DENTAL ASSISTANT SCHOOL

AN OVERVIEW OF THE 12-WEEK PROGRAM

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→ ABOUT US

Our school was established by a dentist named Dr. Thomas Ince because he found it difficult to find and hire Dental Assistants with proper training. He also discovered that these Dental Assistants were often in debt upwards of $20,000 due to the high cost of traditional training programs.

Recognizing the need for practical, hands-on training, Dr. Ince created an affordable and accelerated Dental Assistant training program. This initiative has since helped over 20,000 students gain the skills needed to succeed in the field, making quality education more accessible and reducing financial strain on aspiring Dental Assistants without any student debt.

02 WHY CHOOSE US?

DENTAL ASSISTANT PROGRAM BENEFITS

FLEXIBILITY

CONVENIENT SCHEDULE

Our convenient classes make it easy to work around your busy schedule. We offer multiple class locations and times, including weekends. This allows students to continue working while preparing for their next career.

ACCELERATED 12-WEEK PROGRAM

Our graduates leave our program confident and enthusiastic about their new careers. We focus exclusively on teaching the skills that modern dental employers seek in the next generation of professional Dental Assistants.

ACCESSIBILITY

FLEXIBLE PAYMENT PLANS

Our program allows students to explore the Dental Assisting field without a significant financial burden. With customizable payment and pre-payment plans, students can begin making payments ahead of their start date, resulting in lower weekly costs. Additionally, our online payment plan calculator enables students to tailor their payment schedules to fit their needs.

EXPERIENCE

HANDS-ON LEARNING

We provide hands-on training in an actual dental office to help you practice new skills and retain information. Learning, and working, in a physical environment provides an advantage when you start your new career.

We also provide each student with Basic Life Support (BLS) certification through the American Heart Association.

REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE

The 40-hour externship portion of our course allows our students the opportunity to work under the direct guidance of experienced dental professionals in a local dental office.

We employ the most qualified and experienced instructors in the area. Each of our instructors is a distinguished Dental Assistant or a seasoned dental professional.

STUDENT SUPPORT

STUDENT ADVISORSHIP

Your dedicated Student Advisor will be by your side throughout the entire program. They will be ready to assist you with any questions, concerns, or challenges you may encounter, ensuring that you have the guidance and support needed to achieve your goals.

STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

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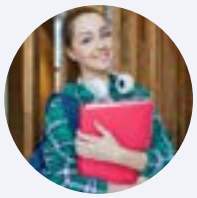

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03 WHAT TO EXPECT

PROGRAM DETAILS

PROGRAM FORMAT

Our Dental Assistant Certification program is 12 weeks long. Students can expect to spend approximately 4.5 hours in class each week. Classes focus on hands-on labs, which take place in an actual dental office setting during convenient weekend and evening hours.

The course includes 7 hours of online learning each week which includes reading, interactive online assignments, and instructional videos. Courses also include reflection questions and weekly quizzes to test how well you retain each lesson.

The course includes a mandatory 40-hour externship to reinforce hands-on learning. We also encourage students to pursue additional volunteer externship hours whenever possible, as many dental offices require or prefer extensive hands-on experience.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

We cover the $95 fee for the Dental Assistant Registration Course and Examination. Passing this exam and registering as an RDA allows our Dental Assistants to take X-Rays. We are one of the few programs to cover this unique benefit.

We also provide certification in Basic Life Support (BLS). Dental Assistants are certified through the American Heart Association. A hands-on CPR course is included in your tuition and in-class schedule.

Upon completing the program, students will receive a Certificate of Completion and will graduate with the knowledge, skills, and experience needed to begin successful careers as Dental Assistants. This certificate recognizes graduates who have met program requirements, passed the clinical lab final exams, and completed their 40-hour internship.

CURRICULUM BREAKDOWN

During the program, students will learn everything they need to know to become successful Dental Assistants, including the following:

WEEK 1:

Students explore the world of Dental Assistant responsibilities, growing familiar with critical fields like infection control, dental anatomy, and the layout of a dental office.

