



BECOME A DENTAL ASSISTANT APPRENTICE TODAY

Why Explore Dentistry?

The Dental Assistant (DA) Youth Apprenticeship program is an exciting opportunity to gain hands-on experience in a patient-centered field that can provide an invaluable foundation to a potential career in dentistry.

Dental Assistant Responsibilities:

You will be tasked with creating a welcoming environment for patients, exam room preparation as well as assisting with dental procedures (such as x-rays). Strong communication skills, attention to detail and teamwork are all skills that will be developed through the DA Youth Apprenticeship program.

What is Youth Apprenticeship?

Wisconsin YA allows you to earn and learn. YA lets you discover what works for you. Gain on-the-job experience and career connections throughout a two-year program. You are given the freedom to explore industries that interest you while not sacrificing your ability to complete a high school education.

"As a high school student participating in the Youth Apprenticeship Program...my passion for dentistry has only grown as I have become more familiar with the dental setting and serving patients." - Carter Lory, former YA Dental Assistant



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EXPAND YOUR WORKFORCE THROUGH YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP

Invest in YOUR future

Wisconsin Youth Apprenticeship provides its partner worksites with the invaluable opportunity to get potential, full-time employees through the door while they are eager and ready to learn from you. In what operates as a 1-2 year interview experience, employers are able to invest in the future Wisconsin workforce while laying a promising foundation for their own business.



"Having the YA's at MSW has been both beneficial and enriching for everyone involved. These kids are exceptional students in their academic environments as well as in the clinic setting. Coupled with their eagerness to learn, they very quickly become assets to supporting the clinic team and their daily schedule." - Stacy Nehmer, Executive Director of More Smiles Wisconsin

Independence & Teamwork

As a YA worksite partner, how you choose to run your business and its daily operations will go unchanged besides the addition of an enthusiastic new employee pool. YA serves to work in tandem with you as you grow your business. The Dental Assistant occupation is suffering from a statewide shortage; Wisconsin YA wants to assist you in creating an employment solution!