

# Maternal and Child Nutrition Certificate

## *Requirements and Guidelines*

- 15 graduate credits;
- These credits can be counted toward a MS degree in nutrition;
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0;
- No transfer courses or work experience accepted in lieu of credit courses;
- Certificate is officially shown on transcripts.

## *Required Courses*

**NTRN 435** – Nutrition for Pregnancy and Lactation (3 credits, offered fall)

*Prerequisites: NTRN 401 or NTRN 433 or instructor consent.*

**NTRN 436** – Pediatric Nutrition (3 credits, offered fall)

*Prerequisites: NTRN 401 or NTRN 433 or instructor consent.*

## *Electives*

**NTRN 401\*** – Nutrition for Community and Healthcare Professionals (2 or 3 credits, offered online each semester)

*Prerequisite: Graduate standing.*

**NTRN 433\*** – Advanced Human Nutrition I (4 credits, offered in-person fall, online spring)

*Rec. Preparation: NTRN 401, CHEM 223, and BIOL 348, or equivalent.*

**NTRN 441** – Human Lactation (3 credits, offered fall)

*Prerequisites: NTRN 363 or NTRN 433 or NTRN 401, or instructor consent.*

**NTRN 446** – Advanced Maternal Nutrition: Special Topics (3 credits, offered spring)

*Prerequisite: Dietetic intern or instructor consent.*

**NTRN 456** – Pediatric Obesity (3 credits, offered online)

**NTRN 532C** – Specialized Public Health Nutrition Field Experience (1-6 credits)

*Prerequisite: PHN students only. Consent of instructor.*

**NTRN 533** – Nutritional Care of Neonate (3 credits, offered fall at MetroHealth)

*Rec. Preparation: NTRN 435 or instructor consent.*

**NTRN 602** – Special Project in Nutrition (1-3 credits)

*Prerequisite: Graduate standing.*

*\*Students may apply either NTRN 401 or NTRN 433 to fulfill the certificate requirements, but not both.*