Online Coursework

- **Introduction to Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):** Learn the essential types of PPE and their proper use to ensure safety and infection control in a dental setting.

- **Introduction to Disinfection & Sterilization:** Gain foundational knowledge on effective disinfection and sterilization techniques to maintain a clean and safe dental environment.

- **Introduction to Dental Terminology:** Familiarize yourself with common dental terms and language to enhance communication and understanding in the dental office.

- **Introduction to Basic Dental Tray Setup:** Understand the components and organization of a basic dental tray to support efficient and effective dental procedures.

In-Person Labs

- **Clinical Office Tour:** Learn to identify important areas within a dental office and identify their purpose.

- **Chairside Etiquette:** Discuss the protocol for seating a patient, the proper use and function of finger rests, and the importance of good posture while assisting. Then, learn how to replicate these habits in a live setting.

- **Introduction to Sterilization:** Observe all steps of the sterilization process and memorize the flow for future practice.

- **Introduction to Operatory Setup:** Review the proper PPE, hand washing technique, and operatory set up, tear down, and disinfection, and demonstrate appropriate protocols for each.

WEEK 2:

Add instrument transfer, moisture control, and impressions to your growing list of new dental skills. Explore digital charting in both a virtual and real-life dental environment. Learn the basics of restorative dentistry and radiography.

Online Coursework

- **Introduction to Alginate Impressions:** Describe the necessary components of a high-quality alginate impression, select the proper tray size, mix alginate, and perform an alginate impression on the typodont while wearing the appropriate PPE. Learn to inspect the impression to ensure it has all the necessary components and complete disinfection protocols.

- **Introduction to Digital Charting:** Observe the digital charting platform used in your coursework; describe how to select and add a patient, view the schedule, and locate where to input procedures.

- **Introduction to Moisture Control & Instrument Transfer:** Explain the importance of instrument transfer and moisture control and practice transferring instruments ensuring assistant and patient safety. Perform a limited and full mouth rinse with HVE and saliva ejector, and learn to place and remove cotton rolls and dry angles while wearing the proper PPE.

- **Introduction to Radiography**: Gain an overview of radiographic techniques and safety protocols for capturing and interpreting dental X-rays

In-Person Labs

- **Introduction to Paper Charting:** Identify paper charting symbols, then replicate them on an example patient paper chart.

- **Instrument Setup for Restorative Procedures:** Memorize the restorative instruments, the types of handpieces, and their functions.

- **Finger Rest Exercises:** Recognize the proper technique and importance of finger rest for stability when working in the mouth ensuring patient safety. Practice finger rests on typodont or classmate.

- **Introduction to Radiography & Human Placement of RINN Assembly:** Assess how to assemble the RINN system in the correct orientation and place it on a human comfortably. Place the RINN so that it would capture the radiograph needed for the dentist to make a diagnosis. Repeat what was demonstrated on a classmate.

WEEK 3:

Continue your education in radiography, alginate impressions, and charting. Participate in hands-on labs that teach skills in anesthetics, bitewings, and pouring impressions.

Online Coursework

- **Pain and Anxiety Control:** Explore methods and techniques for managing patient pain and anxiety to improve comfort during dental procedures.

- **Introduction to Composite Procedures:** State the proper PPE needed, the instruments needed, their functions, and the steps of the procedure with the purpose of each step. Identify what handpieces and

burs are used throughout the procedure and their functions, and how to perform adequate moisture control for dentist visibility and patient comfort. Learn which types of matrices are used, how to place and remove them, and which post-operative instructions should be given to the patient before they are dismissed. Practice repeating composite instruments and handpieces with their functions, including how to perform moisture control and instrument transfer during a composite procedure in the correct sequence on a typodont.

- **Introduction to Handpieces and Hand Cutting Instruments:** Understand the different types of handpieces and cutting instruments used in dentistry, including their functions and maintenance.

