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Dental Assisting

DENTAL ASSISTING

Certificate of Achievement / Associate Degree Program

Dental assistants perform a wide range of duties in dental care facilities, from patient care to office tasks and laboratory procedures. Students become skillful at taking X-rays and impressions as well as performing coronal polishing and assisting with an array of dental procedures. The program covers patient preparation, charting, administrative duties and office administrative functions. Students gain hands-on experience during lab class sessions and clinical experience. Upon completing the program, graduates of the program at the California campuses are able to apply for and take the State of California Dental Board examination for licensure as a Registered Dental Assistant (RDA)*.

The program culminates in a Certificate of Achievement or Associate of Science degree in Dental Assisting.



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