

**College of Health Sciences School of Dental Hygiene
Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes
March 16, 2015
Provost Room HEC 6:00 PM**

- Call the meeting to order –Michele Furu 6:00 PM
- Welcome & Introductions

Committee Present: Joan Tonner, Rebecca Ludwig, Jeanette Siladie, Michele Furu, Sherry Johnson, Jerry Reynolds, Lisa Yasco, Linda Johnson, Sandi Marcil, Steven Bloom, Gregg Langston, Erin Dougherty, Amy Krueger, Chris Wujick, Jennifer Giles, Mina Hanna, Lori Guettler

- Program Activities
 - Enrollment updates for AS program- Tonner
 - 31 sophomores and freshmen currently enrolled
 - Enrollment updates for BASDH program- Siladie
 - 87 currently enrolled
- BASDH Curriculum update- Siladie
 - Under our new curriculum, we had our first cohort complete their capstone in the fall semester, producing our first December graduates. These students began the program in January 2013, and we awarded 22 bachelor degrees in December 2014.
 - We had an uptick in enrollment for our January cohort of new students— last January (2014) we had 18 new students, this January (2015) we accepted and enrolled 27 new students.
 - Our BASDH program had a booth at FDHA in Orlando in September to help with recruitment--Christine Patel reported enthusiastic interactions with many potential students.
 - The COHS participates in the new blogging effort at St. Petersburg College. Our goal is to have each program in the COHS blog at least once a semester under the Health Sciences section of the blog. To view our dental hygiene posts, please click here:
<http://blog.spcollege.edu/health/>
 - The Blog is to be maintained once a semester for each program in COHS.
- Study Abroad students presented their video and spoke of their experience in Jamaica (Molly Espino, Jackie Marafino, Tre Figueroa, Jessica Beaumont)
- Interdisciplinary Education Initiative HEC-Tonner/ Ludwig
 - October 2014 activity and then same group in February 2015 worked on case based medical errors scenario.
- AS DH new equipment requests- Tonner
Advisory committee approved the following:
 - Digital Panarex machine - \$29000
 - 24 K1 1003 Glide Bar Chair mounts (pole/mount) (\$105 each) 2,520

- Iodinated Cartridge Water filters for dental chairs * 3,125.00
- Midmark Autoclave - \$4351.00
- AS DH Community Activities- Krueger
 - Community Dental Program through Pinellas County School Board
 - 50 children seen with 182 sealants placed
 - Study Abroad –soliciting support for next set of students
 - Special Olympics-
 - 7 freshmen/two faculty/4 graduates screened 50 athletes
- AS DH Curriculum changes- Tonner
 - Incoming class being admitted summer 2016. (Class of 2018)
 - New practice management course- Dental Hygiene III

Objectives:

1. The student will be introduced to practice management and will demonstrate skills by:
 - a. Identifying correct CDT codes
 - b. Discussing the rationale for business production goals
 - c. Determining a clinical day(s) worth of production
 - d. Identify supplies utilized by the dental hygienist in the dental hygiene treatment care plan
 - e. Performing cost analysis of the identified supplies utilized in the dental hygiene treatment care plan.
 2. The student will demonstrate the role of interprofessional collaboration in dental hygiene care by:
 - a. Describing the inclusion of other medical disciplines in the treatment of the dental patient.
 - b. Defining and describing interdisciplinary relationships.
 3. The student will demonstrate soft communication skills by:
 - a. Role playing clinical scenarios.
 - b. Utilizing critical thinking skills through clinical case studies.
 4. The student will demonstrate the knowledge of table clinic presentations by:
 - a. Defining the steps of developing a table clinic presentation.
 - b. Identify and research topics of current interest.
- Change in effect for admission pre requisites requiring Microbiology to be part of the admission process as a pre entry course along with A & P I and A & P II.
 - This is being done to assist students success in the strenuous DH curriculum
 - Questions for Committee:
 - Blood Pressure monitoring/screening in private practices- parameters?
 - Consensus was it is done with new patient, by dental assistant, at recall or prior to surgery/sedation in different offices.
 - Parameters sent by Dr. Dougherty similar to SPC guidelines of 160/100 dismissal for consult before elective procedure.
 - Air Polishing sequencing or at all in private practice?
 - Consensus was yes they have prophylaxes but not routinely done
 - Online survey results for graduates and employers for AS DH program- Tonner
 - 8 submissions with 16 views
 - 4 DH 's gave their dentists contact information- will be contacting them for employer's response.

- AS DH Local Anesthesia CE update – over 150 taught so far. 21 registered for March/April
- Announcements
 - Next Advisory meeting will be dinner Thursday September 24th 2015 planned at Seminole Campus Conference Center location – 6:00-8:00 PM
 - Scholarship recipients BASDH/ AS DH
 - Ailyn Avila –Portal - \$500 West Coast Dental Award
 - Loreena Schaefer- \$345 Claudia Beard Award
 - Jacquelynn Marafino-\$460 Sabrina Starliper Award
 - Sulma Martinez - \$300 Foundation
 - Mary Gardner- \$300 Foundation
 - Bridget Nolan- \$500 Michelle Lambert Award
 - Lori Kennedy- \$500 Michelle Lambert Award
- Adjournment- 7:30 PM - Furu