

DENTAL ASSISTING PROGRAM

Class Offerings September 2016 – Day Class

How to Apply for the Dental Assisting Program

1. All applicants are required to take the Compass test. Registration for the COMPASS is available on-line only @ www.registerblast.com/ttc/exam The Compass test fee is \$18.00, payable on-line only.
2. Bring a photo ID (such as a driver's license, state ID card, or passport) with you on the scheduled date of testing. **You must score a minimum of 30 in Pre-Algebra and 70 in Reading** to pass the entry test. Passing the COMPASS test does not guarantee admission into the Dental Assisting Program.
3. Upon successful passage of the test, the Test Administrator will provide you with the Dental Assisting Informational Packet.
4. **NOTE: Return completed pre-requisites outlined in the Informational Packet when the packet is complete.** The required paperwork may be submitted via the U.S. Post Office to the attention of "Vickey Myatt, Allied Health Secretary" or bring the paperwork to Allied Health Department at the school in a sealed envelope.

- **Selection of the class is on a first-come-first-serve basis that is determined by the date we receive your fully completed pre-requisite paperwork.**

5. Pre-requisite paperwork **must** be submitted before you will receive a Letter of Acceptance. **Again, the Letter of Acceptance will be sent on a first-come-first-serve basis.**

Class Schedule

The Dental Assisting Program is a twelve-month program. Classes meet Monday through Friday, 7:45 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. 10 weeks of the program are in clinical training. The clinical hours may vary depending on the clinical facilities availability. *The student must be flexible to meet the clinical schedules.*

Program Costs

For the approximate costs for the Dental Assisting Program, please refer to the expense sheet on the school website. This cost is the combined estimation of tuition, textbooks, liability insurance, health screens, scrubs, and accessories used in the classroom and clinical. For information on financial aid, please contact the Financial Aid Department located in Student Services.

TCAT Nashville complies with all non-discrimination laws: Title VI, Title IX, Section 50 & ADA

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Testing Center	(615) 425-5525
Allied Health Department	(615) 425-5533
Allied Health Department Fax	(615) 425-5587
School's Website	www.tcatnashville.edu