

Course Description

DEH 2808L | Dental Hygiene 5 Clinic | 2 credits

DEH 2808L will encompass a continuation of clinical assessment and advanced dental hygiene skills, theory, and current practices. Emphasis will be placed on time utilization, refinement of skills in root planing and ultrasonic scaling, desensitization of selected patients, clinical treatment of periodontal disease with non-surgical therapy and problem solving relating to clinical procedures. In addition students will focus on comprehensive patient care and the use and application of local anesthesia.

Course Competencies

Competency 1:

- The student will demonstrate knowledge, application and comprehension of peer review evaluation by:
- b) Evaluating their freshman peers' clinical performance in a proficient manner.
- c) Evaluating the educational process from the viewpoint of the clinician.
- d) Evaluating the educational process from the viewpoint of the dental hygiene educator.

Learning Outcomes

- *Learning outcome 1* Communication
- *Learning outcome 2* Numbers / Data
- *Learning outcome 1* Critical Thinking
- *Learning outcome 2* Information Literacy
- *Learning outcome 1* Cultural / Global Perspective
- *Learning outcome 2* Computer / Technology Usage
- *Learning outcome 1* Aesthetic / Creative Activities

Competency 2:

- a) The student will demonstrate knowledge, application and comprehension of therapeutic treatment to periodontal patients using a comprehensive approach to treatment by:
- b) Providing adequate assessments and care planning procedures relative to their patients' periodontal condition and related risk factors.
- c) Successfully attaining a grade of 75% and above in their clinical evaluations on scaling and root planing.
- d) Using the patient care plan in order to offer comprehensive treatment with clinical procedures that are evidenced based on the patients need.

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Competency 3:

The student will demonstrate knowledge, application and comprehension of clinic responsibilities for successful completion of the Final Mock State Board Patient by:

- a) Stating the Florida state board patient criteria for the clinical examination.
- b) Selecting the appropriate patient for the successful completion of the clinical final mockboard examination. Criteria are the same as for the clinical state board examination.

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Competency 4:

The student will demonstrate knowledge, application and comprehension of dental hygiene care of the clinic requirements by:

- a) Identifying the need for adjunctive periodontal therapy on the appropriate patient, performing the treatment and re-evaluation.
- b) Taking proper study cast models on a patient and using them as a visual aid for home care instructions.
- c) Completing program requirement of full mouth series radiographs and bitewing radiographs following the A.D.A. guidelines for prescribing radiographs.
- d) One digital full mouth series radiographs or one horizontal bitewing radiographs.

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