- **Introduction to Periapical, Bitewing, Anterior, & Posterior Radiography:** Explore more advanced radiography concepts like periapical and bitewing X-rays, anterior and posterior X-Rays, and demonstrations of both.

In-Person Labs

- **Pouring Upper and Lower Alginate Impressions:** Observe how to prepare an impression for pouring, measuring and mixing stone. Observe how to pour a flawless model and how to build a 2x2 base that allows the model to be easily separated once it is fully set, using a lab knife if necessary.

- **Introduction to Panoramic X-Rays:** Understand the proper PPE and barriers needed to perform a panoramic X-Ray, how to maintain patient comfort, and how to ensure the patient is properly positioned while adjusting the pano machine accordingly. Identify why all jewelry or removable appliances must be removed and how to explain what the patient should expect when having a pano taken.

- **Introduction to Anesthetic & Syringe Management:** Identify what PPE is needed, the purpose of topical gel and how to apply it, and the types of needles and anesthetics commonly used in a dental environment.

Explore where injections would be done based on where the treatment is planned, what the sharps container is and where it should be, and the protocol if a needle stick happens. Learn how to place a needle in the syringe, how to place a carpule in the syringe, theimportance of a needle sheath, and how to pass and receive a syringe to/from the dentist. Discover how to properly take a syringe apart and how to dispose within the sharps container. Practice placing topical on a typodont and assembling and disassembling a syringe.

- **Handpiece Review:** Identify the types of handpieces and their functions, the types of dental burs and their functions, and the proper way to attach and remove a handpiece from the dental unit. Explore how to lubricate and sterilize handpieces; practice attaching the handpieces and motors to the dental unit, and how to place and remove burs on each type of handpiece

WEEK 4:

Learn the best ways to manage patient anxiety and various medical emergencies. Explore the specifics of digital charting and review various professional and legal aspects of Dental Assisting.

Online Coursework

- **Introduction to Legal Aspects of Dental Assisting:** Understand the legal and ethical responsibilities of Dental Assistants, including patient rights and regulatory compliance.

- **Digital Charting Conditions & Existing Treatment:** Learn more about various dental codes while you grow more familiar with dentists' digital charting solution of choice. Explore charting conditions, and how to chart existing treatment.

In-Person Labs:

- **Introduction to CPR (performed by certified CPR trainer):** Assess when a person is in need of CPR, follow the protocols for starting and performing CPR; earn a CPR certification through hands-on practice with different manikins in a certified CPR instructor-led course.

- **Introduction to Blood Pressure & Pulse:** Assess whether a patient's blood pressure is within normal limits and when a patient should consult with their general practitioner to address any issues. Learn to accurately take a patient's blood pressure and accurately record the patient's blood pressure in the patient chart. Recognize the importance of taking every patient's blood pressure, independently replicating the steps of how to properly take and record a patient's blood pressure.

WEEK 5:

Learn more about charting specific dental procedures within a specific digital charting solution. Explore more details about composite procedures, finger rest exercises, and instrument transfer. Begin education in periodontal probing and crown/bridge instruments.

Online Coursework

- **Composite and Basic Tray Interactive:** Explore more advanced composite procedures concepts like tray setup, interactive, and procedures.

- **Introduction to Periodontics:** Explore the fundamentals of periodontics, including the diagnosis, prevention, and treatment of periodontal diseases.

- **Digital Charting II:** Learn more about charting planned procedures, including data input and patient data responsibilities.

In-Person Labs:

- **Moisture Control & Instrument Transfer II:** Explain the importance of instrument transfer and moisture control. Practice transferring instruments ensuring assistant and patient safety, and perform a limited and full mouth rinse with HVE and saliva ejector. Learn to place and remove cotton rolls and dry angles while wearing the proper PPE.

- **Finger Rest Exercises II:** Recognize the proper technique and importance of finger rest for stability when working in the mouth and to ensure patient safety. Practice finger rests on typodont or classmate while wearing the proper PPE.

