

COURSE SYLLABUS

DEN 100 Professional Development

CREDIT HOURS: 3.00

CONTACT HOURS: 45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An introductory course designed to prepare the dental programs student to become a member of today's dental health team. Along with basic dental and medical terminology, an orientation to the profession of dentistry, the student is instructed in developing skills necessary for success as a member of the dental health team. Emphasis is placed on professional standards, ethics, assertive communication, empathy training, time management, goal setting and job preparation.

PREREQUISITES:

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:

Upon completion of this course, the student will be familiar with:

Develop skills concerning professional behavior.

- 2. Develop skills concerning positive assertive behavior.
- 3. Develop skills concerning essential methods to be successful.
- 4. Develop knowledge of basic terminology and the dental health profession.
- 5. Participate in all scheduled activities:
 - a. field trips
 - b. group presentation
 - c. class discussion

ASSESSMENT METHODS:

Student performance may be assessed by the following:

- Course Assessment
- Examinations
- One Minute Paper
- Muddiest Point
- Attendance
- Term Papers

GRADING SCALE:

- 93%- 100% = A 86% - 92% = B 85% - 75% = C
- 69% 74% = D
- 0% 68% = E