

# Questions for Dietetics Interview—KNH 103

## Questions for all students:

1. What is a dietitian and why do you want to become one?
2. Give me three words that best describe you.
3. What are your short term goals, within 5 years?
4. What are your long term goals, within 10 years?
5. What are your strengths?
6. What areas can you improve on?
7. How do you process new information, internally or externally?
8. How do you handle stress?
9. Do you see yourself as a leader or a follower? Explain.
10. Explain a time when you worked on a team. What was your role and what did you learn about yourself from the experience?

## Dietetic questions:

- Why are you interested in this dietetic internship program?
- What puts you above other candidates for this program?
- Discuss a successful outcome from a volunteer project you have been involved with.
- Do you work better in groups or independently? Explain.
- What is your plan if you do not get this internship?
- How do you plan to financially support yourself during the internship?
- What is your opinion on alternative medicine?
- What is your opinion of bariatric surgery?
- How is the role of the Registered Dietitian in healthcare viewed by other professionals?
- What would you tell a client about the Atkins diet?
- Discuss your diet and how that would influence your client.
- Discuss your diet.
- What was/is your favorite class in college and why?
- What are your concerns about the internship?
- If there were five other candidates from Miami, why should we choose you?
- When was a time you had to be flexible?
- If you were sitting in on an interview with a Registered Dietitian who was interviewing 5 prospective food service employees and you THINK they may be asking some illegal questions, what would you do?
- What are some of your greatest accomplishments?
- You are the last one to luck up the kitchen at night. You notice that there are some dirty pans from the chicken from dinner. What do you do?
- How do you motivate someone to make healthy lifestyle changes?
- How would you prepare a series of food and nutrition talks for the Welfare to Work program?