

The University of Maine at Augusta
A Member of the University of Maine System
Associate of Science, DENTAL HYGIENE
(89 credit hours)

Name _____ Soc Sec # _____ Date _____

This sheet is intended to be informational only.
Students must consult with an academic advisor prior to registration.
In effect for students admitted to Fall 2007


Admission Requirements:

- High School Diploma or General Equivalency Diploma (GED)
- High School Biology with Lab, (grade of C or higher)
Or BIO 110: Introduction to Biology with Lab (grade of C or higher)
Or BIO 100: Human Biology with Lab (grade of C or higher)
- High School Chemistry with Lab (grade of C or higher)
Or CHY 105 & CHY 106: Fundamentals of Chemistry with Lab (grade of C or higher)
- High School Algebra I or MAT 030: Algebra I
- ENG 010: Writing Improvement, or course waiver
- MAT 009: Foundations of Mathematics or course waiver
- REA 010: Academic Reading, or course waiver

Transfer students who have completed 12 credit hours or more (excluding remedial or developmental courses) will be considered for admission if they have a 2.50 grade point average or higher and grades of C or better in courses applied toward degree credit. The program will evaluate individually other qualified applicants who do not meet these criteria.

You must complete the following as requirements for your degree:

The required/core general education courses are determined based on the date of admission into the Associate of Arts in Liberal Studies, pre-dental track. The required courses for the major are determined based on the date of matriculation into the Associate of Science - Dental Hygiene degree program.

All courses must be passed with a grade of "C" or better. All UMA students are required to take at least one writing intensive course. Writing intensive courses are marked with . Additional courses may also meet this requirement. Check with your academic advisor.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS







- COMMUNICATIONS (3 credit hours) *Choose one of the following*

_____ COM 101: Public Speaking
_____ COM 102: Interpersonal Communications

- ENGLISH (3 credit hours)

_____ ENG 101: College Writing

- HUMANITIES (3 credit hours) *Choose one of the following:*

 _____ ENG 102W: Introduction to Literature
 _____ ENG 202W: English Literature: Beowulf to Romanticism
 _____ ENG 203W: English Literature: Romanticism to Twentieth Century
 _____ ENG 250W: American Literature to 1900
 _____ ENG 251W: American Literature 1900 - Present
_____ HTY xxx: any history course
_____ HUM xxx: any humanities course
_____ PHI xxx: any philosophy course
_____ POS 390: Survey of Political Theory
 _____ WST 101W: Introduction to Women's Studies

- MATHEMATICS** (3 credit hours)
 - _____ MAT xxx: any 100-level mathematics course or higher
 - Note: MAT 111 and MAT 115 are required for the B.S. degree completion program in Dental Hygiene.*
- SCIENCE** (15 credit hours)
 - _____ BIO 210: Anatomy and Physiology
 - _____ BIO 280: Introduction to Human Disease
 - _____ BIO 321: Microbiology
 - _____ CHY 108: Allied Health Chemistry (or CHY113 Introductory Organic and Biological Chemistry and CHY114 Organic and Biological Chemistry Laboratory)
- SOCIAL SCIENCE** (6 credit hours)
 - _____ PSY 100: Introduction to Psychology
 - _____ SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology

CLINICAL COURSE PREREQUISITE

Before entering the clinical portion of the dental hygiene program, normally in the second year of the curriculum, students are required to have a physical examination, have selected immunizations and titers, and be currently certified in healthcare provider cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). Once admitted into the clinical portion of the curriculum, an annual PPD and maintenance of CPR certification is required.

PROGRAM MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

- DENTAL HYGIENE** (56 credit hours) All courses must be passed with a grade of "C" or better

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> _____ DEH 150: Orientation to the Dental Hygiene Profession _____ DEH 200: Preclinical Dental Hygiene _____ DEH 201: Preclinical Dental Hygiene Theory _____ DEH 202: Head and Neck Anatomy, Histology and Embryology _____ DEH 203: Dental Radiology _____ DEH 250: Clinical Dental Hygiene I _____ DEH 251: Clinical Dental Hygiene Theory I _____ DEH 252: Oral Pathology _____ DEH 254: Nutrition in Oral Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> _____ DEH 300: Clinical Dental Hygiene II _____ DEH 301: Clinical Dental Hygiene Theory II _____ DEH 302: Pharmacology _____ DEH 303: Periodontology _____ DEH 304: Local Anesthesia _____ DEH 305: Community Dentistry I _____ DEH 350: Clinical Dental Hygiene III _____ DEH 351: Clinical Dental Hygiene Theory III _____ DEH 352: Dental Specialties _____ DEH 353: Community Dentistry II _____ DEH 354: Ethics and Jurisprudence
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ADVISING NOTES:

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- A cumulative average of at least 2.5 is required to transfer into the program and to remain in the program.
- A minimum grade of "C" is required in all courses applied to the degree.
- All students are required to have a physical examination and selected immunizations and titers before entering the clinical portion of the curriculum, normally in September of the second year.
- All students must be currently certified in healthcare provider cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) or equivalent before entering the clinical portion and remain current throughout the remainder of the curriculum.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- Students should meet with their faculty advisor to verify readiness for graduation prior to submitting a graduation card.
- To be eligible for graduation, completion of 88 credit hours, a grade point average of 2.5 and all courses must be passed with a required grade of "C" or better.

APPROVED TO RECEIVE DEGREE: Associate of Science, DENTAL HYGIENE

Records Office

Date

College Dean

Date

Students are encouraged to contact their faculty advisor and the Advising Center for academic advising and support services throughout their stay at UMA.
