NITEC IN DENTAL ASSISTING

MODULE OBJECTIVES

Dental Science

On completion of the module, students should be able to provide information on oral health and describe the functions and dysfunctions of the various body systems.

Workplace Safety and Chairside Assisting

On completion of the module, students should be able to identify various types of safety hazards and infection control measures.

Dental Assisting and Emergency Care

On completion of the module, students should be able to perform basic assessments and triage of patient, assist in dental procedures, identify and assist in medical emergencies

Patient Care

On completion of the module, students should be able to perform basic patient care, provide oral health education and dietary counselling to patients.

Administrative Duties

On completion of the module, students should be able to perform basic administrative duties such as assist in the maintenance of supplies and equipment and its record, maintain drug inventory and prescription records.

On-the-job Training

This module will provide students with hands-on opportunity to integrate knowledge and skills in work environment. On completion of the module, students will be able to assist and manage patients in various dental procedures.