

# DENTAL ASSISTING - INTERMEDIATE TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE (ITC)

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## Certificate Requirements

Course	Course Title	Min Credits
<b>General Education Requirements</b>		
<i>Complete one of the following courses to fulfill the GEM 1 or GEM 2 requirement:</i>		
Select one of the following:		
	GEM 1 - Written Communication course	3
	GEM 2 - Oral Communication course	
<i>Complete the following course to fulfill the GEM 3 requirement:</i>		
	GEM 3 - Mathematical Ways of Knowing course	3
<i>Complete the following course to fulfill the GEM 6 requirement:</i>		
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		
DENT 101	Dental Materials and Procedures	1
DENT 101L	Dental Materials and Procedures Lab	1
DENT 102	Dental Clinical Skills 1	2
DENT 102L	Dental Clinical Skills 1 Lab	1
DENT 103	Dental Prosthodontic Materials and Procedures	2
DENT 103L	Dental Prosthodontic Materials and Procedures Lab	0
DENT 104	Dental Radiography	2
DENT 104L	Dental Radiography Lab	1
DENT 105	Dental Clinical Skills 2	2
DENT 105L	Dental Clinical Skills 2 Lab	0
DENT 106	Dental Assisting Clinical Experience	6
DENT 108	Dental Office Management	2
DENT 109	Public Health and Dental Hygiene	1
DENT 151	Dental Theory 1	3
DENT 152	Dental Theory 2	2
DENT 153	Dental Theory 3	3
DENT 154	Dental Theory 4	3
DENT 155	Dental Seminar	1
Minimum Credit Hours Required		42

*Gainful Employment: For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who have completed the program, and other important information, please visit our website at [cwidaho.cc/ge](https://cwidaho.cc/ge) (<https://cwidaho.cc/ge>).*

## Plan of Study Guide

Below is the required sequence of courses that you need to take in order to complete your program requirements. Please register for each semester as shown below using the Student Planning tool in myCWI. Consult your Student Success Advisor for any questions regarding this course sequence plan.

### First Year

Summer		Credit Hours
Select one of the following:		3
GEM 1 - Written Communication course		
GEM 2 - Oral Communication course		
GEM 3 - Mathematical Ways of Knowing course		3
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology (GEM 6)	3
Total Semester Credit Hours		9
Fall		
DENT 101	Dental Materials and Procedures	1
DENT 101L	Dental Materials and Procedures Lab	1
DENT 102	Dental Clinical Skills 1	2
DENT 102L	Dental Clinical Skills 1 Lab	1
DENT 104	Dental Radiography	2
DENT 104L	Dental Radiography Lab	1
DENT 108	Dental Office Management	2
DENT 109	Public Health and Dental Hygiene	1
DENT 151	Dental Theory 1	3
DENT 152	Dental Theory 2	2
Total Semester Credit Hours		16
Spring		
DENT 103	Dental Prosthodontic Materials and Procedures	2
DENT 103L	Dental Prosthodontic Materials and Procedures Lab	0
DENT 105	Dental Clinical Skills 2	2
DENT 105L	Dental Clinical Skills 2 Lab	0
DENT 106	Dental Assisting Clinical Experience	6
DENT 153	Dental Theory 3	3
DENT 154	Dental Theory 4	3
DENT 155	Dental Seminar	1
Total Semester Credit Hours		17
Minimum Credit Hours Required		42

## Program Outcomes

The following are student learning outcomes for the Intermediate Technical Certificate in Dental Assisting at CWI:

1. Perform supportive dental assisting tasks including preventative care instruction, infection control, and workplace safety.
2. Demonstrate skill in technical procedures and adjusting those procedures to the needs of the patient and the dentist.
3. Communicate professionally with the patients and members of the dental health team.
4. Function as a member of the health care team in an ethical and professional manner.
5. Contribute towards activities that promote dentistry in the community.
6. Recognize the need for and assume the responsibility for continuing education.