

<http://www.welcomenb.ca/content/wel-bien/en/immigrating.html>

For more information or advice on immigration, please email immigration@gnb.ca and an officer of the New Brunswick Office of Immigration will respond to you.