

## Master Syllabus

### DEH 2402 - Clinical Dental Hygiene I

**Division:** Health Sciences

**Department:** Dental Health Sciences

**Credit Hour Total:** 1.0

**Lecture Hrs:** 1.0

**Prerequisite(s):** DEH 1302

**Other Prerequisite(s):** AND Restricted to Majors

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### Course Description:

Foundations of periodontics with emphasis on periodontal disease progression and classification, etiology of periodontal diseases including gingival disease and periodontitis, assessment for clinical decision making, nonsurgical periodontal therapy.

### General Education Outcomes:

- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving Competency

### Course Outcomes:

#### Periodontal Disease Classification

Describe the system used to classify periodontal diseases.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:** 70% or higher on written exam

#### Periodontal Disease Progression

Describe the progression of periodontal disease from a histological and clinical perspective.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:** 70% or higher on written exam

#### Etiology of Periodontal Diseases

Describe the etiology of periodontal diseases.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:** 70% or higher on written exam

#### Gingival Disease and Periodontitis

Compare and contrast gingival disease and periodontitis.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:** 70% or higher on written exam

#### Assessment for Clinical Decision Making

Explain the assessment process in determining periodontal health status and clinical decision making.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:** 70% or higher on written exam

#### Non-Surgical Periodontal Therapy

Describe the implementation of non-surgical periodontal therapy in the dental hygiene process of care.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:** 70% or higher on written exam

### Outline:

Periodontal Disease Progression  
Periodontal Disease Classification  
Etiology of Periodontal Diseases  
Gingival Disease and Periodontitis  
Assessment for Clinical Decision Making  
Non-Surgical Periodontal Therapy