

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATION COURSE OUTLINE – Fall 2017

OA 1510 A2 1 (1-0-0) 15 hours 15 weeks- Dental Sciences Terminology

Friday, 2:30-3:20 p.m.

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HOURS: Contact Instructor to schedule an appointment

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.

DELIVERY MODE(S): Lecture, Lab

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

This Dental Sciences Terminology will focus on accurate spelling and pronunciation of oro-facial anatomy and dental words, identification and uses of abbreviations, symbols, pharmacological and oro-facial terms for recording patient care. The course will cover preventive and restorative treatments, as well as the tooth histology and development.

PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE:

None

REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS:

1) Modern Dental Assisting, 10th Edition, W.B. Saunders Publishing, 2012 ISBN 9781437727302



2) Modern Dental Assisting 10th edition Student Workbook, W. B. Saunders Publishing, 2012 ISBN 9781437727289



3) Guide to Dental Front Office Administration, Prentice Hall, 2008 ISBN 9780132194020



CREDIT/CONTACT HOURS:

1 Credit

Friday 10 11:50 This course will run 1 hour each week for 15 weeks.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

Upon successful completion of this course, you will be able to:

- 1. Understand tooth development and histology.
- 2. Describe 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 including:
 - General Anatomy
 - General Physiology
 - Oral Embryology and Histology
 - Head and Neck Anatomy
 - Landmarks of the Face and Oral Cavity
 - Overview of the Dentitions
 - Tooth Morphology

Understand pharmacological words and abbreviations commonly used in dentistry including:

TRANSFERABILITY:

This course is normally not transferable to universities. For further details see www.acat.gove.ab.ca.

GRADING CRITERIA:

Grades will be assigned on the Letter Grading System

Assignments / Attendance 30%
Chapter Exams 40%
Final Exam 30%

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

Refer to the College Policy on Student Rights and Responsibilities at www.gprc.ab.ca/files/forms_documents/StudentRightsandResponsibilities.pdf

STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:

Refer to the College Student Misconduct: Academic and Non-Academic Policy at www.gprc.ab.ca/files/forms_documents/Student_Misconduct.pdf

**Note: all Academic and Administrative policies are available at www.gprc.ab.ca/about/administration/policies/

COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE:

This course will run 1 hour each week for 15 weeks in order to prepare you for your dental office work experience.

Classes	TOPIC	CHAPTERS
1.	Introduction to dentition and tooth morphology	MDA #8,11
2.	Overview of teeth numbering systems and surfaces	MDA #8,11
3.	Review	
4.	Exam 20%	MDA# 19-21,23,24
5.	Dental Caries, Preventative Dentistry, Periodontal Dentistry	MDA#13,14,15
6.	General Dentistry, Endodontics, Periodontics, Pediatric Dentistry	MDA # 48,54,55,57
7.	Prosthodontics, Surgery, Dental Implants, Orthodontics	MDA # 50,56,53,60
8.	Exam 20%	
9	Dental Materials	MDA 43,44
10. 11.	Oral Pathology, Infection Control in Dentistry	MDA# 17,19
	Drugs in Dentistry, Anesthetic, Radiology	MDA# 30,37,39,41,42
12. 13.	Review for Final	
	Final Exam 30%	