For Application cycle January 15 – February 15, 2023

- Courses listed below must be completed OR in progress for completion FALL QUARTER prior to application.
- Minimum grade accepted for each required course is 2.5
- “Virtual or Online” labs with science courses WILL be accepted due to COVID remote education until further notice.
- Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate courses WILL NOT be accepted
- For additional specific conditions and questions, please contact a Dental Hygiene Program advisor

- ENGLISH COMPOSITION
  - ENGL& 102
  - 5 college credits

- COMMUNICATION STUDIES
  - CMST& 101, 210 or 220
  - 5 college credits

- GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY
  - PSYC& 100 or higher
  - 5 college credits

- QUANTITATIVE REASONING
  - MATH& 146
  - 5 college credits

**COURSES BELOW MUST BE TAKEN WITHIN 7 YEARS OF APPLICATION**

- INTRO TO ORGANIC/BIOCHEMISTRY
  - CHEM& 131
  - CHEM&121
  - 5 college credits

- ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY I
  - BIOL& 241
  - BIOL&211
  - 5 college credits

- ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY II
  - BIOL& 242
  - 5 college credits

- MICROBIOLOGY
  - BIOL& 260
  - 5 college credits

- NUTRITION
  - NUTR& 101
  - 5 college credits

**THE TWO COURSES BELOW MAY BE COMPLETED AFTER ACCEPTANCE TO THE PROGRAM (SPRING OR SUMMER QUARTER) BUT MUST BE COMPLETE PRIOR TO FALL ENROLLMENT TO THE PROGRAM.**

- MULTICULTURAL
  - MCS 105 or CMST 203 or BUS 103 or
  - EDUC 117 or GWS 284 or equivalent 3-5 credits
  - (Multicultural Understanding/Diversity requirement)

- HUMAN RELATIONS
  - BUS 104 or BUS 105 or equivalent
  - 2-5 credits
  - (Communication in the workplace)

**NOTE:** This checklist does not guarantee acceptance of courses from other institutions. If you have taken courses at other institutions, review the [Course Equivalence Guide](https://www.shoreline.edu/dental) or complete the [Review of Course Equivalence Form](https://www.shoreline.edu/dental). These may be accessed at [www.shoreline.edu/dental](http://www.shoreline.edu/dental).
Getting Started at Shoreline Community College

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☐ **Apply for Admissions**
Apply online@ www.shoreline.edu. If you have attended SCC before, contact Enrollment Services to reactivate your file at 206-546-6929 or complete a reactivation form on-line at www.shoreline.edu/es.

☐ **Review the Dental Hygiene Program Web Site** www.shoreline.edu/dental

☐ **Attend a Dental Hygiene Group Advising Session**
We offer several group advising sessions per quarter. Advising sessions are highly recommended but not required. They are very helpful for finding out more information about the Shoreline Dental Hygiene Program and the application process, as well as for answering and clarifying questions. You can make an appointment online www.shoreline.edu/dental.

☐ **Complete Dental Hygiene Program Prerequisites**
Prerequisite courses are listed on the Prerequisite List on the reverse side of this page. This will typically take one to two years.

☐ **COURSES TAKEN AT OTHER COLLEGES**
Refer to the list of Course Equivalence Guide of Washington State College courses on the Dental Hygiene website. If you have taken courses at other institutions that are not on our Course Equivalence Chart and would like to them evaluated to meet specific prerequisite requirements, please complete a Review of Course Equivalence Form found on our website; follow the directions as noted.

☐ **Apply to the Dental Hygiene Program**
Applications are completed online with electronic signature; supplemental materials are submitted directly to the Dental Hygiene Program. The online application will be posted on our website www.shoreline.edu/dental. Open January 15 - February 15, for acceptance to the Dental Hygiene program beginning the following Fall Quarter.

☐ **Additional requirements AFTER ACCEPTED** to the Dental Hygiene Program:
   a. Current First Aid Card (must be valid throughout 2 years in program)
   b. Required Immunizations
   c. Background Check