

**DA 66.1B Course Outline as of Summer 2012****CATALOG INFORMATION**

Dept and Nbr: DA 66.1B Title: CLINICAL PRACTICE 2

Full Title: Clinical Practice 2

Last Reviewed: 2/25/2019

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	5.50	Lecture Scheduled	1.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	17.50
Minimum	5.50	Lab Scheduled	0	10	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	13.50		Contact DHR	236.25
		Contact Total	14.50		Contact Total	253.75
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 35.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 288.75

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade Only

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly:

**Catalog Description:**

Performance of entry level clinical skills in private, general and specialty dental offices in Sonoma County. Experience in chairside techniques with the emphasis on performance of the Registered Dental Assisting ( RDA) tasks. Weekly seminars to evaluate and review clinical application.

**Prerequisites/Corequisites:**

Course Completion of DA 66.2 ( or DA 66.1A)

**Recommended Preparation:****Limits on Enrollment:**

Acceptance into the Dental Assisting Program

**Schedule of Classes Information:**

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Recommended:

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Transfer Credit: CSU;

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## **ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:**

<b>AS Degree:</b>	<b>Area</b>	Effective:	Inactive:
<b>CSU GE:</b>	<b>Transfer Area</b>	Effective:	Inactive:

<b>IGETC:</b>	<b>Transfer Area</b>	Effective:	Inactive:
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<b>CSU Transfer:</b>	Transferable	Effective:	Summer 2012	Inactive:
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<b>UC Transfer:</b>	Effective:	Inactive:
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**CID:**

**Certificate/Major Applicable:**

Certificate Applicable Course

## **COURSE CONTENT**

### **Outcomes and Objectives:**

1. Demonstrate ethics and professionalism as a member of the dental healthcare team.
2. Function as a chairside dental assistant in both general and specialty dental practices.
3. Perform instrument processing procedures.
4. Perform all Registered Dental Assistant (RDA) tasks under the appropriate level of supervision.
5. Preparation for the California Registered Dental Assistant Examination.

### **Topics and Scope:**

1. Ethics and professionalism
  - A. Personal hygiene
  - B. Grooming
  - C. Program policies
  - D. ADAA Code of Ethics
2. RDA clinical exam
  - A. Application process
  - B. Scope of exam
  - C. Preparation
  - D. Exam kit (equipment) rental
3. Clinical proficiency
  - A. General duties
  - B. RDA functions
  - C. Aseptic techniques
4. Standards and criteria for evaluation of clinical performance

- A. Self-evaluation
- B. Supervisor evaluation
- C. Instructor evaluation

### Assignment:

1. Maintain daily records of clinical procedures and number of clinical hours.
2. New Product Report - 2 Pages.
3. New Technique Report - 2 Pages.
4. Written narrative essay comparing experiences in various clinical settings.
5. Completion of evaluations (12-15).

### Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

**Writing:** Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Narrative essay, new product and technique reports and journals.

Writing  
10 - 20%

**Problem Solving:** Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Problem solving  
0 - 0%

**Skill Demonstrations:** All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

None

Skill Demonstrations  
0 - 0%

**Exams:** All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

None

Exams  
0 - 0%

**Other:** Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Completion of all evaluations in each clinical setting and completion of all clinical hours.

Other Category  
80 - 90%

### Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Modern Dental Assisting, Torres and Ehrlich, Bird D., Robinson D., 10th edition, 2011 Elsevier  
Instructor prepared material