



## CCL in Community Dental Health Coordination

Suggested Course Plan Sequenced by Semester

Academic Plan Code: 5709N

CIPS Code: 51.0504

GB Date: 10/28/14

Program Credits: 11.5

### Program Description:

The Certificate of Completion (CCL) in Community Dental Health Coordination (CDHC) program is designed to provide students with a practical and theoretical basis for assisting in the reduction of disparities in dental health. Courses will cover advocacy, intercultural communication, and finance in addition to dental health coordination, documentation, and reporting procedures. Legal and ethical issues will also be covered.

### Course Sequence by Semester:

The following is a suggested course sequence by semester for the pathway. Students should keep in mind the items below that affect their success in completing the pathway as listed:

- Program sequence is based on a full-time student schedule (12 credits or more per semester). If you are a part-time student, the order of these classes will be helpful but it will take additional terms to complete.
- Program sequence does not take into consideration the need for developmental classes (e.g., ENG091 before ENG101.)

### Program Notes:

Students must earn a grade of C or better in all courses within the program.

\* Indicates course has prerequisites and/or corequisites.

### Admission Criteria:

Ability to fully participate in classroom, laboratory, and clinical setting program activities.

Complete and submit required MCCCDC Non-Academic Allied Health Program Policy documents.

Submit current Arizona Department of Public Safety (DPS) Level One fingerprint card AND a supplemental background check.

Applicants who are accepted and enroll in the Community Dental Health Coordination (CDHC) program will be exposed to blood-borne and infectious diseases. The program strictly adheres to established policies and procedures regarding infection control as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, American Dental Association, The Organization for Safety and Asepsis Procedures, and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Formal application and acceptance into the Community Dental Health Coordination program is required.

### Program Prerequisites:

Students must be a Registered Dental Hygienist or Certified Dental Assistant.

Applicants are required to provide documentation of licensure according to their individual state's dental practice act.

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## Semester 1: 5 Credits

| Program Area | Course Number | Course Name                                    | Credits | Notes |
|--------------|---------------|--|---------|-------|
| RC           | CDH110*       | Oral Health Communication                      | 1       |       |
| RC           | CDH115*       | Interviewing Skills for Dental Health Advocate | 2       |       |
| RC           | CDH130*       | Dental Health Legal and Ethical Issues         | 2       |       |

## Semester 2: 3.5 Credits

| Program Area | Course Number | Course Name                            | Credits | Notes |
|--------------|---------------|--|---------|-------|
| RC           | CDH105*       | Community Oral Health Project Planning | 3       |       |
| RC           | CDH240*       | Dental Care Finance                    | 0.5     |       |

## Semester 3: 3 Credits

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|--------------|---------------|--|---------|-------|
| RC           | CDH245*       | Community Dental Health Coordinator Internship | 3       |       |

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