

Cross Border Dietetic Practice

Summary of Provincial Registration Requirements for Dietitians in Canada

Regulatory Body	Required to register in client's province? (Yes or No)	Other Regulatory Requirements
College of Dietitians of British Columbia (CDBC)	Yes	A dietitian registered in another province who provides virtual or in person dietetic services to BC residents must be registered in BC.
College of Dietitians of Alberta (CDA)	Yes	A dietitian registered in another province who provides virtual or in person dietetic services to AB residents must be registered in AB.
Saskatchewan Dietitians Association (SDA)	No	A dietitian registered in another province who provides virtual dietetic services to SK residents must: a. disclose where they are registered to the SK client, b. inform the SDA they are providing virtual dietetic services in SK, and c. become familiar with SK laws, regulations, standards and code of ethics.
College of Dietitians of Manitoba (CDM)	No	A dietitian registered in another province who provides virtual dietetic services to MB residents must: a. have successfully completed the CDRE, b. contact CDM prior to providing services and c. disclose where they are registered to the MB client.
College of Dietitians of Ontario (CDO)	No	If a dietitian is physically located outside of Ontario and providing virtual dietetic services to ON residents, the CDO advises the dietitian: a. disclose to their client they are not registered as a dietitian in ON, and b. become familiar with ON laws, regulations, standards and guidelines.
Ordre professionnel des diététistes du Québec (OPDQ)	No	If a dietitian is physically located outside of Québec and providing virtual dietetic services to QC residents, the OPDQ advises the dietitian: a. disclose to their client they are not registered as a dietitian in QC, and b. become familiar with QC laws, regulations, standards and guidelines.
New Brunswick Association of Dietitians (NBAD) / Association des diététistes du Nouveau-Brunswick (ADNB)	No	A dietitian registered in another province who provides virtual dietetic services to NB residents must become familiar with NB laws, regulations, standards and code of ethics.
Nova Scotia Dietetic Association (NSDA)	No	
Prince Edward Island Dietitians Registration Board (PEIDRB)	Yes	A dietitian registered in another province who provides virtual dietetic services to PE residents must be registered in PE.
Newfoundland and Labrador College of Dietitians (NLCD)	No	If a dietitian is physically located outside of NFL and providing virtual dietetic services to NFL residents, the NLDC advises the dietitian: a. disclose to their client they are not registered as a dietitian in NFL, and b. become familiar with NFL laws, regulations, standards and guidelines.

Dietitians who provide virtual dietetic services to clients who reside in another province must be registered in good standing with their College. For example, a dietitian registered in Ontario who provides virtual dietetic services to a client in Nova Scotia is required to be registered in good standing in Ontario.

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