

Master Syllabus

DEH 1205 - Lab for Dental Hygiene Instrumentation I

Division: Health Sciences

Department: Dental Health Sciences

Credit Hour Total: 0.0

Other Prerequisite(s): Restricted to Majors

Date Revised: October 2013

Course Description:

General Education Outcomes:

- ▣ Critical Thinking/Problem Solving Competency
- ▣ Oral Communication Competency

Course Outcomes:

Exposure Control Management

Demonstrate effective strategies to reduce occupational exposure in the dental office setting as required by the OSHA standard, by preparing and maintaining patient treatment areas following OSHA standards and the principles of Universal Precautions.

Assessment Method: Performance appraisals

Performance Criteria: 80% or higher on skills assessment

Data Collection and Patient Assessment

Utilizing various dental indices, collect all necessary patient data to formulate an overall assessment of the patient's oral health status.

Assessment Method: Performance appraisals

Performance Criteria: 80% or higher on skills assessments

Oral Health Education and Disease Prevention

Demonstrate the basic principles of oral health education in the development of individualized patient care plans.

Assessment Method: Performance appraisals

Performance Criteria: 80% or higher on skills assessments

Basic Dental Hygiene Instrumentation

Demonstrate the appropriate use of the various dental hygiene instruments in providing non-surgical dental hygiene therapy, while utilizing proper patient/hygienist seating and positioning.

Assessment Method: Performance appraisals

Performance Criteria: 80% or higher on skills assessments

Outline:

Exposure Control Management
Etiology of Periodontal Disease
Basic Preventive Techniques
Data Collection & Patient Assessment
Oral Health Education & Disease Prevention
Basic Dental Hygiene Instrumentation