**SPECIAL RD EXAMINATION**

**The Special RD exam is being held on Feb 19, 2022**

**There will be only one test paper of 3 hours duration. Following subjects shall be included:**

Physiology, Nutrition, Dietetics, Food Hygiene & Food Service Management

**The paper will consist of 3 sections:**

**Section A**: Objective & Multiple choice Questions (20 marks)

**Section B** : Short answer type Questions ( 20 marks)

**Section C**: Clinical oriented Case Studies (60 marks)

**The candidate is required to obtain an aggregate of 50% marks for qualifying.**

**Last date for submitting completed application forms is September 30,2021**

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**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR SRD**

**Candidates who have attended graduation (full-time) AND post-graduation course (Full time OR by Distance Education) from UGC recognized universities only will be eligible**

The dietician eligible for the SRD examination should fulfill the under mentioned criteria

**[1.1 + 1.2 (a/b/c) + 1.3 (a/b) + 1.4 (a/b)]**

Life Member of IDA (Membership should have been obtained on or before May 31, 2021)

**1.2**

a) Graduate Degree in Food Nutrition & Dietetics  
b) A Graduate in BSc Home Science with Food and Nutrition as a

specialization. The student should have covered a minimum of

four courses out of the following:

**Nutritional Biochemistry, Food Microbiology, Basic Nutrition, Clinical**

**Nutrition and Therapeutic Nutrition.**

c) Graduate Degree with a minimum of 4 nutrition-related subjects like **(i)**

**Basic Nutrition (ii) Biochemistry (iii) Human Physiology (iv) Diet**

**Therapy (v) Clinical Nutrition (vi) Diet in Diseases.**

**1.3**

a) Post Graduate Diploma in Food Nutrition & Dietetics.

b) Post Graduate Degree (M.Sc.) in Foods & Nutrition/Clinical Nutrition/Dietetics.

**1.4**

a) Ten years of experience in a multispecialty hospital as a full-time dietitian

(clinical portfolio only) from hospitals recognized for RD by IDA.  
b) For a candidate with Ten years of experience in a multispecialty hospital as

a full-time dietitian (clinical portfolio only) from a hospital that is not

listed for RD training on the IDA website, a letter of recommendation from

the convenor of local IDA Chapter should accompany the application form.

**INSTRUCTIONS ON SUBMISSIONS**

**Forms have to be filled on line once the examination fee has been paid and all the documents have been uploaded on the website. The last date for filling the application is Sept 30, 2021**

# SRD exam online application form will be active w.e.f August 1, 2021.

# Candidates should register on IDA website with username/password for login.

# Entire process will be online – SRD exam form should be duly filled with all

uploads as mentioned below.

# Candidate should fill the application form only once and with one login ID.

**# Manual forms or documents sent as courier will NOT be accepted.**

**# In complete forms with missing documents will be considered invalid.**

**# Queries for SRD exam will not be entertained after October 31, 2021.**

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**EXAMINATION FEE & BANK DETAILS**

# A Non- Refundable fee of INR 2950 (Inclusive of GST) will be applicable.

# Payment should be made ONLY through NEFT to the account of Registered

Dietitian Board, with the under mentioned details:

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**RD Board Account ECS Details:**

**A/c. Name:** Registered Dietitian Board, Indian Dietetic Association

**SB/Account No.** 315402010579989

**IFSC:** UBIN 0553069

 ECS Details:

**Union Bank of India**

**Anna Nagar, Chennai -600040**

India

**DETAILS OF SUBMISSIONS**

**FOLLOWING SELF ATTESTED DOCUMENTS SHOULD BE UPLOADED WITH THE APPLICATION FORM:**

1. **EDUCATION CERTIFICATES** – DEGREE, DIPLOMA, TRANSCRIPTS FROM UNIVERSITY.
2. A COPY OF IDA **LIFE MEMBERSHIP RECEIPT / CERTIFICATE.**

ID CARDS ISSUED BY IDA CHAPTERS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

1. **PAYMENT PROOF** OF EXAM FEE WITH TRANSACTION ID, DATE &

NAME OFTHE CANDIDATE.

1. **UPDATED EXPERIENCE CERTIFICATE**, JOB PROFILE, DULY SIGNED & STAMPED BY A COMPETENT AUTHORITY OF THE HOSPITAL.
2. **LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION** FROM LOCAL IDA CHAPTER

CONVENOR – **IF WORK EXPERIENCE IS FROM A NON-RD RECOGNISED HOSPITAL**

6) RECENT **PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPH** IN WHITE BACKGROUND.

7) **SPECIMEN SIGNATURE**

**RESULT WILL BE DECLARED 8-10 WEEKS AFTER THE EXAM ON THE** **WEBSITE AND CERTIFICATES WILL BE ISSUED TO CANDIDATES WHO PASS THE EXAM.**

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