



Academic Map: Dental Hygiene

Associate of Science (A.S) | 88¹ Total Credits | CSN Degree Code: DH-AS | Catalog Year: 2021-2022 |

Health Sciences Health Sciences Department of Dental Science, Diagnostic Evaluation and Rehabilitation Services

Jobs and Employment Information: <https://www.csn.edu/healtharea>

-Limited Entry Program

DESCRIPTION: The Dental Hygienist is the licensed prevention specialist in the dental health team, providing health education, administering local anesthesia, removing deposits and stains from teeth, exposing x-rays, and applying topical fluoride.

TERM 1 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 16-18

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Min Grade</u>	<u>Milestones and Notes</u>
MATH 127 Precalculus II	3	ACT/SAT or Placement Score	GE Math	C	
ENG 100 or 101 or 110 or 113	3-5	ENG Placement Score	GE ENG Comp	C	
COM 101 or COM 102	3	None	GE Com	C	
SOC 101 Principles of Sociology	3	None	GE Soc Science	C	
HIST 100 or PSC 101	4	None	GE US/NV Cons	C	Mandatory Advising Required

TERM 2 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 13

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Min Grade</u>	<u>Milestones and Notes</u>
BIOL 189 Fundamentals of Life Science ¹	4	ENG 100 or 101 or 113 and MATH 116 or above	Prerequisite	C	
ENG 102 or ENG 114	3	C- or up in ENG 100 or 101 or 110 or 113	SP Elective	C	
ENG 223 or above	3	C- or up in ENG 100 or 101 or 110 or 113	GE Human Rel	C	
PSY 101 General Psychology	3	None	GE FA/HUM/SS	C	Mandatory Advising Required

TERM 3 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 8

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Min Grade</u>	<u>Milestones and Notes</u>
BIOL 223 Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	BIOL 189	GE Nat Science	C	
BIOL 251 General Microbiology	4	BIOL 189	GE Nat Science	C	Mandatory Advising Required

TERM 4 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 8

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Min Grade</u>	<u>Milestones and Notes</u>
BIOL 224 Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4	BIOL 223	GE Nat Science	C	
CHEM 121 General Chemistry ³	4	Chem 103 or CHEM 110 or Chemistry Placement Exam ¹	GE Nat Science	C	Mandatory Advising Required

TERM 5 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 13

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Min Grade</u>	<u>Milestones and Notes</u>
CLS 261 Clinical Micro for Dental Professionals	2	Corequisite: CLS 262	Special Prog Req	C	
CLS 262 App Clin Micro for Dent Professionals	1	Corequisite: CLS 261	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 102 Oral Biology	3	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene Program and a C or up BIOL 223 and BIOL 224	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 104 Dental Hygiene I	3	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene Program	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 105 Intro to Clinical Practice	2	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene Program	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 107 Legal and Ethical Imp in Dent Hygiene	2	CRS 111	Special Prog Req	C	Mandatory Advising Required

TERM 6 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 14

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Min Grade</u>	<u>Milestones and Notes</u>
DH 110 Concepts of Oral Health	2	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene Program	Special Prog Req	C	

DH 112 Oral Radiology	3	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene Program	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 115 Clinical Practice I	3	DH 104 and DH 105	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 117 Periodontics I	2	DH 104 and Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene Program	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 119 Gen and Oral Path for Dent Hygienists	2	None	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 122 Nutritional Aspects in Dentistry	2	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene	Special Prog Req	C	Mandatory Advising Required

TERM 7 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 3

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Min Grade</u>	<u>Milestones and Notes</u>
DH 202 Pharmacology	2	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 203 Special Patients	2	None	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 208 Community Dental Health I	2	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 209 Pain and Anxiety Control	3	None	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 210 Clinical Dental Hygiene II	4	DH 115	Special Prog Req	C	Mandatory Advising Required

TERM 8 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 12

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Min Grade</u>	<u>Milestones and Notes</u>
DH 211 Dental Mat and Tech for Dent Hyg	2	None	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 212 Periodontic Principles I	2	None	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 216 Princ of Dental Practice	1	Admission to the AS Dental Hygiene	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 217 Periodontics III	1	None	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 219 Com Dent Health Field Exp	1	DH 208	Special Prog Req	C	
DH 220 Clinical Dent Hygiene III	4	DH 210	Special Prog Req	C	Apply for Graduation

¹Students who need to complete BIOL 189 and CHEM 103 or CHEM 110 will complete a total of 95 Credits

