

Dental Assistant - Dental Science Capstone Certification

About this capstone

The **Dental Assistant - Dental Science** capstone is a comprehensive certification awarded upon successful completion of the following required exams. This structure validates a learner's knowledge and skills in dental assisting and practice support—preparing them for entry-level roles in dental offices and clinics.

Required certifications

- Dental Assistant Dental Science 1
- Dental Assistant Dental Science 2
- Dental Assistant Dental Science 3

Capstone description

The Dental Assistant - Dental Science capstone assesses learners' abilities to assist dental professionals in clinical and administrative tasks. Dental Science 1 introduces foundational skills such as chairside assisting, patient preparation, front office responsibilities, dental laboratory procedures, and an introduction to radiology. Dental Science 2 and Dental Science 3 expand on these competencies, evaluating proficiency in advanced chairside techniques, patient care, office management, and radiographic procedures. Together, the three certifications provide a comprehensive foundation for learners to succeed in dental practices and prepare for career advancement in the dental field.