

TAFT COLLEGE DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

COURSE SEQUENCE		<i>CREDIT</i>	<i>HOURS PER WEEK</i>		
		<i>Units</i>	<i>Lec</i>	<i>LAB</i>	<i>CLINIC</i>
<i>First Semester</i>					
DNTL 1510	Oral Biology	4	4	0	0
DNTL 1511	Oral Radiology	2	2	2	0
DNTL 1512	Head & Neck Anatomy	3	3	0	0
DNTL 1513	Dental Health Ed/Seminar	2	2	0	0
DNTL 1514	Introduction to Clinic	5.5	3	0	8
DNTL 1517	Critical Thinking of Health Sciences A	1.5	1.5	0	0
TOTAL		18	15.5	2	8

Second Semester

DNTL 2020	Local Anesthesia	2	1	3	0
DNTL 2021	General & Oral Pathology	4	4	0	0
DNTL 2025	Patient Mgmt/Geriatrics	2	2	0	0
DNTL 2024	Clinical Practice I	4	1	0	9
DNTL 2026	Nutrition	1	1	0	0
DNTL 2027	Critical Thinking for Health Sciences B	1.5	1.5	0	0
TOTAL		14.5	10.5	3	9

Third Semester

DNTL 2130	Periodontics I	3	3	0	0
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DNTL 2131	Pharmacology	2	2	0	0
DNTL 2132	Dental Materials	2	2	1	0
DNTL 2133	Advanced Clinical Topics	2	2	0	0
DNTL 2134	Clinical Practice II	5	1	0	12
TOTAL		14	10	1	12

Fourth Semester

DNTL 2240	Periodontics II	1.5	1.5	0	0
DNTL 2241	Practice Management	1	1	0	0
DNTL 2243	Clinical Practice III	6	1	0	16
DNTL 2244	Community Oral Health	2	2	0	0
DNTL 2245	Ethics & Jurisprudence	2	2	0	0
TOTAL		12.5	7.5	0	16

TOTAL PROGRAM UNITS 59

For a description of each dental hygiene course please see the Taft College Student Handbook/Catalog http://www.taftcollege.edu/student_services/student_services_and_records.shtml