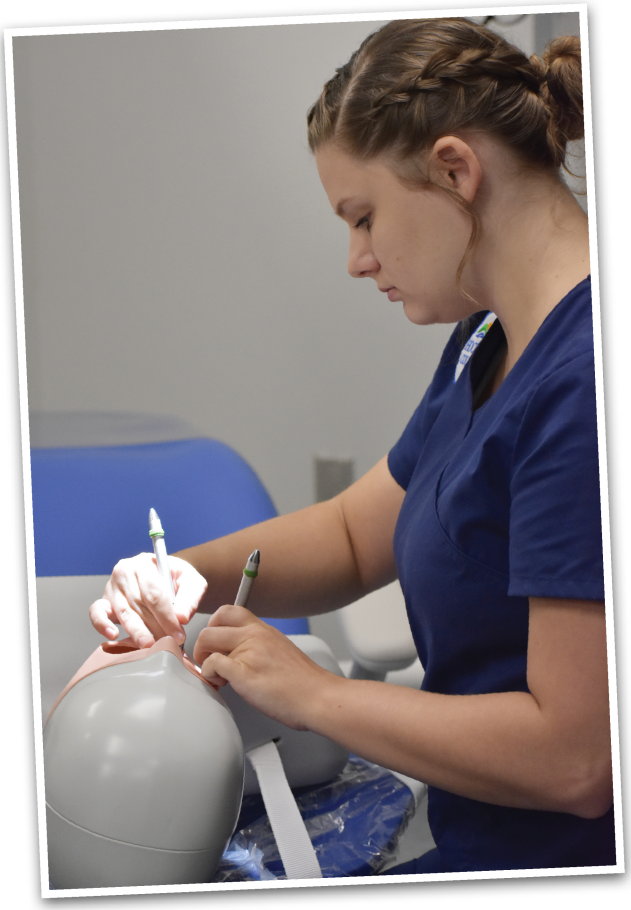
HOCKING COLLEGE

Dental Hygiene

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Dental Hygiene Degree Program
Students who complete the two academic years of full-time instruction in the Dental Hygiene Program will receive an Associate of Applied Science in Dental Hygiene. Graduates of the program will be eligible to take the National and Regional board exams and state laws exam to become a Registered Dental Hygienist.

The curriculum content includes courses in the following four areas: General Education, Biomedical Sciences, Dental Sciences, and Dental Hygiene Sciences. Courses provide a thorough background in oral structure development and disease prevention, progression, and treatment. The program emphasizes professional and ethical interactions with patients and other health professionals. Effective communication skills are also gained through patient interaction and instructional methods within courses.



ACCREDITATION

CODA
Commission on Dental Accreditation

The Dental Hygiene Program is accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA).

EMPLOYMENT

The average salary for a Dental Hygienist is $76,220.
In Ohio, the average salary ranges from $53,310 - $83,290.
Dental Hygienists can work for private dentists, clinics, or companies that manufacture dental equipment and supplies.

ALL-INCLUSIVE PRICING

Hocking College offers all-inclusive pricing and works with students to assure they have complete college funding, including financial aid, before they start classes. All-inclusive pricing includes the following:

PER SEMESTER
$300.....Learning Fee
$20.....Health Center Services
$75.....Career Center Services

OPTIONAL
$53.....Parking
$275....Smart Start*
*Recommended for all first-year college students

Pricing for housing and meal plans can be found at hocking.edu/residence-halls.

DEGREE TRACK

The listed degree track is for students beginning classes in May 2022 who will pursue an Associate of Applied Science in Dental Hygiene.

PRE CINICAL				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
8 Weeks	BIOS-1113	Anatomy & Physiology I	4.00	$500
8 Weeks	CHEM-1102	Chemistry I	4.00	$500
8 Weeks	ENGL-1510	English Composition I	4.00	$50
8 Weeks	MATH-2250	Introductory Statistics	4.00	$150
16 Weeks	GS-1010	Pathway to Prosperity	1.00	$50
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**17.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$3,900**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$6,155**
AUTUMN 1				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
8 Weeks (1)	BIOS-1114	Anatomy & Physiology II	4.00	$500
8 Weeks (1)	DHYG-1106	Tooth Morphology	1.00	$100
8 Weeks (2)	DHYG-1112	Dental Hygiene Concepts	1.00	$125
8 Weeks (2)	PSYC-1101	General Psychology	3.00	$50
16 Weeks	DHYG-1100	Dental Hygiene Theory & Instrumentation	4.00	$3,664
16 Weeks	DHYG-1103	Dental Radiology	3.00	$1,292
16 Weeks	DHYG-1108	Oral Anatomy & Head/Neck Anatomy	2.00	$213
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**18.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$8,594**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$10,849**
SPRING 1				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
8 Weeks (1)	DHYG-1107	Embryology & Histology	1.00	$100
8 Weeks (1)	MICR-1201	Microbiology	4.00	$500
8 Weeks (2)	DHYG-1115	Dental Materials	2.00	$588
8 Weeks (2)	DHYG-2103	General & Oral Pathology	2.00	$89
16 Weeks	DHYG-1114	Local Anesthesia/Pain Control	2.00	$820
16 Weeks	DHYG-1200	Clinical Dental Hygiene I	4.00	$2,851
16 Weeks	DHYG-2104	Periodontology I	2.00	$98
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**15.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$7,696**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$9,951**
SUMMER 1				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
12 Weeks	DHYG-2102	Dental Pharmacology	2.00	$112
12 Weeks	DHYG-2105	Periodontology II	1.00	$75
12 Weeks	DHYG-2200	Clinical Dental Hygiene II	5.00	$4,132
8 Weeks	COMM-1130	Speech	3.00	$50
8 Weeks	SOCI-1101	Introduction to Sociology	3.00	$50
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**14.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$7,069**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$9,324**
AUTUMN 2				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
8 Weeks (2)	GS-2010	Pathway to Prosperity II	1.00	$50
16 Weeks	DHYG-1113	Community Dentistry (SL)	2.00	$244
16 Weeks	DHYG-2220	Clinical Dental Hygiene III	5.00	$5,922
16 Weeks	DHYG-2650	Dental Hygiene Capstone	1.00	$560
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**9.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$8,769**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$10,461**
		TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**75.00**	
		TOTAL IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$36,028.25***
		TOTAL OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$46,740.25***

**All courses and course fees are subject to change. Visit us online to see the most up-to-date curriculum and pricing for this program.*

QUESTIONS? CONTACT ME.

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