

2018 – 2019 Dental Hygiene Program Outcomes (Program Goals)

1. Thirty-two (32) new students will begin the program annually.
2. Maintain an admissions process, progression policy and student success plan (remediation plan) that ensure students are prepared to enter and complete the rigorous curriculum of dental hygiene.
3. At least thirty students (30) will graduate from the program each year.
4. Prepare dental hygienists who will be professional and ethical members of the dental health care team.
5. Prepare graduates to perform entry-level dental hygiene skills that support comprehensive dental care to a diverse population as delegable to Michigan registered dental hygienists. Ninety-six percent of graduates will pass all licensure examinations by the second attempt.
6. Add a sixth dental hygiene faculty to second year dental hygiene clinics.
7. Develop protocol for supervising dentist for second year clinics.
8. Complete graduate surveys for class of 2016, 2017 and 2018.
9. Complete employer surveys for class of 2016, 2017 and 2018.
10. Encourage an environment that promotes sustainability in the classroom, Laboratory and clinical setting where qualified competent faculty teach and facilitate learning.
11. Sustain a dynamic dental hygiene program that promotes contemporary, evidence based dental hygiene practices.
12. Promote lifelong learning opportunities in professional organizations and community service.
13. Develop and foster articulation agreements with high school career centers and four-year institutions.

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