



DENTAL HYGIENE (ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE) (02380)

This sample course map does not represent a contract or guarantee of course availability or transfer guarantee, [nor does it replace meeting with a Counselor to discuss your goals and create a custom Student Education Plan](#) designed to fit your unique individual needs.

This plan includes GE recommendations satisfying: [Southwestern College Associate Degree \(A.S. or A.A\) Requirements](#)
[Please see the Southwestern College Associate Degree \(A.S. or A.A\) Requirements for additional GE options.](#)

This plan assumes the student is placed into transfer level Math and English
[Southwestern College Graduation, Certificates, and Degree Requirements](#)

PREREQUISITE: This program requires a special application process and completion of prerequisites courses for admissions consideration. Please see a counselor for more information.

PREREQUISITES

Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
BIOL 260	Human Anatomy (Prerequisite: BIOL 100 & 101 or equivalent)	4	PR, GE B
BIOL 261	Principles of Human Physiology (Prerequisite: BIOL 260 & CHEM 100 or CHEM 102 or CHEM 170 or equivalent)	4	PR
BIOL 265	General Microbiology (Prerequisite: BIOL 100 & BIOL 101 & CHEM 100 or CHEM 102 or CHEM 170 or equivalent)	4	PR
CHEM 100 or CHEM 170	Introduction to General Chemistry or Preparation for General Chemistry (Prerequisite: Math 45 or Math 72)	4	PR
CHEM 102 or CHEM 110	Elementary Organic and Biological Chemistry (Prerequisite: Math 45 or CHEM 100/CHEM 102/CHEM 170)	4	PR
ADN 140 or ENGL 115 or 115H	Reading and Composition for Allied Health Occupations or College Composition: Reading and Writing Analytically	4	PR, GE A1
MATH 60 or higher numbered math course	Intermediate Algebra I or a higher numbered math course	4	PR, GE A2
COMM 103 or COMM 104 or COMM 174 or COMM 176	Oral Communication or Public Speaking or Interpersonal Communication or Intercultural Communication	3	PR
PSYC 101	General Psychology	3	PR, GE D
HLTH 204	Fundamentals of Nutrition	3	PR
SOC 101 or SOC 110	Introduction to Sociology or Contemporary Social Problems	3	PR
ANY GE C	ANY GE C (Recommended before starting the program)	3	GE C
TOTAL UNITS		43	

1ST SEMESTER

Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
DH 114	Head and Neck Anatomy	2	M

DH 101	Introduction to Clinical Concepts	2	M
DH 123	Oral Anatomy and Physiology	2	M
DH 124	Oral Embryology and Histology	2	M
DH 108	Introduction to Clinic Practice	2.5	M
DH 109	Dental Radiography	3	M
DH 125	Oral Health	2	M
TOTAL UNITS		14.5	

2ND SEMESTER

Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
DH 112	Clinic I	4	M
DH 115	Periodontics	2	M
DH 121	Pain Control	2	M
DH 113A	Clinical Concepts 1	1	M
DH 203	Pathology	2	M
DH 206	Dental Pharmacology	2	M
TOTAL UNITS		13	

2ND SUMMER SESSION

Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
DH118	Transitional Clinic (Summer Session)	1.5	M
TOTAL UNITS		1.5	

3RD SEMESTER

Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
DH 122	Clinic I	4	M
DH 200A	Community Dental Health I	2	M
DH 205	Advanced Periodontics	2	M
DH 113B	Clinical Concepts II	1	M
DH 106	Special Need Patient Care	2	M
DH 116	Dental Materials	2	M
TOTAL UNITS		13	

4TH SEMESTER

Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
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DH 113C	Clinical Concepts III	1	M
DH 200B	Community Dental Health II	2	M
DH 202	Clinic III	4	M
DH 211	Ethics and Jurisprudence	2	M
DH 214	Seminar	2	M
TOTAL UNITS		11	

Requirement Codes:

M: Major Requirement

GE: General Education Requirement

GE Content Areas: A1, A2, B, C, D, OTHER (If needed):

E: Elective

This map is based off of the 19/20 Catalog year and is subject to change each year.