

Centralized Application System for Spring 2012 Computer Matching Process

- The program is using the on-line centralized internship application, DICAS, which may be accessed at <https://portal.dicas.org> in December; if needed, e-mail DICASinfo@DICAS.org.

The on-line application must be completed by 11:59 p.m. Central Time on February 15, 2012. The fee to use DICAS is \$40 for the first application submitted and \$20 for each additional application.

- **Official Transcripts from all colleges and universities attended** should be sent to: DICAS - Transcript Dept., PO Box 9118, Watertown, Ma 02472
- Applicants must complete a personal statement in 1,000 words or less. Questions to be addressed in the personal statement include:
 - Why do you want to enter the dietetics profession?
 - What are some experiences that have helped to prepare you for your career?
 - What are your short-term and long-term goals?
 - What are your strengths and weaknesses or areas needing improvement?

When completing the application form, applicants must include the name and an e-mail address for each reference. This will trigger an e-mail message requesting completion of a reference form. The form will be completed on-line. Students submitting more than one application will need to use the same individuals as references for each application.

Applicants must also [register online](#) for computer matching and select dietetic internship priority choices by 11:59 p.m. Central Time on February 15. There is a \$50.00 computer matching fee.