



Certificate in Dental Assisting Technician 2010-11 Admission Information and Ranking

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GENERAL PROGRAM ADMISSION INFORMATION

Application materials are available on the Blue Mountain Community College's (BMCC) website (www.bluecc.edu) and must be completed and on file in the Admissions Office on or prior to **5 p.m. Friday, April 30, 2010.**

1. Incomplete applications will not be considered in the priority admission process.
2. Applicants must meet BMCC's general admission requirements to be eligible to apply for admission to the Dental Assisting Technician certificate program.
3. Applicants will be notified by email of their tentative program admission status **on or after** Monday, May 24, 2010.
4. 17 spaces are available for the 2010-11 academic year.
5. Applicants must be in good academic and financial standing with the college. An applicant who is not in good academic or financial standing with the college will not be considered for admission to this program.

Note: All applicants will be required to attend a **mandatory** orientation on **Wednesday, June 2, 2010 from 9 a.m. - Noon.**

Criminal Background Check

Applicants must:

- Have paid for and successfully passed the criminal background check according to BMCC's 2010-11 Dental - List of Disqualifying Offenses.
- Have had their background check done **on or after** Monday, May 3, 2010.
- Have been received by BMCC from the Oregon State Police **no later than** Monday, June 14, 2010 for priority admission purposes.
- Email notifications will be sent to students regarding status of criminal background check.

Please be sure to follow the procedures on the BMCC website for your criminal background checks.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

SECTION A – Application requirements

Applicants must submit the following to the Registrar's Office by **5 p.m. Friday, April 30, 2010** to be considered for priority admissions purposes:

1. Completed BMCC 2010-11 Dental Admission Application Enclosure List
2. Completed BMCC Application for Admission – Limited Entry Program form.
3. Completed BMCC 2010-11 Dental Assisting Technician – Statement of Understanding and Compliance
4. Official High School Transcript or GED Transcript.
5. OTHER COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS: If you wish to have credits from a college other than BMCC to be evaluated and considered to meet program entry requirements you must attach official sealed transcripts from those colleges and/or universities with your application packet. **Note:** BMCC does not accept credits from colleges that are not regionally accredited or from foreign institutions.
6. Proof that you will be 18 before November 1, 2010. Provide copy of valid driver's license **or** birth certificate.

SECTION B – GPA requirement

1. Cumulative GPA for all prerequisite courses: 2.0 or better.
2. Cumulative GPA is computed only on the courses listed under Section D that have been completed by Monday, April 26, 2010. GPA will not be recomputed to include courses completed after that date.

SECTION C – Compass Placement requirements

Students entering BMCC's Dental Assisting Technician certificate program must be able to read at or above a college level. To meet this requirement applicants must:

- Passed RD120 (Critical Reading & Thinking) with a grade of "C" or higher; **OR**
- Have taken the Compass Reading assessment with a score of 88 or higher.

SECTION D – Course requirements – All courses must be completed with a "C" or higher

1. **Writing:** WR060 (Elements of Essay) or above
2. **Mathematics:** MTH025 (Pre-Algebra) or above
3. **Oral Communication:** SP100 (Human Communications) or above
4. **Human Relations:** Humanities (except Speech) or Social Science, Courses from page 66 & 67 of the 09-10 catalog and/or BA285, HD100, RD120. **Recommended course: HD100 or RD120**
5. **Computer Literacy:**
 - Take and pass BMCC's computer literacy placement assessment with a score of 85% or higher.
 - OR**
 - Take and pass AGR111, or BA131, or **CS120**, or ED235

SECTION E – Criminal Background Check

Applicants must have paid for and successfully passed the criminal background check according to BMCC's 2010-11 List of Disqualifying Offenses. Results must be received by BMCC from OSP no later than Monday, June 14, 2010.

ADMISSION RANKING

Applicants that meet admission requirements will be considered as follows. **In all groups:**

- **The higher the GPA the higher the ranking within that group.**
- **Successfully passing the criminal background check as defined under the “General Program Information” section.**

Priority Admissions:

- Applicants who have met all requirements listed in Sections A, B, C and D by Monday, April 26, 2010
- Successfully passed criminal background check, results received by BMCC from O.S.P. by June 14, 2010.

Late applicants and all other’s that do not meet the Priority admission requirements will be admitted on a space available basis and will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis and in date completed order.

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