

DNHY2213 - Dental Hygiene Practice IV

Credits:	6 (0/6/0)
Description:	This course is a continuation of DNHY1132 with emphasis on the treatment of moderate to advanced periodontal disease, the development of speed and an introduction to several advanced dental hygiene techniques.
Prerequisites:	 DNHY1132 The student must be accepted into the dental hygiene program and comply with the Dental Program Student/Faculty Handbook.
Corequisites:	• DNHY2240
Pre/Corequisites*:	

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 Assess the need for and apply adjunctive topical chemotherapeutic and controlled released agents. Assess the need for and apply pain and anxiety management strategies. Assess the need for and plan professional topical fluoride and/or self-applied fluoride; apply professional fluoride. Apply principles of nutritional and/or tobacco cessation counseling to the management of oral health. Perform re-contouring and polishing of existing restorations. Take impressions for, pour and trim study models. Assess the need for and place pit and fissure sealants. Assess, plan and perform patient oral self-care education. Apply standard precautions for the prevention of disease transmission. Follow all state and federal regulatory requirements when rendering patient care. Apply principles of comprehensive record-keeping. Apply principles of professional and ethical behavior. Apply principles of evidence-based decision making. Demonstrate critical thinking and problem-solving skills when providing patient care. Demonstrate professional communication skills in all aspects of patient care. Demonstrate concern and understanding of a variety of patient needs based on overall health, oral health, cultural, social and economic circumstances.
MnTC goal areas: None

*Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.