

Who should consider enrolling?

Individuals who have the sincere desire, aspiration & the necessary level of commitment for succeeding in a rewarding career & meet the following requirements:

- are at least 18 years old of age,
- have a high school diploma or GED, or succeed in obtaining a passing score on the Ability-to-Benefit test, administered by an independent administrator.
- Attain a passing score on the Wonderlic Entrance (SLE) test (Agency specific).

A personal interview with an Admissions representative to discuss background, career goals, motivation & placement potential is also required. Prospective students also need to sign the Statement of General Health Form.

Financial Aid is available for qualified individuals

Our programs include all books, uniforms, CPR course, certificate / license fees & program-specific equipment (if applicable). Laptop is available as an optional cost item (Agency specific).

We provide Placement Assistance for our students



The American College of Healthcare is institutionally accredited by ABHES for non-degree programs and programmatically accredited by ABHES for the Surgical Technology Program.

The Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education granted approval to American College of Healthcare to operate as an accredited institution under the terms of California Education Code (CEC) section 94890(a)(1) per CEC section 94890(b).

Approval to operate means compliance with state standards as set forth in the Ed. Code.



Your Career as a

DENTAL ASSISTANT I.



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DENTAL ASSISTANT I.

This program is designed to provide students with the basic front office / computer skills & back office skills necessary to qualify for entry-level employment in a variety of dental offices.

It provides an overview of the dental profession, introduce the other members of the dental health care team & explain the legal & ethical standards expected of a dental professional. Students learn how to prepare patients for treatment, take x-ray examinations & learn dental laboratory materials & techniques. They are also taught chair-side assisting procedures, instrumentation, infection control, equipment safety & maintenance & the prevention of dental diseases.

Emphasis will be placed on community dental health research & projects, fluoridation, nutrition / nutritional counseling, visual aids & oral hygiene instruction for dental patients. Students will be able to demonstrate the clinical skills of coronal polishing, fluoride & pit & fissure sealants application. Students will be provided training in the assessment of dental emergencies & their treatment & should be able to identify the medically compromised patient & assist in emergency situations.



CLASS SCHEDULE

MORNING SCHEDULE

Monday	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Tuesday	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Wednesday	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Thursday	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

34 WEEKS 980 HOURS 46 CREDITS

DENTAL ASSISTANT I. PROGRAM COURSES

Dental Science & Bio Medical-1
Dental Science & Bio Medical-2
Preventive Dentistry and Emergency Procedures-1
Preventive Dentistry and Emergency Procedures-2
Dental Chair-side Assisting-1
Dental Chair-side Assisting-2
Dental Laboratory Materials and Technique-1
Dental Laboratory Materials and Technique-2
Dental Radiography-1
Dental Radiography-2
Safety, Regulations & Office Procedures-1
Safety, Regulations & Office Procedures-2
Externship - 1
Externship - 2
Dental Science & Bio Medical-1
Dental Science & Bio Medical-2