- **Introduction to Crown & Bridge Instruments:** State the instruments, accessories, and handpieces used during a crown or bridge procedure and their functions.

- **Introduction to Periodontal Probing:** Identify what a periodontal probe is, what the probe measures, what is considered a normal measurement, and why it is important for patients to have their periodontal chart updated annually. Learn where measurements are taken on each tooth and how to record the measurements on a paper chart. Practice recording the measurements on an imaginary patient's paper periodontal chart.

WEEK 6:

At the midway point, students learn to apply their knowledge of crown and bridge instruments in a procedural setting. Explore the details of oral and pediatric surgery. Continue your education in pouring impressions and identifying instruments for specific operations.

Online Coursework

- **Introduction to Oral Surgery:** Learn the principles and procedures involved in oral surgery, including common surgical techniques and patient management.

- **Introduction to Pediatric Surgery:** Explore the specialized approaches and considerations for performing dental procedures on pediatric patients.

- **Digital Charting III:** Continue your education in digital charting.

In-Person Labs:

- **Pouring Upper and Lower Alginate Impressions II:** Recall and implement proper impression preparation techniques. Measure and mix stone, pour a flawless model without bubbles or voids, and build a 2x2 base that allows the model to be easily separated once it is fully set, using a lab knife if necessary.

- **Shade Guide & Bite Registration:** Define what a shade guide is and its importance, how to select the proper shade with the proper lighting, what bite registration is used for, and how to properly acquire a bite registration.

- **Introduction to the Speed Gun:** Identify the speed gun, VPS, temp material and their corresponding mixing tips. Practice assembling and disassembling them properly.

- **Introduction to Crown & Bridge Procedures:** State the proper PPE required during a crown or bridge procedure, the instruments, accessories and handpieces used during a crown or bridge procedure and their functions. Explore the proper sequence of a crown or bridge procedure, how to take a preliminary impression to fabricate a temporary, what a triple tray is, shade guide, what retraction cord is and how to place it, and the difference and uses of heavy and light body Vinyl Polysiloxane Impression Materials (VPS) for the final impression. Learn how to fill out

a lab script, how to fabricate a temporary crown or bridge and its purpose, how to seat a temp, how to remove a temp, and the protocol for seating a permanent crown or bridge.

- **Mock Externship Interview:** Confidently give appropriate answers to interview questions that could potentially be asked during an externship.

WEEK 7:

Explore new concepts in rubber dam setup and temporary crowns. Spend considerable time growing familiar with the field of endodontics and different types of cements used across a variety of dental procedures.

Online Coursework

- **Rubber Dam Setup:** Learn the techniques and materials for effectively setting up a rubber dam to ensure a dry and clean field during dental procedures.

- **Introduction to Endodontics:** Gain foundational knowledge in endodontics, including root canal anatomy, procedures, and treatment planning.

- **Introduction to Temporary Crowns:** Understand the principles and techniques for creating and placing temporary crowns to protect and restore teeth before final restoration.

- **Digital Charting IV:** Continue your education in digital charting.

In-Person Labs:

- **Introduction to Permanent & Temporary Cements:** Demonstrate the proper PPE used when mixing cements, identify when temporary cement is used, when permanent cement is used, and how to properly mix them.

- **Introduction to Endodontic Instruments & Procedures:** Discuss the proper PPE required during an endodontic procedure, what instruments and accessories are used and their functions, what root canal therapy is and when a dentist would recommend it as treatment. Explore the ways a dentist would possibly test a tooth to determine if root canal therapy is needed.

- **Introduction to Premolar Temporaries:** Observe and demonstrate the proper PPE needed when fabricating a temp crown, how to take a bite registration, how to put together the speed gun with the temp material and mixing tip, and how to flow temp material into preliminary impression to prevent bubbles. Learn how to place preliminary impressions, how to remove a temp crown for trimming, how to trim the temp crown for smooth margins, and how to check the contacts. Explore how to check the occlusion, how to add flowable if necessary, how to mix temp cement and and how to cement and clean the temp crown to remove excess cement.

