Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

DA 107 Introduction to Expanded Functions

CREDIT HOURS: 2.00

CONTACT HOURS: 30.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This lecture/laboratory course is designed to prepare the student to sit for the State of Michigan Registered Dental Assistant (RDA) licensure examination. Expanded functions covered as allowed under Michigan law will be taught. Topics to be included but not limited to include: Infection control protocol, Disease Transmission, Hazardous waste management. Using typodonts the placement of intracoronal temporaries and amalgam restorations.

PREREQUISITES: Acceptance into the Dental Assisting Program

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:
Upon completion of this course, the student will:
- Recognize and describe instruments, and materials used for the performance of expanded functions in placing and packing Temporary and Amalgam restorations.
- Manage sterilization equipment and instrument recirculation
- Develop an appreciation for the mastery of these skills and their role in dentistry
- Demonstrate knowledge of expanded functions legal in Michigan
- Developing the skills necessary to understand and perform infection control techniques.
- Developing the preclinical skills that are necessary in placing, packing and carving an Intraoral temporary.
- Developing preclinical skills in amalgam restoration placement and carving
- Knowledge of cavity preparation lines and angles

ASSESSMENT METHODS:
Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:
90%-100% = A
80%-89.9% = B
70%-79.9% = C
60%-69.9% = D
<60% = E