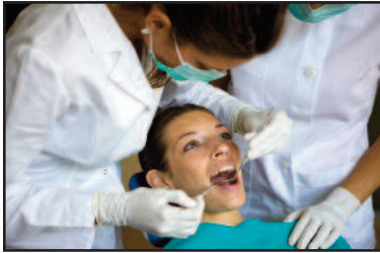


EXPANDED DUTY DENTAL ASSISTING

A comprehensive course to expand your skills and increase your earning potential.



This course provides advanced training and skills to individuals who are currently trained as Dental Assistants. This specialized training will enhance your knowledge in chairside assisting and expand your employment opportunities.

This didactic and laboratory experience will include:

- Understand terminology, morphology, and occlusion
- Identify various cavity classifications
- Preparation and placement of dental dam
- Assembly and placement of matrices and wedges
- Packing, carving, finishing, and polishing amalgams & composite restorations
- Proper elastomeric impression techniques
- Creation of provisional crowns and bridges

PREREQUISITE

All participants must be currently employed as a chairside dental assistant and have a minimum of one year full time chairside employment completed.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

All students are required to wear appropriate PPE during ALL laboratory exercises (gloves, face masks, lab coats, protective eyewear and closed shoes). Failure to do so will result in dismissal from class, which will result in not receiving your certificate. Students will provide their own protective eyewear and lab coats. No artificial, long or polished nails are allowed.

ATTENDANCE & PARTICIPATION

Participants **MUST** attend ALL classes as time is scheduled. **ANY ABSENCES, LATE ARRIVALS OR EARLY DISMISSALS WILL RESULT IN NOT RECEIVING A CERTIFICATE FOR THIS CLASS.**

GRADING COMPONENTS

Grades will be based upon class participation and successful completion of hands-on proficiencies for each class of restoration including posture and proper use and placement of armamentarium.

Class hours

Wednesday and Thursday evenings from
5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. (times will vary)

Course length: 1 Quarter

Courses required:

DEA 275 Special Topics: Expanded Duty Dental Assisting
Expanded Duty Dental Assisting Certificate
Total: Clock Hours: 30 Credit Hours: 2

Please visit www.pickenstech.org to view our catalog online for course descriptions.

Estimated cost (EDDA)

Estimated Tuition**:

Expanded Duty Dental Assisting: \$240.00

Program fees: \$125.00/semester*

Student ID Fee: \$5.00

Material & Supply Fee: \$225.00

Books: \$30.50 (plus tax)

Estimated Total: \$625.50 (plus tax)

Optional:

Safety Glasses: \$3.00 (plus tax)

Additional costs and fees may apply. All books, kits & supply costs are estimated. Please contact our Advising Department (303)344-4910, ext 27909 or ext 27935.

This program is not eligible for any Financial Aid. Please call (303)344-4910, ext 27797 for payment options.