- **Trimming Upper and Lower Models:** Identify the proper PPE necessary for trimming models, why it is important to soak models in water for at least five minutes prior to trimming, and how to turn on the water and the trimmer. Learn how to trim a model safely to avoid injury and how to achieve proper angles that should be trimmed for a diagnostic model, ensuring the model retains the ideal thickness.

- **Composite Procedures II:** State the proper PPE needed, the instruments needed, their functions, the steps of the procedure and the purpose of each step in a composite procedure. Learn which handpieces and burs are used throughout the procedure and their functions, and how

to perform adequate moisture control for dentist visibility and patient comfort. Explore what types of matrices are used and how to place and remove them, and what postoperative instructions should be given to the patient before they are dismissed. Practice repeating composite instruments and handpieces with their functions, how to perform moisture control and instrument transfer during a composite procedure, and how to place and remove a matrix band and wedge. Demonstrate the protocols of the assistant during a class 2 composite procedure in the correct sequence on a typodont.

WEEK 8:

Learn more about the fields of preventative dentistry and orthodontics. Explore exposure equipment and materials in radiography and how to add a treatment plan to a patient's digital chart.

Online Coursework

- **Introduction to Preventative Dentistry:** Explore strategies and techniques for preventing dental diseases and promoting oral health through education and clinical practices.

- **Introduction to Orthodontics:** Learn the fundamentals of orthodontic care, including common treatments, appliances, and diagnostic techniques.

- **Exposure Equipment & Materials in Radiography:** Understand the various types of exposure equipment and materials used in radiographic imaging to ensure accurate and safe diagnostic procedures.

In-Person Labs:

- **Upper Impression for Bleaching Tray:** Describe the necessary components of a good alginate impression, how to select the proper tray size, and how to properly mix alginate. Perform an alginate impression on a classmate while wearing the proper PPE, inspecting the impression to ensure it has the components necessary before completing disinfection protocols.

- **Premolar Temporary Crowns:** Recall and demonstrate the proper PPE needed when fabricating a temp crown, how to take a bite registration, how to put together the speed gun with the temp material and mixing tip, and how to flow temp material into a preliminary impression to prevent bubbles. Learn how to place preliminary impressions, how to remove a temp crown for trimming, how to trim the temp crown ensuring smooth margins, how to check the contacts, and how to check the occlusion. Explore how to add flowable if necessary, how to mix temp cement and cement the temp crown then clean excess cement.

- **Posterior PA Radiography:** Identify and demonstrate the proper PPE and barriers required for taking radiographs, how to place a lead apron and why it is essential, how to put the RINN system together in the correct orientation, and the difference between a bitewing and a PA. Learn how to place the RINN with the sensor in place, how to maneuver and properly position the X-ray machine, and how to expose the X-Ray. Evaluate the components of the X-ray taken to ensure the correct teeth are captured, the contacts are open and the apex can be seen.

WEEK 9:

Learn strategies that improve the quality of X-Rays and a patient's experience during the radiography capture process. Review specifics in tooth numbering, surfaces, and composite procedures. Explore more advanced concepts in composite procedures, including matrice use and the difference between restoration classes.

Online Coursework

- **Radiography Exposure Purposes & Techniques:** Learn about the purposes of different radiographic exposures and the techniques used to capture high-quality diagnostic images.

- **Review: Tooth Numbering & Surfaces:** Refresh your knowledge of tooth numbering systems and the terminology for various tooth surfaces to ensure precise communication and documentation.

- **Review: Restorative Vocabulary:** Revisit key restorative dental terminology to enhance understanding and application of restorative procedures and materials.

In-Person Labs

- **Multi-Tip Scramble:** Replicate how to assemble and disassemble VPS and temporary crown material with an impression gun, how to attach and remove the corresponding mixing tips, how to load and unload packable composite with the composite gun, and how to attach and remove the corresponding tips with etch and flowable.

