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An Act of Parliament to provide for the training, registration and licensing of nutritionists and dieticians; to provide for the regulation of the standards, and practice of the profession; to ensure their effective participation in matters relating to nutrition and dietetics, and for connected purposes

[Act No. 18 of 2007, L.N. 130/2008.]

Sector: Health

Dear all,

Thursday, July 09, 2020

<u>Instructions to Applicants in Readiness for the July 2020 Online Professional Examinations</u>

All approved applicants for the July 2020 Professional Examinations are expected to have **CREATED AN ACCOUNT** for accessing updates on all examinations procedures.

Anyone who **HAS NOT OPENED AN ACCOUNT SHALL NOT** be able to access and sit for the professional examinations.

The examinations at the various levels of profession are scheduled below;

A. Certificate level applicants shall sit for one paper

1. Nutrition and Dietetics Technician Professional Examinations

B. Diploma level applicants shall sit for two papers

- 1. Paper 1; General paper in nutrition and dietetics for both specialties
- 2. Paper 2; Specialized as per the chosen area for each applicant

Technician Professional Examination (Certificate Level)

- 1. Certificate level examination paper shall comprise of 60 questions
- 2. The examination shall run for 2 hours
- 3. Candidates are expected to take 2 minutes to answer each question
- 4. There will be **NO MOVING BACK** to a previously answered question
- 5. Candidates are expected to answer **ALL** the questions within the 2 hours

Technologist Professional Examination (Diploma Level)

- 1. Diploma level examination paper shall comprise of 50 questions
- 2. The examination shall run for 2 hours
- 3. Candidates are expected to take 2 minutes to answer each question
- 4. There will be **NO MOVING BACK** to a previously answered question
- 5. Candidates are expected to answer **ALL** the questions within the 2 hours

The examinations will be administered online as scheduled below;

Date	First Session	Second Session	Level of Examination Application	Professional Examination Paper
14/07/2020	9-11 am	2-4pm	Certificate	Nutrition and Dietetics Technician Professional Examination
15/07/2020	9-11 am	2-4pm	Diploma	General Paper (Both Specialties)
16/07/2020	9-11 am	2-4pm	Diploma	Nutrition Technologist Professional Examination
17/07/2020	9-11 am	2-4pm	Diploma	Dietetics Technologist Professional Examination

Note to all Applicants; Read the following instructions carefully

- 1. Examinations shall be accessible in the accounts of applicants for 2 hours in two sessions within the day:
 - a) First session; 9-11 am
 - b) Second session; 2-4 pm
- 2. The first one hour before each of these sessions shall be used for preparation.

A candidate shall be required to upload a **REAL TIME IMAGE** of him/her (self) within this first one hour before commencement of the examination.

- a) First session; 8-9 am
- b) Second session; 1-2 pm
- <u>NB</u>; REAL TIME IMAGE is defined as a photo (jpeg format) of the candidate taken within the first one hour of preparation. Any photo taken or uploaded outside this period shall be rejected by the system.

Also, within this one hour of preparation a candidate is expected position him/her (self);

- a) Where there is good network connectivity to run for the entire examination period
- b) Silent environment to sit for the examination
- 3. A **SPECIFIC LINK** shall be sent to the applicant's account and email bearing the examination paper to be done.
 - To access the link in the email, a candidate shall be required to log in to the user account.
 - b) Once the candidate shall access the link to the examination in the account, the examination shall START STRAIGHTAWAY AND RUN FOR THE 2 HOURS ALLOCATED.
 - c) Take note that THE LINK IS USER SPECIFIC.
- 4. Candidates can use a computer or a smart phone to answer examination questions. For purposes of uploading real-time photos before the examination, candidates should use a laptop or a smart phone with a good working camera.
- 5. A data bundle of 2GBs is sufficient to run for the entire examination period.
- 6. Provisional results shall be in real time as soon as the examination paper is complete.
- 7. Consolidated results shall be channeled to the students with 3 working days

Regards

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