

REGISTERED DIETITIAN (RD)

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I. ISSUE

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II. POLICY

A. A dietitian may provide Diabetes Self-Management Training (DSMT) via an accredited DSMT program when the dietitian meets all of the following criteria:

1. Has received at least a bachelor's degree from an accredited U.S. college or university;
2. Has been accredited by the American Dietetic Association's commission for a Didactic Program in Dietetics;
3. Has passed the Registration Examination for Dietitians as specified by state licensure; and
4. Is under the supervision of a physician who is overseeing the DSMT program.

B. The services of a RD will only be covered as part of a DSMT program. See [Chapter 8, Section 8.1](#).

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