



# DENTAL ASSISTANT

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## What will I do as a Dental Assistant?

Dental Assistants prepare patients to see the dentist and assist the dentist chairside during appointments. They also maintain treatment rooms and instruments and follow infection control procedures. Tasks include taking and processing dental x-rays, performing basic laboratory procedures, providing patient treatment plans, and patient education.

## What careers are available after I graduate?

Most graduates currently serve the profession in private dental offices. Other Dental Assistants are employed by rapidly growing group-practice systems. Federal agencies, including clinics and hospitals of the Veterans Administration and the U.S. Public Health Service also employ Dental Assistants.

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