

**Indiana University Northwest
College of Health & Human Services
Department of Dental Education**

Certificate in Dental Assisting

Program Curriculum (37 Credit Hours)

Fall Semester

- * DAST A212 Dental Therapeutics and Medical Emergencies (2 cr.)
- * DAST A221 Microbiology and Asepsis Technique (2 cr.)
- * DAST A271 Clinical Science I (5 cr.)
- * DHYG H214 Oral Anatomy (3 cr.)
- * DHYG H242 Introduction to Dentistry (1 cr.)
- * DHYG H303 Dental Radiology (3 cr.)

Total Credit Hours: 16

Spring Semester

- * DAST A211 Oral Pathology, Physiology, and Anatomy I (2 cr.)
- * DAST A213 Oral Pathology, Physiology, and Anatomy II (1 cr.)
- * DAST A231 Dental Materials I (2 cr.)
- * DAST A241 Preventive Dentistry and Nutrition (2 cr.)
- * DAST A252 Radiology Clinic II (1 cr.)
- * DAST A272 Clinical Science II (5 cr.)

Total Credit Hours: 13

Summer I

- * DAST A232 Dental Materials II (2 cr.)
- * DAST A261 Behavioral Science (1 cr.)
- * DAST A262 Written and Oral Communication (2 cr.)
- * DAST A282 Practice Management, Ethics, and Jurisprudence (2 cr.)
- * DHYG H224 Oral Histology and Embryology (1 cr.)

Total Credit Hours: 8

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