

NORTHWOOD TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Dental Office Visit For Dental Assistant Program

Return completed form no later than Monday, August 18, 2021 to:

Northwood Technical College
Attn: Jennifer Heutmaker-Holden
Dental Assistant Program
1900 College Dr
Rice Lake, WI 54868

As a new Dental Assistant student, you must spend a minimum of 4 hours in a dental office of your choice. You should spend time observing at least one Dental Hygienist, one Dental Assistant, and one Dentist. Business casual clothing should be worn (**no jeans**). If you presently work in a dental office, you may interview the office staff that you work with or visit a different office. This form must be completed and submitted to the Program Director prior to starting the program.

Student's Name _____

Name and Type of Dental Office _____

Address of Dental Office _____

_____ Phone Number _____

Signature of a Dental Employee Interviewed _____

Date _____

Questions:

1. What duties did you observe the Dental Hygienist, Dental Assistant, or Dentist performing?
2. What other duties are they qualified to perform?
 - a. Dental Hygienist
 - b. Dental Assistant
3. What does each dental team member like about their career?
 - a. Dental Hygienist
 - b. Dental Assistant
 - c. Dentist
 - d. Front Office
4. What does each team member dislike or find to be a challenge about their career?
 - a. Dental Hygienist
 - b. Dental Assistant
 - c. Dentist
 - d. Front Office
5. What aspects of the Dental Assistant's responsibilities appeal to you the most?
6. What aspects of the Dental Assistant's responsibilities appeal to you the least?