

Student Catalog Addendum

This revised catalog addendum updates and replaces the Admissions Requirements for the Dental Assisting Program as well as the Dental Assisting Tuition and Fees information and certain prerequisite information in the 2024 Student Catalog.

Admissions Requirements for the Dental Assisting Program

In addition to the general admissions requirements explained by the Admission Procedures list in the Student Catalog, the following additional and expanded admissions requirements apply to all prospective Dental Assisting program students:

- Passing a criminal background check and fingerprinting/drug screening
- Students applying to the program must provide a signed order for x-rays (18 fmx/pano) from their dentist indicating that they may have radiographs taken of them.
- Note: If the above documentation cannot be provided prior to enrollment, it must be provided no later than the end of the student's first module of attendance or the student will not be allowed to continue with their program.

At the recommendation of the Program Director, the President has the discretion to extend the time frame as deemed appropriate in his judgment for providing the above documentation. In such cases the President may require additional information from the student explaining the student's extenuating circumstances.

Schedule of Student Charges, Tuition and Fees

This catalog addendum adds the following information to the Tuition and Fee Schedule in the 2024 Student Catalog:

Modular/Clock Hour Programs	Program Length	Clock Hours	Tuition	Reg. Fee	Books, Supplies & Uniform	Total
Dental Assisting	47 Weeks	940 Hours	\$17,320.00	\$40	\$1,140.00	\$18,500.00

Program Description – Module Prerequisites

This addendum was revised on 8/4/2024 to provide updated prerequisite information for module DA201.

DA201: Essential Dental Assisting Skills and Procedures

80 Clock Hours

This module introduces pre-clinical essential dental assisting skills and procedures. Instrumentation, infection and hazard control, equipment safety and maintenance are covered. Students will practice dental tray set ups for a variety of procedures and specialty areas, assisting with oral examinations, dental charting, and patient treatment records. Additional topics covered include patient management and interpersonal communication. Additional instruction in infection control will be included. This module prepares students for the Anatomy, Morphology and Physiology (AMP) exam. **Prerequisites:** AH100