- **Handpiece Review II:** Identify the types of handpieces and their functions, the types of dental burs and their functions, and the proper way to attach and remove a handpiece from the dental unit and how to clean. Learn to lubricate and sterilize the handpieces. Practice attaching the handpieces and motors to the dental unit, place and remove burs on

each type of handpiece, remove the handpieces from the dental unit, and clean, lubricate and sterilize the handpieces

- **Lower Model Pour Up for Bleaching Tray:** List and implement how to prepare an impression for pouring, measure and mix stone, pour a flawless model without bubbles or voids. Recall that a bleach tray model should be "horse shoed", avoiding stone on the tray so that the model can be easily separated once it is fully set, using a lab knife if necessary.

- **Composite Procedures III:** State the proper PPE needed for a composite procedure, the instruments needed for a composite procedure and their functions, the steps of a composite procedure and the purpose of each step being performed. Learn which handpieces and burs are used throughout the procedure and their functions, how to perform adequate moisture control for dentist visibility and patient comfort, and which types of matrices are used and how to place and remove them. Identify when a mylar strip should be used and how to place it, the difference between class 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 restorations, and which postoperative instructions should be given to patients before dismissal. Verbally recall the names of composite instruments and handpieces with their functions and demonstrate how to perform moisture control and instrument transfer during a composite procedure. Explore how to place and remove a matrix band and wedge, and the protocols of the assistant during a class 2 composite procedure in the correct sequence on a typodont.

WEEK 10:

Review the details of coronal polishing, dental sealants, and sealants. Begin education in your upcoming job search, including strategies for optimizing your resume, finding the right positions, and nailing your job interview.

Online Coursework

- **Dental Assistant Job Resources:** Explore resources and strategies for job searching, resume building, and career advancement specific to the Dental Assisting field.

- **Introduction to Sealants:** Learn about the purpose, application techniques, and benefits of dental sealants in preventing cavities and protecting tooth surfaces.

- **Review: Crown & Bridge Trays:** Revisit the setup and organization of crown and bridge trays to ensure efficient preparation and procedure execution.

In-Person Labs

- **Mock Job Interview:** Practice a job interview, discuss questions that could be asked and appropriate answers, learn the proper attire for an interview and confidently be prepared for any future interview.

- **Crown & Bridge Procedures II:** State the proper PPE required during a crown or bridge procedure, the instruments, accessories and handpieces used during a crown or bridge procedure and their functions, the proper sequence of a crown or bridge procedure, how to take a preliminary impression to fabricate a temporary, and what a triple tray is. Explore what a shade guide is and how to select the proper shade, what a retraction cord is and how to place it, and the difference and uses of heavy and light body VPS for the final impression. Learn how to fill out a lab script, how to fabricate a temp crown or bridge and its purpose, how to seat a temp, how to remove a temp and the protocol for seating a permanent crown or bridge.

- **Introduction to Temporary Molar Crowns:** Recall and demonstrate the proper PPE needed when fabricating a temp crown, how to take a bite registration, how to put together the speed gun with the temp material and mixing tip, and how to flow temp material into preliminary

impression to prevent bubbles. Learn how to place preliminary impression, how to remove temp crown for trimming, how to trim the temp crown ensuring smooth margins, and how to check the contacts. Explore how to check the occlusion, how to add flowable if necessary, how to mix temp cement and cement the temp crown then cleaning excess cement.

WEEK 11:

Review dental anatomy, dental instruments vocabulary, and dental technologies in anticipation of your certification. Continue your education in fields like FMX, temporary molar crowns, charting, and diagnostic models.

Online Coursework

- **Review: Dental Anatomy:** Refresh your understanding of dental anatomy, including tooth structures, functions, and their relevance to clinical practice.

- **Review: Dental Instruments Vocabulary:** Revisit and solidify your knowledge of dental instrument terminology to enhance communication and proficiency in the dental office.

