#### DA 66.2 Course Outline as of Fall 2019

# **CATALOG INFORMATION**

Dept and Nbr: DA 66.2 Title: CLINICAL SEMINAR

Full Title: Clinical Seminar Last Reviewed: 2/25/2019

Units		Course Hours per Week	•	Nbr of Weeks	<b>Course Hours Total</b>	
Maximum	1.00	Lecture Scheduled	1.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	17.50
Minimum	1.00	Lab Scheduled	0	9	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	1.00		Contact Total	17.50
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 35.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 52.50

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: DA 66.1A

### **Catalog Description:**

Weekly seminars to discuss, evaluate and review both clinical experiences and the RDA examination application process.

# **Prerequisites/Corequisites:**

Course Completion of DA 62 and DE 55A;

Concurrent Enrollment in DA 66.2L

## **Recommended Preparation:**

#### **Limits on Enrollment:**

Acceptance to the Allied Dental Programs

#### **Schedule of Classes Information:**

Description: Weekly seminars to discuss, evaluate and review both clinical experiences and the

RDA examination application process. (Grade Only)

Prerequisites/Corequisites: Course Completion of DA 62 and DE 55A;

Concurrent Enrollment in DA 66.2L

Recommended:

Limits on Enrollment: Acceptance to the Allied Dental Programs

Transfer Credit: CSU;

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

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

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive: CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**IGETC:** Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**CSU Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Fall 2012 Inactive:

**UC Transfer:** Effective: Inactive:

CID:

# Certificate/Major Applicable:

Certificate Applicable Course

## **COURSE CONTENT**

## **Student Learning Outcomes:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Identify all of the tasks legally delegated to the Registered Dental Assistant in a specialty practice and a general practice at the beginner level.
- 2. Identify skills necessary to participate as a member of a dental team and contribute to the comfort and safety of patients.
- 3. Demonstrate ethical behavior and professionalism as defined in the American Dental Assistants Association (ADAA) Code of Ethics.

# **Objectives:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Identify ethics and professionalism as a member of the dental healthcare team.
- 2. Explain the functions of a chairside dental assistant in both general and specialty dental practices.
- 3. Prepare for the California Registered Dental Assistant examinations.

# **Topics and Scope:**

- I. Ethics and Professionalism
  - A. Personal hygiene
  - B. Grooming
  - C. Program policies
  - D. American Dental Assistants Association (ADAA) Code Of Ethics
- II. Registered Dental Assistant (RDA) Clinical Exam
  - A. Application process
  - B. Scope of exam
  - C. Preparation
- III. Clinical Proficiency
  - A. General duties
  - B. RDA functions
    - 1. pit and fissure sealants

- 2. coronal polishing
- 3. radiation safety
- C. Aseptic techniques
- IV. Standards and Criteria for Evaluation of Clinical Performance
  - A. Self-evaluation
  - B. Externship site supervisor evaluation
  - C. Instructor evaluation

## **Assignment:**

- 1. Written goals for each rotation (2)
- 2. Written student summary self-evaluation (2)
- 3. Written specialty and new techniques report (2)
- 4. Written office management report (1)
- 5. Completed student performance evaluation-each rotation (2)
- 6. Clinical site evaluation (2)
- 7. Weekly log of clinical procedures
- 8. Weekly verified time sheet

#### **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.

Self-Evaluation, specialty and new techniques reports, office management report, goals and log of clinical procedures performed

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

None

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

None

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

None

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

Clinical site evaluation, verified clinical site timesheet, weekly log of clinical procedures

Writing 50 - 60%

Problem solving 0 - 0%

Skill Demonstrations 0 - 0%

Exams 0 - 0%

Other Category 40 - 50%

Representative Textbooks and Materials: Modern Dental Assisting. 12th ed. Bird, Doni and Robinson, Debbie. Elsevier. 2019 Instructor prepared materials