



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Demand for paraprofessionals in dentistry has grown tremendously in recent years. As part of the dental team, EFDAs work directly with dentists in restorative dental procedures, providing both timely and exact care to patients.

EFDAs perform reversible dental procedures as set by guidelines of the Pennsylvania State Board of Dentistry, under the direct supervision of a dentist.

The EFDA program is accredited by the American Dental Association Commission on Dental Accreditation.

AFFORDABILITY

At Manor College, 96% of students receive financial aid. Manor is committed to making our personalized education experience possible for all students, both academically and financially. Manor offers competitive tuition, financial aid options such as merit-based scholarships, and athletic scholarships (for eligible sports). You'll find Manor is an affordable place to start your education!

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Manor continually reviews and accepts applications, making it easy to become part of our community.

TIP: Better to apply sooner than later! With our rolling admissions policy, we review applications throughout the year in the order received. This means more certainty in your future, as you'll receive an admissions decision within two weeks of sending in all of your documents. You'll also be further along in the enrollment process, which improves your chances for scholarships and financial aid—and for getting your first selections for class times and professors.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

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- 2 years of Math, 1 year of Biology, and 1 year of Chemistry/Lab in high school with a minimum GPA of 2.5.
- A minimum of 800 (V+M or CR+M) on the SAT is required.
- If applicable, a minimum GPA of 2.5 in previous college work is required.
- A personal interview with the EFDA Program Director is also required.



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RECOMMENDED CURRICULUM SEQUENCE • ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE EXPANDING FUNCTIONS DENTAL ASSISTING (EFDA)

FIRST YEAR

FALL SEMESTER

- DA 101 Chairside Procedures • 4 credits
- DA 101 Chairside Lab • 0 credits
- DA 103 Principles of Radiology • 2 credits
- DA 115 Practice Management • 1 credit
- DA 107 Dental Materials • 3 credits
- DA 107 Dental Materials Lab • 0 credits
- DA 109 Medical Management of the Dental Patient • 1 credit
- DA III Infection Prevention and Control in Dentistry • 1 credit

SPRING SEMESTER

- DA 112 Clinical Experience • 3 credits
- DA 104 Radiographic Techniques • 1 credit
- DA 106 Dental Anatomy • 4 credits
- DA 106 Dental Anatomy Lab • 0 credits
- DA 118 Dental Specialties • 1 credit
- DA 120 Oral Health Issues • 2 credits
- BI 105 Survey of Anatomy & Physiology • 3 credits

SECOND YEAR

SUMMER SEMESTER

- DA 212 Clinical Experience II • 3 credits
- DA 201 Expanded Functions • 3 credits
- DA 202 Expanded Functions Lab • 4 credits

FALL SEMESTER

- DA 213 Clinical Experience III • 3 credits
- DA 205 Dental Science • 3 credits

SPRING SEMESTER

- DA 214 Clinical Experience IV • 2 credits
- DA 206 Internship Experience • 2 credits
- BI 106 Nutrition • 3 credits

CORE COURSES

Religion, Math, English, Psychology, Public Speaking, Computer Science, Philosophy, History (3 credits each)

PROGRAM TOTAL: 73 CREDITS

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