

Kierstin Newfield

Dental Hygienist

Profile

I have over 3 years of experience as a Dental Hygienist. I am passionate about oral health and education, and enjoy working with patients to help them maintain good oral hygiene habits. I am knowledgeable in all aspects of dental cleanings, periodontal therapy, home care instruction, and sealants. I also have experience taking radiographs (x-rays), which are an important part of the diagnostic process. In addition to my clinical skills, I am also proficient in electronic medical records systems and excel at administrative tasks such as scheduling appointments and charting treatments.

Employment History

Dental Hygienist at Colgate-Palmolive (New York)

Apr 2022 - Present

- I cleaned the teeth of an average of 30 patients per day.
- I performed dental prophylaxis, which is a deep cleaning, on an average of 2 patients per day.
- I took digital radiographs of teeth for diagnostic purposes an average of 3 times per day.
- I explained proper brushing and flossing techniques to patient's daily.
- Every 6 months, I completed continuing education courses totaling 12 hours in order to maintain my license requirements.

Dental Assistant at Procter & Gamble (Ohio)

Sep 2019 - Mar 2022

- Successfully completed root canals on 4 patients.
- Successfully removed calculus (tartar) from teeth of 28 patients.
- Educated 29 patients on the importance of flossing daily.
- Explained to 26 patients how poor dental hygiene leads to gum disease.
- Performed regular cleanings on 22 people with no cavities or fillings.

Education

Associate's degree in Dental Hygiene at Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA

Sep 2015 - May 2019

I graduated with a degree in Dental Hygiene and became licensed in the state of Texas. I have been working as a dental hygienist for over three years now.

Certificates

Registered Dental Hygienist (RDH)

Jan 2021

Licensed Dental Hygienist (LDH)

Sep 2019

Certified Dental Assistant (CDA)

Jun 2018

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Skills

Crest Pro-Health Toothpaste

Zoom! Whitening System

Dental floss

Waterpik Cordless Plus Water
Flosser WP-450

Sonicare FlexCare+ Electric
Toothbrush HX6932/10

Philips Sonicare DiamondClean
Smart 9300 Series toothbrush

HX9903/11 – Rose Gold Edition
rechargeable electric toothbrush

Languages

English

Japanese