

# Dental Nursing Advanced Apprenticeship

## Apprenticeship

From a general check-up to root canal work, as a dental nurse you will be required to have a reassuring and caring nature as it will be your job to look after the patients. You will also need great communication and organisational skills as you will be responsible for looking after the equipment and maintaining high levels of cleanliness. Successful completion of the course will enable you to become a qualified dental nurse and register with the General Dental Council.

New apprenticeship standards are being introduced to focus skills training more on specific career roles within industry. These government changes mean the apprenticeship skills development programme is written with employers ensuring you are much more work ready for a specific role by the time you complete your training.

You will be required to attend college on 1 day per week. An essential element of the programme is that you must achieve the Level 3 Diploma in Dental Nursing (City and Guilds), which consists of a portfolio of evidence and observations of you working in the dental practice by an assessor, plus four exams.

You can expect your employer to give you all the hands-on practical experience you need to become a fully qualified dental nurse. You will need great communication and organisational skills, plus a caring manner to succeed in this industry.



Scan the QR Code for full course description, assessment and progression options from this course

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You need to be working in a dental practice and have GCSEs at grade 4 in both maths and English.



If you are not currently employed, we may be able to help you find an employer to start the apprenticeship. Please contact our apprenticeship recruitment team for advice on 0330 123 4785 or e-mail [apprenticeships@cornwall.ac.uk](mailto:apprenticeships@cornwall.ac.uk)

All applicants will receive an initial assessment and a personal interview to check suitable for the apprenticeship.



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### LOCATION & NEXT START DATE(S)

Cornwall College St Austell - As required  
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**LEVEL**  
Level 3

**DURATION**  
18-24 Months

**ATTENDANCE**  
Work-based

**FEES**  
Tuition Fees: £0.00

Fees apply to adults and HE students only. Only the most common fees scenario is shown. Actual fees may vary depending on your personal situation. Please contact us for further information. Courses listed on this website are indicative of the subject, nature and level of study. The College reserves the right to alter specific qualifications titles, awarding bodies and levels of qualification, which can change in year. Any cost may also vary, based on personal funding eligibility. The Cornwall College Group reserves the right to withdraw any course listed at any time.

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