

**DENTAL ASSISTING PROGRAM**  
**QUALIFICATIONS FOR PROGRAM ENTRY**

(Effective Academic Year 2008 - 2009)

Qualification is based on achieving the required COMPASS Reading score (74 or higher) and scores received from a scheduled personal interview. Qualified applicants will be accepted until the quota is met for the Dental Assisting program. You may obtain and submit your program application to Health Sciences department (see DENT Program Director or Health Sciences counselor for academic advising and support).

Develop an academic action plan with a Health Sciences counselor if you do not meet the minimum qualifications for acceptance or need more time to prepare for the DENT program. Non-qualified applicants will be accepted on a space available basis until the quota is met for the Dental Assisting program.

**MIMIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR PROGRAM ENTRY**

COMPASS Reading Score of 74 or higher