



**EFFECTIVE: SEPTEMBER 2004**  
**CURRICULUM GUIDELINES**

**A. Division:** **Instructional** Effective Date: June 24, 1998

**B. Department / Program Area:** **Health Sciences** Revision  New Course   
 If Revision, Section(s) Revised:  
 1991-8-7: B, C, D, F, G, Rev

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 Date of Current Revision: November 5, 2003

**C: CHDA 1217** **D: ADVANCED DENTAL ASSISTING SKILLS** **E: 9**

Subject & Course No.	Descriptive Title	Semester Credits
<b>F: Calendar Description:</b>  This course will provide the learner with the skills, knowledge, and values required to assist with basic restorative and specialty procedures, to take and process dental radiographs, and to obtain study model impressions. This will include an emphasis on the clinical application and adaptation of dental assisting theory to a variety of specialty areas, different situations, and different operator preferences.		
<b>G: Allocation of Contact Hours to Type of Instruction / Learning Settings</b>  Primary Methods of Instructional Delivery and/or Learning Settings:  Clinical Instruction Field Experience  Number of Contact Hours: (per week / semester for each descriptor)  Clinical Instruction: 67.5 hours Field Experience: 54.5 hours Other: 150 hours  Number of Weeks per Semester: 15	<b>H: Course Prerequisites:</b>  CHDA 1111 & CHDA 1109 & CHDA 1107 & CHDA 1108 & CHDA 1118	
	<b>I: Course Corequisites:</b>  CHDA 1216	
	<b>J: Course for which this Course is a Prerequisite</b>  CHDA 1360	
	<b>K: Maximum Class Size:</b>  30	
<b>L: PLEASE INDICATE:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Credit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> College Credit Non-Transfer <input type="checkbox"/> College Credit Transfer: SEE BC TRANSFER GUIDE FOR TRANSFER DETAILS ( <a href="http://www.bccat.bc.ca">www.bccat.bc.ca</a> )		

**M:** Course Objectives / Learning Outcomes

The learning outcomes are based on the Curriculum Guide 2001 Education of Certified Dental Assistants in British Columbia developed for the Ministry of Advanced Education, Training and Technology and the Centre for Curriculum, Transfer and Technology, February 2001.

Upon successful completion of CHDA 1217 the student will be able to:

1. assist for restorative procedures.
2. assist for endodontic procedures.
3. assist for prosthodontic procedures.
4. assist for specialty procedures.
5. obtain study model impressions.
6. construct custom mouth guards, splints and custom trays.
7. expose and process dental radiographs.
8. obtain vital signs.
9. isolate the operating field.
10. assess the oral cavity.
11. demonstrate rubber cup polis

Course Content Continued:

6. **Constr**

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14. **Demonstrate Professional Standards**

Demonstrate responsibility/accountability, using problem-solving and decision-making skills.  
Participate as a team member, utilizing eff