



Participant Memorandum of Understanding
Local Anesthesia Certification Course. Course # CAR 751
Clinical Training Dates: March 16, 17, 18, 2024
Middlesex Community College -Dental Clinic - Lowell, Massachusetts

Middlesex Community College ensures all participants in the RDH Local Anesthesia Certification Course understand that:

1. The goal of the Dental Hygiene Local Anesthesia Certification course is to help you prepare for the CDCA computerized exam and to prepare you to safely and effectively administer local anesthesia. Students must take full responsibility for learning and for the CDCA exam preparation as the CDCA exam is separate from this certification program. Students agree to participate as a recipient of local anesthesia as part of this clinical training. You will give and receive 30 injections throughout the 3-day clinical. As part of the program, students must complete and pass an online study (75% or above) prior to clinical. 26 CEUs and a certificate will be awarded upon successful completion. Partial credit cannot be awarded. **Tuition \$1550. All clinical supplies and lunch provided.**

COVID-19 update: PPE requirements have relaxed for COVID-19. However, students are still required to wear face masks and gloves. Level 3 face masks and gloves will be provided. Students must bring their own lab coat and safety glasses. You may bring your own N95 mask in lieu of the MCC provided face mask.

2. I will submit the following forms prior to starting the online pre-study: Signed memo of understanding, completed medical history forms, signed consent form, copy of current, valid registered dental hygiene license, copy of current, valid CPR certification. If MCC does not receive all required forms by the deadline below, we reserve the right to withdraw your seat. Students who do not provide the required forms by the submittal deadline cannot participate in the clinical portion of the program. The required forms can be downloaded at <https://www.middlesex.mass.edu/CareerTraining/DHLA.aspx>

Email forms to Ellen at: <mailto:wrighte@middlesex.mass.edu>

Enrollment begins December 1 – January 22, 2024 (or until seats fill)

Forms submission deadline: No later than January 22, 2024

Online Study Period (self-paced): December 11, 2023 through March 11, 2024

3. Once forms are submitted, students will be issued a user Id, password, and the appropriate online study instructions via your e-mail address provided. The online pre-study is independent, self-paced, and takes approximately 50 hours to complete. As part of the online pre-study, you need to successfully pass (3) online quizzes with a grade of 75% or better by the above online study deadline to participate in clinical. Students may repeat the quizzes as often as they like prior to the deadline. You will not be allowed to participate in any aspect of the clinical training without meeting these criteria. This is a course requirement and a safety issue. It is strongly recommended that you submit your forms as soon as possible to begin the online study as soon as possible.
4. Required textbook: Handbook of Local Anesthesia, 7th edition by Stanley Malamed.
Note: The 6th edition may also be used for this course. Please purchase at your preferred book vendor.

