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Imperial Valley College Assisting Program Course Syllabus

DA 109 Clinical Dental Experiences (3 Units)

Spring 2013: Thursday 9:00 AM-10:00 AM

INSTRUCTORS: Dr. Javad Aghaloo

I. COURSE/CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

Practice in working in a private practice in all fields of dentistry. Experiences in chairside and office management techniques, with emphasis on performance of the registered dental assistant tasks. Bi-weekly seminars to evaluate and review clinical application and experiences. Written reports are required.

II. TEXTBOOK(S) AND SUPPLEMENT(S):

D. Bird and D.S. Robinson (2008). *Torres and Ehrlich Modern Dental Assisting (9th/e)*. Saunders. ISBN: 9781416042457

D. Bird and D.S. Robinson (2008). *Student Workbook for Torres and Ehrlich Modern Dental Assisting (9th/e)*. Saunders. ISBN: 9781416049906

III. STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:

Upon course completion, the successful student will have acquired new skills, Knowledge, and or attitudes as demonstrated by being able to:

1. Function as a chairside dental assistant in both standard and specialty dental practices, in a manner which is satisfactory to the supervising dentist.
2. Maintain records documenting clinical performance.
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IV. MEASURABLE COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Upon satisfactory completion of the course, students will be able to:

1. Operate as a member of the dental team in private and clinical settings.
2. Function as a chairside dental assistant in both especially dental practices, in a manner which is satisfactory to the supervising dentist.
3. Perform all assigned sterilization and laboratory duties in a satisfactory manner.
4. Write a narrative essay comparing experiences in various clinical settings.
5. Perform the registered dental assistant task under the supervision of the assigned dentist.
6. Submit a report describing one new procedure and one new material used in the dental office.
7. Maintain records documenting clinical performance.

GRADING SCALE

Grade	Percentage
A	100-90%
B	89-80%
C	79-70%
D	69-60%
F	59% or lower

Date	Lecture Topic
1/17/13	Intro/Core Story finish
1/24/13	Dental Specialties <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Name 2. Treatment 3. Symptoms
1/31/13	Infection Control <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bacteria 2. Virus 3. Fungus 4. Infectious Diseases
2/7/13	Quiz #1 Sterilization
2/14/13	Delivering Dental Care
2/21/13	Dental Considerations for Diabetic Patient Tooth Drawing exercise
2/28/13	Quiz #2 Before/After (DVD) Internship Discussion
3/7/13	Review for Midterm
3/14	Midterm
3/21	Dental Handpieces
3/28	Financial Management in the Dental Office
4/4	Spring Break
4/11	Quiz #3 Internship discussion
4/18	Anesthesia and Pain Control
4/25	Moisture Control
5/2	Review for Final
5/9	Final