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— DENTAL TECH —

DENTAL ASSISTANT PROGRAM

HYBRID/CLINICAL PROGRAM CURRICULUM OUTLINE



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2025 -Hybrid Dental Assisting Program

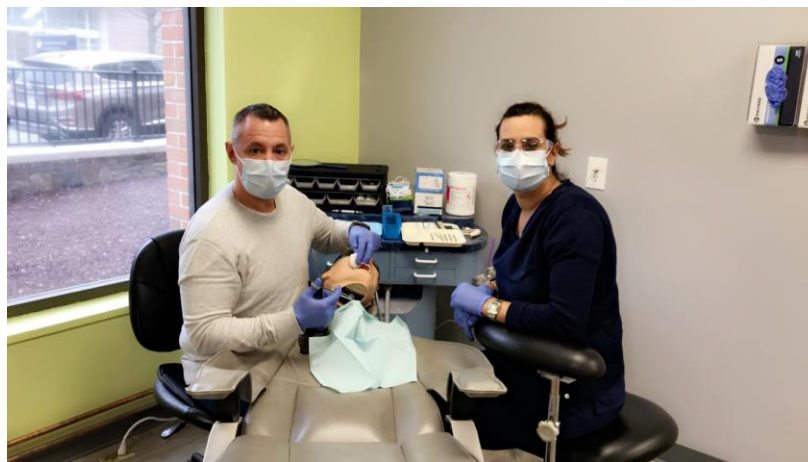
Train for a Thriving Career in Dentistry — in Months, Not Years

At East Coast Dental Tech, our **Hybrid Dental Assisting Program** is designed for motivated individuals seeking an accelerated, flexible, and in-depth pathway into the dental profession. This program combines **online coursework, in-person lab training, clinical observation, and externship placement**, making it one of the most **comprehensive and career-focused dental assisting programs in the region**.

Led by experts with **over 35 years of experience** in dental care, education, and clinic management, this program is built for results. Our proven model prepares students not only to **enter the workforce with confidence**, but to **excel**.

Program Overview:

- **Total Hours:** 957
 - 457 hours of Hybrid (Online + In-Person) Coursework
 - 20 hours of Clinical Observation
 - 480 hours of Dental Office Externship
- **Duration:** Complete in a matter of months
- **Format:** Hybrid (Flexible online learning + Hands-on clinical labs)
- **Includes:** CPR/BLS Certification, Radiology Certification, OSHA/Infection Control Training
- **Job Placement Support:** Resume help, interview coaching, and access to our network of hiring dental offices.



Curriculum Breakdown

► Foundations & Core Knowledge

- The Dental Assisting Profession & Healthcare Team
- Dental Ethics & Law
- Dental Anatomy, Physiology, and Oral Histology
- Oral Health, Nutrition, and Prevention
- Patient Assessment & Charting
- Pharmacology, Anesthesia, and Pain Management

► Infection Control & Safety (ADA/OSHA Standards)

- Microbiology & Disease Transmission
- Operatory Infection Control & Sterilization
- Hazardous Waste & Occupational Health
- Bloodborne Pathogen Training (BBP) – Certification Included



► Dental Radiology & Imaging

- Radiology Techniques (Lecture + Observation)
- Completion of State-Approved Radiology Certification
- DANB RHS Prep & Office-Based Imaging

► Hands-On Lab Training (On Campus)

- Instrumentation, Suction Techniques, and Chairside Skills
- Restorative Materials & Laboratory Applications
- Manikin-Based Clinical Simulations (4 Levels)
- CPR Certification (American Heart Association or Red Cross)



► Specialty Training

- Endodontics, Periodontics, Oral Surgery
- Dental Implants, Prosthodontics, Orthodontics
- Pediatric Dentistry (Pedodontics)
- Rubber Dams, Crown Fabrication & Surgical Instruments

► Professional Readiness

- Communication in the Dental Office
 - Business & Financial Systems
 - Practice Management, Insurance, and Marketing Your Skills
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Clinical Externship

Real-world experience matters. Students are placed in active dental practices to gain supervised, **hands-on experience assisting with real patients**, allowing them to master techniques in:

- Chairside Assisting
- Sterilization Protocols
- Radiology Application
- Office Workflow and Communication
- Working in General and Specialty Practices



✔ Graduation Requirements:

- Completion of all 457 classroom/lab hours
 - 20 hours clinical observation
 - Completion of externship
 - Valid CPR Certification
 - Radiology Certification approved by the State of Massachusetts
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💡 Why Choose Us?

- Over 35 years of real-world expertise behind the program
- Referrals from satisfied students and dental practices
- Personalized support every step of the way
- Convenient weekend and weekday schedules
- **2024 tuition rates still available – save thousands over 2025 pricing!**



This isn't just school — this is a career launch.
Let's build your future in the dental field, together.

