

# CERTIFIED NUTRITION MANAGER ~ CNM ~

The GOLD STANDARD in the field of Nutrition Management

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# **Certification History**



- CSNM's previous Certification program had approximately 100 members
- Based on our members feedback and through membership surveys, the program has been under review over the last few years.
- Members feel that it is important to have a Certification program, promoting a professional designation
- In May 2011 the CSNM launched its new Certification program





CNM is the approved designation for our Certified Nutrition Manager members

# Jane Brown, CNM



# **Certified Nutrition Manager**



### **CNM** Designation

- Certification designation identifies those members who have achieved an advanced level of Continuing Education
- This designation is only to be used by members who have applied and are approved as certified members
- Certification status must be renewed annually



# **Certification Program**



- Canadian Council of Professional Certification or CCPC Global, are a third-party, neutral certifying body in Canada.
- CCPC certifies many different professional fields such as the

Certified Professional Manager Certified Spiritual Director Certified Nutrition Manager



# **Certification Program**



- CCPC provides recognition to those professionals whose occupational activities meet its relevant criteria
- They endeavour to help and encourage the up grading of standards within Canadian and International professional communities.
- CCPC provides the opportunity for 'Active' CSNM members, to be certified and recognized as a Certified Nutrition Manager ~CNM~

## **Application Process**



Together CCPC and members of the CSNM Certification Committee developed a Certified Nutrition Manager manual which includes the following requirements:

- Education requirements in Core Competencies
- Work experience a minimum of 4000 worked hours must be achieved prior to applying for certification
- Professional Responsibilities
- Code of Ethics
- Current Resume
- CCPC Consent to Release Information
- Supervisor Evaluation
- Specific format Professional reference letters
- Proof of Active membership with the CSNM
- Tracking form for alternate education

#### **EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**



#### How many CE points and how to earn the points.

- 16 Continuing Education points include the annual 8 continuing Education
- Additional Continuing Education points may be acquired through: Attendance at CSNM preapproved seminars, workshops, conferences, webinar, webcasts, exhibits and food shows.
- Active participation on a CSNM or an affiliated Provincial Chapter Committee. A letter will be required from the committee chair person.
- Alternate education completion of courses that have not been pre-approved however meet the CSNM core competencies may be submitted for consideration using the Continuing Education Tracking Form available in the members' only section of the CSNM web site.
- This form must be attached to the CCPC application and / or renewal form.
- Courses / programs required as annual training such as hand washing, WHMIS, food safety do not meet the CSNM Continuing Education requirements.

# **CSNM Certification Continuing Education Tracking Form**



Course Name	Speaker's Name	Length of course	Core competency	Date Completed	CE POINT

Submit copies of / Proof attendance / Information pamphlet / proof of completion / receipts / with the Certification CE tracking form. Keep a copy of all your education for your personal records.

#### CCPC performs periodic random audits.

Name:	CSNM Membership number:	
Signature:	Date:	

#### Core Competencies:

1.0 Professionalism

5.0 Food Service Systems Management

2.0 Quality Management

6.0 Human Resources Management

3.0 Nutrition and Healthy Living

7.0 Financial/Business Management

4.0 Clinical Nutrition

8.0 Marketing and Promotion

The explanations of the Core Competencies can be found on CSNM website.

Please refer to these in order to maintain accuracy of point tabulation.

#### **Your Certification**

## Certified Nutrition Manager Certificate

Upon application approval, you will receive a certificate showing your official certification date and status.



#### YOUR NAME HERE

having satisfied the

Examiners of the Council concerning

professional qualifications and experience

was on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2008 granted

the designation of

#### Certified Addiction Counsellor II

in accordance with the by-laws of the
Canadian Council of Professional Certification (incorporated by
federal charter) and is hereby authorized to use
the designation CACII

Granted under our hand and the corporate seal of the Council at Toronto, Ontario, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2008



This certificate remains the property of the Canadian Council of Professional Certification and must be narrodered when registration onaires or on the request of the disciplinary committee of the Council.

### **Your Certification**





### Annual Renewal Receipt and Perforated Card

Once you have renewed your certification annually, you will receive a receipt with a perforated card showing your certification in good standing for the coming year.

#### **Your Certification**





#### **CCPC Stamp**

Use this stamp on your business cards, resume or in places that promote your certification status.

### **Certification Fees**



- Initial application fee is \$380
- To maintain your certification in good standing, upon the annual anniversary of your certification application you are to provide:
  - Annual proof of achievement of 16 CE points
  - Annual Certification renewal fee of \$115

Note: fees are to be paid to CCPC



### Certification

The 'Gold Standard' in Nutrition Management

# CSNM

The Gold Standard in the field of Nutrition Management

- Personal Growth
- Professionalism
- Recognition
- Industry Standard
- Opportunities
- Skills & Knowledge



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# **Closing Remarks**



- In 2015 the CSNM will celebrate our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary
- The CSNM Board would like to encourage all members to become Certified.





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