Application period: October 2, 2019 through 5:00 pm February 7, 2020. All Applications are to be turned in to the Health Sciences Department by that deadline.

Date Stamp When Received:

HEALTH SCIENCES DEPARTMENT
Santa Rosa Junior College
Race Building, Dental Hygiene Program
1501 Mendocino Avenue
Santa Rosa, California 95401
(707) 527-4271 ● (707) 527-4426 Fax

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE
DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM
Fall 2020

Please print clearly: this information may be used to contact you.

SRJC Student ID#: _____ *you must submit an SRJC College Application to obtain this number -* (https://admissions.santarosa.edu/new-or-returning-students)

NAME IN FULL: _____   _____   _____
                              Last   First   Initial

Previous last names that may appear on your records/transcripts:
_____

Mailing Address: _____
                              Street Address

                    _____
                              City   State   Zip Code

Home Phone:_____ Work Phone:_____ Cell Phone:_____

E-mail address:_____

Emergency Contact Person:_____ Emergency Contact Phone:_____

It is your responsibility to notify the Health Sciences office <u>in writing</u> should you have a change of address, phone number or email.

In accordance with state law, the Dental Hygiene Committee of California may deny licensure for crimes substantially related to the practice of dental hygiene. This includes convictions involving sex crimes, drug crimes (including DUI), and crimes of violence. It is the responsibility of the applicant to present sufficient evidence of rehabilitation to the DHCC prior to licensure application. Upon acceptance into the DH program, any student who has had a conviction related to any of the above should contact the director of the program to discuss the problem, rehabilitation, and whether the DHCC should be notified. Questions that students may have related to possible denial for licensure should be referred to:

Dental Hygiene Committee of California, 2005 Evergreen Street Ste. 1050,
Sacramento, CA 95815
(916) 263-1978 - www.dhcc.ca.gov

An applicant for dental hygiene licensure in California must have a U.S social security number (SSN) or a Federal Employment Identification Number (FEIN) to achieve licensure in the State of California –January 1, 2016

IMPORTANT
You Must Complete all tasks on the SRJC Dental Hygiene Program Application Checklist.
The checklist is for your information and is <u>not returned</u> with this application.

You Must Complete the SRJC Dental Hygiene Prerequisite Course Worksheet.
The worksheet **MUST** be included with this application.

You Must Complete the SRJC Dental Hygiene Application.

You Must attach the unofficial transcripts (or official transcripts) from <u>all Colleges</u> you have attended including SRJC to your Dental Hygiene Program Application.

Have you applied to the SRJC Dental Hygiene Program before? ☐ Yes ☐ No
    If so, what year(s) did you apply? _____

Have you even been enrolled in a dental hygiene <u>or</u> dental school?
program in **any** college or another country? Please list _____ ☐ Yes ☐ No

You MUST list <u>ALL</u> colleges attended beginning with the most current

Dates From - To	Institution and Address	Diploma, Degree or Certificate	Date Conferred
_____ - _____	_____ _____	_____	_____
_____ - _____	_____ _____	_____	_____
_____ - _____	_____ _____	_____	_____
_____ - _____	_____ _____	_____	_____
_____ - _____	_____ _____	_____	_____

COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS AND PREREQUISITE COURSE WORK:
Submitting an application to the Dental Hygiene Program and applying to SRJC are two separate processes.

- **If you are NOT a current SRJC student: You must** submit an SRJC application and **official transcripts from all colleges to Admissions and Records.**

  o You will also need to attach a copy of your unofficial or official transcripts with the DH application.

- **If you are a current SRJC student AND have attended other colleges, submit all trascripts:** Official transcripts from your other Colleges will be required and submitted to Admissions and Records.

  o You will also need to attach a copy of your unofficial transcripts of your SRJC coursework and unofficial or official transcript(s) of your other college coursework with the DH application.

- **If ALL your coursework was completed at SRJC**, you must submit unofficial transcripts with your DH application.

COMPLETE DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM PREREQUISITES:
- Program Prerequisite courses must be completed *__before__* applying to the program. **Applicants for the 2020 program must complete their prerequisite courses and have grades entered onto their official transcript by the Application Deadline of February 7, 2020.**
- The prerequisite requirements for the DH major are found on the dentalprograms.santarosa.edu webpage.
- SRJC Health Science Counselors are very knowledgeable about prerequisite classe requirements and have programs that help determine the equivalency of courses taken at different institutions. The Dental Hygiene Program Director does not have this information to answer your equivalency questions.
- The grades from the science prerequisite courses must average a minimum GPA of 2.7
- Grades from the non-science prerequisite courses must average a minimum GPA of 2.5.
Additional information about program and degree prerequisites may be gained by consulting with a SRJC Health Science Counselor.

Selection Process:
Please refer to the most current web page information for the selection process.
Additional information about the selection process may be found by consulting with a SRJC Health Science Counselor or the Program Director. Notification of acceptance into the program will be sent via email after the review process is completed. PLEASE DO NOT CALL or EMAIL FOR STATUS UPDATES.

Notice:
The SRJC Dental Hygiene Program is a recognized major for an Associate Degree in Dental Hygiene. If you have earned an Associate Degree from another institution, you **MUST** still meet SRJC's degree requirements. Additional courses may be needed to fulfill the General Education and major requirements. Even if you have a previous Associate Degree from SRJC, you may be held to additional course requirements for the Associate Degree in Dental Hygiene.

It is highly recommended that all classes for the General Education requirement are taken prior to beginning the Dental Hygiene program. The program is a full-time commitment; if courses outside of the program are needed for graduation, it may prove difficult to meet the demands of the Dental Hygiene Program.

Please check with a SRJC Health Science Counselor, who can help you to determine which additional courses, if any, are needed to meet new degree requirements. Counselors are available during Drop In or by appointment, (707) 527-4451 or (707) 778-3914 in Petaluma.

All students who graduate from the SRJC Dental Hygiene Program must complete the SRJC degree requirements before they will qualify to be licensed by the State of California.

Documents submitted to the Health Sciences Department become the property of the Department and may be disposed of at our discretion.

All completed applications including unofficial transcripts and prerequisite course worksheet must be received or postmarked by 5:00pm on the deadline date.

INCOMPLETE or LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

<u>Deadline</u>:

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5:00 PM, Monday, February 7, 2020

<u>Applicants will be notified via email of the status of their acceptance into the Dental Hygiene Program after the review process is complete</u>. *Please make sure you have included a reliable email address in this application.* Any changes to your contact information must be reported to the Health Science Office at the address at the top of the application.

<u>Please do not call or email the Health Sciences Department for application or acceptance status. If you wish verification that your paperwork was received, please mail your application by certified mail with a return receipt or hand deliver it to the Health Sciences office in the Race Building and a receipt will be provided to you.</u>

I have read the application and understand the eligibility criteria for admission into the Dental Hygiene program. I certify under penalty of perjury that the statements in this application are true to the best of my knowledge and ability. Falsification of information on this application will be considered grounds for dismissal.

_____   _____
Signature of Applicant   Date