

## Institutional Student Learning Outcomes

## Dental Assisting Program

Hagerstown Community College students will be prepared to:

Learning Outcomes	Demonstrated By	Related Activity Examples
<p>1. Demonstrate personal and social responsibility by practicing responsible citizenship, being open to new ideas, and understanding the value of moral sensitivity and cultural diversity.</p>	<p>Civic engagement            Collaboration/teamwork            Healthy lifestyle            Ethical reasoning and action            Humanitarianism            Involvement in campus life            Voter registration and voting in on and off-campus elections</p>	<p>Students volunteer for the following community outreach programs:            Mission of Mercy, Dentistry From the Heart, and Convey of Hope            ADA members            Work and collaborate with faculty, dental hygiene students, and patients in the dental education clinic</p> <p>Exhibited dental education posters            Attend health fairs</p> <p>Presented dental assisting career opportunities to local high school students</p>
<p>2. Practice intellectual skills such as critical and independent thinking, effective communication, and knowledge acquisition and application.</p>	<p>Academic success            Involvement in campus life            Integration of digital resources into learning experiences            Information Literacy</p>	<p>Prepare and sit for the Radiation Health Safety Examination            Prepare and sit for the Maryland Duties General Examination ( Expanded Functions for State of MD)            Certified Dental Assisting Examination            Students use Moodle for online and hybrid dental assisting courses            Students use Learning Success Center, learning about test taking skills and strategies for success</p>
<p>3. Demonstrate self-direction, persistence and lifelong learning</p>	<p>Develop and achieve college goals            Application of knowledge, skills, and responsibilities to future situations</p>	<p>Program completion, including 2 externships            Employment            Required to maintain CDA- need 12 CEUs annually</p>