ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

OF PRACTICE TUTORS FOR UNDERGRADUATE DIETITIANS

Role

A Practice Tutor:

- Enables students to identify and address areas of practice that require improvement
- Facilitates the fair and accurate assessment of student progress

Responsibilities

Before placement

- Become familiar with student documentation issued by College
- Avail of training opportunities offered
- Meet students during orientation

During placement

- Provide tutoring sessions that are responsive to learning needs
- Document progress from your perspective using appropriate documentation
- Review signed-off assessment forms to ensure they coincide with your view of progress
- Provide assistance to students and educators if Reasonable Adjustments are needed

After placement

Provide feedback to College

Support for Tutors

- Placement team in Trinity
- Tutor-only conference call on the Wednesday of weeks 4, 8, and 12 of placement
- Resources on www.dietitian.ie

