

MONTGOMERY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

DENTAL ASSISTING PROGRAM

Students completing the Dental Assisting Program will be able to:

- Perform chair-side procedures; four-handed dentistry
- Sterilize instruments and equipment, disinfect operatories and prepare tray setups for dental procedures
- Instruct patients on postoperative and general oral health care
- Patient scheduling and supply and inventory control
- Expose dental radiographs
- Place dental sealants
- Perform coronal polishing
- Create whitening trays
- Mix and manipulate various dental materials
- Identify and assist in dental office medical/dental emergencies
- Complete the Dental Assisting National Board

Careers in the Dental Assisting field include the following:

- General Dentistry
- Oral Surgery
- Orthodontics
- Pediatric Dentistry
- Endodontics
- Periodontics
- Prosthodontics

MISSION STATEMENT

- Montgomery Community College provides life-long educational opportunities that prepare individuals for existing and emerging careers and personal growth.