



FUNDAMENTALS OF DENTAL ASSISTING
STUDENT INFORMATION SHEET

Students are required to successfully complete one hundred (100) hours of classroom and skills lab instruction and nine hours of independent observation in a dental office (a separate dental office if currently employed by a dentist). This course meets the requirements of the Idaho Division of Career Technical Education and is a pre-requisite to the Dental Assisting EXPANDED FUNCTIONS courses.

COURSE FEES

- Class fee
Healthcare Provider CPR:
Lab jacket - Will discuss specifics in course orientation
Course textbook (*required)
Workbook (*required)

APPROXIMATE COSTS:

Fees are subject to change without notice
\$500
\$59 (\$42 refresher)
\$30
\$145 new & \$ 109 used
\$59

Textbook: *Essentials of Dental Assisting (6th edition) by Doni Bird and Debbie Robinson. ISBN: 9780323400640
Workbook: Student Workbook for Essentials of Dental Assisting 6th Edition ISBN: 9780323400657 Available at ISU Bookstore 282-3237. Note: other options as well as e-book and book rental may be available for the textbook and workbook.

COURSE DAYS/HOURS: 6:00-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays and two Saturdays (9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.). The Saturday dates will be identified the first day of class.

FIRST DAY OF CLASS: Please be prompt as orientation to course is in the first hour. Testing, immunizations, CPR, and options for lab jacket will be discussed.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

ATTENDANCE: Students are allowed up to 12 hours of missed class time with 100% make-up required. Students need to make necessary arrangements to avoid conflicts with the course dates/times (work, other classes, etc.).

CPR: Prior to the end of the course, each student shall have current certification of AHA BLS Provider CPR. Visit http://cetrain.isu.edu/ or call (208) 282-3372 for CPR class dates.

DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS:

Reasonable accommodations can be made for those who have a documented disability, which may affect performance in class. Unless we receive written notification from the ISU Disability Services Office at 282-3599 within one week after the beginning of class, we may not be able to assist in a timely and appropriate manner. The center can provide specific information on procedures.