

Dental Hygiene Applicant Ranking System		Points Possible	Points Earned
ATDH scores (points based on percentile for testing cohort) Percentile 50 or greater percentile 45 percentile 40 percentile 35 percentile 30 percentile 25 percentile >24 percentile	Points Possible 10 points 9 points 8 points 7 points 6 points 5 points 0 points	10	
Prerequisites GPA 4.0 – 3.5 3.49 – 3.25 3.24 – 2.75	Points Possible 30 points 20 points 10 points	30	
Verified Work Experience hours 4,000 + 3,999 – 2,000 1,999 – 1,000 999 – 250	Points Possible 30 points 20 points 10 points 5 points	30	
Resident of Highlands, Hardee, or DeSoto County Minimum one year (Verified)	Points Possible 10 points	10	
Candidate Interviews (video/in-person)	Points Possible 0-10 points	10	
Other Certifications/ Degrees (0-6) Graduate of ADA/CODA Accredited Dental Assistant Program (1)/Certified Dental Assistant (2) Associate Degree (3) Bachelor's Degree (4) Military Service - Minimum four years (Verified) (0-3) Community Service – Volunteering (Verified) (0-3)	Points Possible 0-10 points	10	
Total Points Available		100	