



**HACC, Central Pennsylvania's Community College**  
**Dental Hygiene Program**  
**Verification of Clinical Dental Assisting Hours**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ HACC ID: \_\_\_\_\_

As a part of the clinical admission process, pre-dental hygiene students who have at least 300 documented hours working as clinical dental assistants (this does **not** include working at the front desk) do not have to take the DH 100 or AH CE 149 (Introduction to Dentistry) course. The course is designed as an overview of the profession of dentistry and the roles and responsibilities of each member of the team.

Additionally, any student who has completed an ADA accredited dental assisting program and subsequent one year full-time (32 hours/week) experience working as a **clinical** dental assistant receives additional points.

**Dentists, please initial a response below. If the student has not completed the required 300 hours in your practice, please list the total number of hours that have been completed.**

\_\_\_\_\_ The above named student has completed at least 300 hours of clinical dental assisting in my practice.

\_\_\_\_\_ The above named student has **not** completed at least 300 hours of clinical dental assisting in my practice. The total number of hours completed is \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ The above named student is a graduate of an ADA accredited dental assisting program and has completed at least one year (full-time-32 hours/week) of clinical dental assisting in my practice.

Signature of dentist: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name of dentist: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

We request that the dental practice (not the student) return this form directly to the dental hygiene office. If you have any questions please feel free to call the dental hygiene program at 717-780-2490.

**Email form to:**  
RSVPDHadvising@hacc.edu