



DEPARTMENT OF Office of Administration

COURSE OUTLINE – OA1510 Winter 2014

Dental Sciences Terminology

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HOURS: Contact Instructor to schedule an appointment

PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE:

REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS:

Modern Dental Assisting 10th edition textbook
Modern Dental Assisting 10th edition Student workbook
Guide to Dental Front Office Administration

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION: This Dental Sciences Terminology course focuses on accurate spelling and pronunciation of oro-facial anatomy and dental words, as well as identification and uses of abbreviations, symbols, pharmacological and oro-facial terms for recording patient care. Preventive and restorative treatments are discussed, as well as the tooth histology and development.

CREDIT/CONTACT HOURS:

Mondays : 11:30 – 13:20 Room A 312

DELIVERY MODE(S): Lecture, Lab

OBJECTIVES: Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. Understand tooth development and histology.
2. Overview the dentitions, and tooth numbering systems.
3. Identify common oro-facial anatomy terms and abbreviations.
4. Understand dental words and procedures along with the abbreviations and symbols for recording patient care.
5. Understand pharmacological words and abbreviations commonly used in dentistry.

TRANSFERABILITY:

**** Grade of D or D+ may not be acceptable for transfer to other post-secondary institutions. Students are cautioned that it is their responsibility to contact the receiving institutions to ensure transferability.**

GRADING CRITERIA: Grades will be assigned on the Letter Grading System

EXAMINATIONS:

Assignments	40%
Chapter Exams	40%
Final Exam	20%

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:

Please refer to pages 49-50 of the College calendar regarding plagiarism, cheating and the resultant penalties. These are serious issues and will be dealt with severely.

COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE:

WEEK	TOPIC	CHAPTERS
1.	Oral Embryology, Head & Neck Anatomy, Landmarks of the Face and Oral Cavity	MDA #11
2.	Dental Terminology & Anatomy of Oral Cavity Review	
3.	Overview of Dentition & Tooth Morphology	MDA #8,9,10
4.	Infection Control in Dentistry	MDA# 19-21,23,24
5.	Exam on Weeks 1-4	
6.	General Dentistry, Dental Caries & Periodontal Disease	MDA# 48,13&14
7.	Dental Materials	MDA # 43-46
8.	Endodontics, Periodontics, Orthodontics, & Pediatric Dentistry	MDA # 54,55,57,59,60
9.	Prosthodontics, Surgery & Dental Implants	MDA # 50,51,52,53,56
10.	Exam on Weeks 5-9	
11.	Drugs & Dentistry, Radiology	MDA # 30,31,37,38-42
12.	Preventative Dentistry & Oral Pathology	MDA# 15&17
13.	Review for Final Exam	