

To: Dental Hygiene Patient Treatment Clinical Examination (PTCE) Candidates

From: Theresa M. Grady, Program Director

Re: The Commission on Dental Competency Assessment PTCE at The Community College of Philadelphia

Dear Candidate,

The Commission on Dental Competency Assessment (CDCA), Dental Hygiene Manikin Examination (MTCE) will be given at Community College of Philadelphia on **Dec. 13 and Dec. 14, 2021** 

For directions to the College please go to <a href="www.ccp.edu">www.ccp.edu</a>. Community College of Philadelphia offers parking in the garage between Callowhill and Spring Garden Streets. Metered street parking is also available for 4-hour time slots. The Double Tree Hotel which is located on Broad and Locust Streets and that would be a convenient place to stay if needed.

Candidates will enter at the West Building at 17<sup>th</sup>and Spring Garden Street where current students will scan in, and candidates from other colleges will bring a picture ID and proof of COVID-19 full vaccination. You must wear a mask to enter the building and at all times while in-doors.

You will **need to bring** the following items the day of the Dental Hygiene Manikin Examination (MTCE):

- PPE: Gloves, masks, gowns, and protective eye wear.
- Barriers, Caviwipes or Birex
- Two sets of sterile instruments: sterilization will also be available after examination.

There is a fee of \$275.00 to take the exam at CCP, which must be paid at the time of registration. To register with the college and secure your place for the examination, register online with payment by November 26, 2021 at <a href="www.ccp.edu/professional">www.ccp.edu/professional</a>. Go to the Health and Wellness Heading and select CDCA to view exam times and to register. Payment must be made at the time of registration.

The Commission on Dental Competency Assessment (CDCA) will send you information on your assigned session and you should use the following information when registering with CCP for Dental Hygiene Manikin Examination (MTCE): (there are 6 sections listed which corresponds with your assigned clinical session from the CDCA)

**12/13/2021 - Morning session**: 7:00 am to 10:30 a.m.

HEAL D0011 Section: 001 (Closed-section for CCP students...may be a few available seats)

**12/13/2021** – **Mid-Morning session**: 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**HEAL D0011 Section: 002 (Closed- section for CCP students)** 

**12/13/2021** – **Afternoon session**: 2 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**HEAL D0011 Section: 003 (Open to non-CCP students)** 

**12/14/2021 - Morning session**: 7:00 am to 10:30 a.m.

**HEAL D0011 Section: 004 (Open to non-CCP students)** 

**12/14/2021** – **Mid-Morning session**: 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. **HEAL D0011 Section: 005 (Open to non-CCP students)** 

12/14/2021 – Afternoon session: 2 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**HEAL D0011 Section: 006 (Open to non-CCP students)** 

Please be sure to view the online orientation materials prior to the examination. On exam day there will be a short registration immediately before the exam. At this registration, IDs will be checked and exam forms will be handed out.

Our clinic may be quite chilly. You may want to dress in layers wearing your scrubs the day of the examination.

Thank you and best of luck,

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\*\* Please note the dental chair in the CCP dental clinic is the 511 A-dec model\*\*

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