

Dental Assistant O.E.C.

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Minimum Requirements for Dental Assistant Occupational Endorsement: 16 credits

Students must earn a C- or better in each course.

Code	Title	Credits
General University Requirements		
Complete the general university requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/endorsements/#guroccupationalendorsementstext)		
Occupational Endorsement Requirements		
Complete the occupational endorsement requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/endorsements/#occupationalendorsementrequirementsstext)		
Dental Assistant Program Requirements		
DA F100	Introduction to Dental Assisting	3
DA F152	Dental Materials and Applications	4
DA F154	Dental Radiography	3
DA F251	Beginning Chairside for Dental Assistants	4
HLTH F110	Professional Skills for the Workplace	2
HLTH F122	First Aid and CPR for the Health Care Provider	0
Total Credits		16

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Learning Outcomes are measurable statements that describe knowledge or skills achieved by students upon completion of the program.

Students graduating from this program will be able to:

- Demonstrate the skills required to perform clinical chairside procedures, utilize dental materials in chairside and laboratory settings, and capture intraoral and extraoral dental radiography
- Demonstrate knowledge of and apply current infection control practices utilized within the dental practice
- Perform and demonstrate administrative procedures, professional practices, and communication and human relations skills related to the dental assistant job role
- Learn clinical chairside procedural skills for dental specialty practices in pediatrics, orthodontics, endodontics, oral and maxillofacial surgery, and periodontics
- Demonstrate knowledge of advanced dental anatomy
- Apply dental assistant knowledge and skills in a working dental practice