

DENTAL HYGIENE SELECTION PROCESS POINT SYSTEM

ITEM	POINTS
Successfully completed program prerequisite courses (Minimum grade of 'C' in each course and minimum prerequisite GPA of 2.75) (Maximum Points = 70)	
<i>Cumulative GPA for the seven pre-dental hygiene courses</i> 3.80 to 4.00 70 Points 3.70 to 3.79 60 Points 3.60 to 3.69 50 Points 3.50 to 3.59 40 Points 3.40 to 3.49 30 Points 3.00 to 3.39 20 Points 2.75 to 2.99 10 Points 2.75 is the minimum for consideration	/70
Observation, volunteer, or work experience in a dental office or clinic beyond the required 40 hrs. (8 hours = 1 day, 21 days = 1 month) (Maximum Points = 15)	
40 hours (five 8 hour days) 1 Point (minimum for application) 6 days (8 hour days) 2 Points 7 days – 5 months 3 Points 6 – 11 months 7 Points 12 – 24 months 10 Points 25 – 36 months 12 Points More than 36 months 15 Points	/15
Degrees and/or Certifications (Maximum Points = 10)	
Graduate of ADA/CODA Accredited Dental Assisting Program 3 Points Certified Dental Assistant 3 Points Associate Degree 4 Points Bachelor Degree 5 Points Master Degree 6 Points **Maximum Points for category: 10 Points	/10
Residency Preference (Maximum Points = 5)	
Prerequisite Courses taken at South Florida State College or Polk State College 5 Points	/5
TOTAL POINTS	/100