In-Person Labs

- **Temporary Molar Crowns II:** Recall and demonstrate the proper PPE needed when fabricating a temp crown, how to take a bite registration, how to put together the speed gun with the temp material and mixing tip, and how to flow temp material into preliminary impression to prevent bubbles. Review how to place a preliminary impression, how to remove a temp crown for trimming, how to trim the temp crown ensuring smooth margins, and how to check the contacts and the occlusion.

Revisit how to add flowable if necessary, how to mix temp cement and cement the temp crown then cleaning excess cement.

- **Review: Charting:** Practice accurately digitally charting the existing and proposed treatment based on the scenario given.

- **Diagnostic Models:** Describe the necessary components of a good alginate impression, selecting the proper tray size, and the technique to mixing alginate. Perform an alginate impression on a classmate while wearing the proper PPE. Inspect the impression to ensure it has the components necessary before completing disinfection protocols. Recall and implement how to prepare an impression for pouring, measuring and mixing stone, pouring a flawless model, and building a 2x2 base that allows the model to be easily separated once it is fully set, using a lab knife if necessary. Identify and demonstrate the proper PPE necessary for trimming models, why it is important to soak models in water for at least five minutes prior to trimming, how to turn on the water and the trimmer, and how to trim a model safely to avoid injury. Explore how to achieve proper angles that should be trimmed for a diagnostic model ensuring the model retains the ideal thickness.

WEEK 12:

Conclude your program with review on dental trays and procedures, along with a review of dental instruments. Participate in final hands-on lessons in FMX, temporary molar crowns, and instrument identification.

Online Coursework

- **Review: Dental Trays & Procedures:** Revisit the setup, organization, and use of dental trays and associated procedures to ensure effective and efficient clinical practice.

- **Review: Dental Instruments:** Refresh your knowledge of various dental instruments, their functions, and their appropriate use in different procedures.

In-Person Labs

- **Final: FMX:** Expose a clinically acceptable FMX while wearing the proper PPE and following all radiography protocols.

- **Final: Temporary Molar Crowns:** Fabricate an acceptable molar temporary from start to finish.

- **Final: Instrument Identification:** Label 50 random dental instruments correctly.

- **Final: Digital Charting** Chart the existing and proposed treatment based on the scenario given.

- **Final: Diagnostic Models:** Take, pour, and trim an acceptable diagnostic model.

- **Verbal Quiz:** Answer the dental questions asked with accurate responses.

WEEK 12 ONLINE FINAL EXAM

(TO COMPLETE AFTER WEEK #12 LABS)

Radiography Final Exam
Textbook Final Exam

40 Externship Hours must be completed and submitted before students are eligible to receive course completion credit.

04 FINANCIAL INVESTMENT

Zero Student Loan Debt

Get the Job. Not the Debt.

We believe that investing in your education should not come with a heavy financial burden. That's why we offer affordable tuition options that allow you to pursue your dream career without accruing student loan debt. Our goal is to provide you with the skills, training, and credentials needed to enter the local workforce and make a meaningful impact in the healthcare industry.

Each student is invited to choose the payment plan that best accommodates their needs.

05 NEXT STEPS

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Here are the requirements for admission:

- **Age:** Students must be at least 17 years of age. Applicants under the age of 18 must submit written permission from a parent or legal guardian to enroll.)

- **Education:** Students must present proof of secondary education — a high school diploma or transcript, or high school equivalency).

- **Identification:** Students must submit a valid driver's license, state ID, or passport as proof of identification.

- **Immunization** Students must provide a copy of shot records, or sign a Vaccination Declination Waiver. Shot records must include:

- **Hepatitis B**
- **Tetanus-Diphtheria-Pertussis (TDP)**
- **Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR)**
- **Varicella**

VIRTUAL EVENTS

Want to learn more about our programs? Visit our website for a list of upcoming virtual and in-person events.

In the meantime, you can catch a recording of our Classic Open House event **right here.**

APPLICATION

Ready to begin your career as a Dental Assistant in Texas? Apply today to get started.

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