

SECTION: REGISTRATION PROCEDURES	
SUBJECT: Cross Border Practice	No: R-1-240
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POLICY

Dietitians who engage in cross border practice, must comply with provincial registration requirements and adhere to the regulatory requirements in the province where they are licensed and where the client resides.

PROCEDURE

1. Dietitians who are providing in person dietetic services in Saskatchewan and using the protected titles of dietitian, registered dietitian or professional dietitian must be licensed with SDA.
2. A Dietitian licensed by SDA provides virtual dietetic services to clients who reside outside of Saskatchewan must:
 - a. verify and comply with the registration requirements and regulatory standards (eg. Standards of practice, scope of practice, mandatory liability insurance) of the dietetic regulatory body in the province where the client resides
 - b. ensure the client is aware that he/she is a licensed member of SDA.
3. A Dietitian registered with another provincial dietetic regulatory body who is going to provide dietetic services virtually to residents of Saskatchewan must do the following:
 - a. contact SDA to inform that they are providing virtual dietetic services in Saskatchewan.
 - b. be a licensed member in good standing with a dietetic regulatory body in Canada.
 - c. Become familiar with Saskatchewan laws, regulations, standards and guidelines.
 - d. Disclose to their clients that they are not registered as a dietitian in Saskatchewan.
4. Failure to comply with the requirements as outlined above for dietitians registered in other provincial dietetic regulatory bodies providing services virtually to residents of Saskatchewan may result in SDA making a complaint in that dietitian's home jurisdiction and/or give grounds for SDA to refuse future licence applications due to good character requirements.