# Bionutrition

#### Center for Clinical and Translational Science

**CCTS Bionutrition** connects investigators with approved dietary protocols, study planning, registered dietitians, cooks, facilities, and equipment in support of human nutrition studies.



## Study Planning

- Consult on research design and budget
- Data collection and form development
- Assist with participant retention



#### **Nutrition Education**

- Patient education about protocol diets
- Assist with diet prescriptions
- Individual and group counseling



## Nutrition Intake Analysis

- Analysis of 24-hour recall or 3-day multi-pass food records
- Food intake determined by weighing food before and after each meal



#### Metabolic Kitchen

 Meal preparation, packaging, and storage for on- and offsite participants.

## Controlled Feeding Studies

- Provide research menus and instructions for participants
- Design research diets based on protocol needs
- Reinforcement of dietary compliance



## **Body Composition Analysis**

- Anthropometric measurements including height, weight, and body circumferences
- Bioelectrical Impedance Analysis (BIA) to determine body composition



- Partners with the CCTS Clinical Research Unit and CCTS Specimen Processing and Bioprocessing to support bionutrition studies.
- Elevates research operations by engaging the CCTS Clinical Research Support Program.



