



Dental Assistant/RDA Eligible

Federal Financial Aid available for those who qualify.

LOCATION	TIME	DAYS	TERM	CLOCK HOURS	FEE*
Don F. Kenny Regional Learning Center, Branch Campus, 47-336 Oasis Street, Indio, CA 92201	8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	T-F	34 weeks	1,001	\$16,500
Grindstaff Center II Extension Campus, 9825 County Farm Road, Riverside, CA 92503	8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	T-F	34 weeks	1,001	\$16,500

**Program fee DOES NOT include enrollment prerequisites, immunizations, health clearances, program requirements, or required materials. *Externship hours vary depending upon sites. *Schedules and fees are subject to change without notice. Taking this course does not guarantee a job.*

Where would I work?

- General, specialty, hospital facility.
- Dental supply and lab Company.
- Dental school.
- County public health office.
- College & specialty schools.
- Consulting, finance, or insurance firm.

MEDIAN 2020 WAGES*		
	Hourly	Annually
California	\$20.46	\$42,562
Inland Empire	\$17.97	\$37,381
*Data based upon Occupation Employment Statistics (OES) Survey Results for Dental Assistants in California: www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov		
Completion, Placement, and Licensure available on website at www.riversidesce.org		

Course Description:

This course prepares students to successfully meet the license requirements and pass the Dental Board of California registered dental assistant exam and is recognized by the Dental Board of California as a fully approved Registered Dental Assistant Program. During this course, students will be provided with quality training and instruction by experienced dental professionals who are certified educators in the Health Science and Medical Technology industry. This course is designed to give students real-life clinical experiences while working with patients and dental staff members. During these experiences, students will be guided and supervised as they learn to employ the techniques and skills they learn throughout the course. This course also provides clinical training to enforce students' success. Upon completion of the course, students will have the skills and knowledge to work in the dental industry and have a career as a clinical dental assistant; dental front-office business assistant including financial coordinator, schedule coordinator, treatment coordinator; dental x-ray technician; or dental supplies manufacturer representative. In addition, this course offers AHA BLS Healthcare Provider CPR certification.

Admission Requirements:

- Official high school or equivalent transcript.
- Successful completion of required assessment.
- Current government-issued photo ID.
- Social security card or right to work documentation.

Program Requirements:

- Maintain a minimum 76% grade-point average and a 93% attendance rate.
- Basic keyboarding and computer skills to facilitate learning of software.
- Internship included in program.
- Fingerprinting and background check may be required.

Included in the Cost of Program Fees:

- Textbooks.
- Three uniform sets and one lab coat.
- American Heart Association Basic Life Support (BLS) CPR training and card.
- Department of Justice (DOJ) background check.