

## DENT1103 - Introduction for Dental Health Care Providers

Credits:	2 (1/1/0)
Description:	The student will be introduced to fundamental knowledge required in the practice of dentistry. Topics to be covered include blood-borne pathogens, concepts and procedures of infection control, medical emergencies, first aid in the dental setting and patient privacy rights.
Prerequisites:	
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Describe the rationale for performing infection control procedures in a dental office.</li> <li>Describe the pathways by which microbes may be spread in the dental office.</li> <li>Summarize the recommendations for infection control in dentistry from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.</li> <li>Demonstrate appropriate first aid treatment in the dental health care setting.</li> <li>Discuss ways to prevent medical emergencies in a dental health care setting.</li> <li>Describe appropriate actions for the top nine medical emergencies that occur in a dental health care setting.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

<sup>\*</sup>Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.