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I have the opportunity of working with nutritionists who have studied diligently in their field and continue with on-going education. They bring a unique capacity of working with individuals & help them understand what they are eating and how it affects their health. Diseases are complicated , and many are created due to the American food diet, causing death or disability . With the understanding of anatomy and physiology & the complexity of emotions around eating - they use Nutritional science to guide individuals toward health. This could reduce cardiac disease, metabolic disorders, diabetes & reduce medications. I am a family nurse practitioner.

My nutrition studies were short & sweet. Md's even have less. I have witnessed healthier patients because of the collaboration between the nutritionist & client. I support licensing for qualified applicants.