**DENTAL ASSISTING CERTIFICATE**

*(OPTIONAL ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE TRACK AVAILABLE)*

**Application Deadline:**  
Fall: June 1st

**Program Start:**  
Fall: August

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**What You Need to Apply**

**STUDENT SUCCESS COURSE**

☐ HPRS 1201 – Introduction to Health Professions  
☐ Completion with a minimum grade of ‘B’ is required  
☐ Cannot be substituted with another success course or college-level course unless approved by the Program Director

**RECOMMENDED COURSES** – Completion of the following courses with a minimum grade of ‘C’ or proof of current enrollment

☐ INRW 0420  
☐ MATH 0106  
Exempt if placement test scores or transcript indicate college-level reading, writing and math.

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**Attend a Program Session**

All applicants are required to attend a Program Session, which is held at HCC Coleman:  
1900 Pressler Street, Houston, TX 77030

☐ Register at: colemanconnection.org

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**Submit Application Packet**

In person to HCC Coleman – Student Services with the following:

☐ Application Form – Must be typed and printed from hccs.edu/media/houston-community-college/coleman-college/pdfs/201507-health_sciences_application  
☐ Proof of Program Session attendance  
☐ Official high school transcript or official GED scores. Due to program accreditation, an official high school transcript must be submitted regardless of completion of bachelor’s or master’s degree(s)  
☐ Official college transcript showing completion of required courses (unofficial from HCC is acceptable)

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**What’s Next?**

Wait to be contacted by the Department  
(Be patient; it can take several weeks for admission applications to be processed)

**If Accepted?**

A condition of admission is based on completion and/or submission of the following:

☐ Proof of personal health insurance  
☐ Passing drug screening  
☐ Physical examination  
☐ Immunization record showing: Completion of Hepatitis B Immunization series (may take up to 6 months), MMR, Tdap, TB, Varicella, Meningitis (required for students 22 years or younger), and Influenza (please note: a titer may be required for some of these immunizations)  
☐ Cleared Criminal Background  
☐ Attend Program Survival Camp  
☐ Attend Student Services Orientation

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**Disclaimer:** Admission Steps are subject to change at any time. Please visit http://www.hccs.edu/dental-assisting/ and click on admission steps for the most up-to-date information.

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**Questions?**  
Email us at coleman.advising@hccs.edu

**More Information:**  
For more information about healthcare careers and which program may be best for you, visit colemanconnection.org/pathway

**International students:**  
713.718.8521  
www.hccs.edu/district/students/international

**Veteran students:**  
713.718.8522  
www.hccs.edu/district/students/va

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