

Assessment of Program Student Learning Objectives (SLOs)
SLO Survey of Degree Applicants
Dental Assisting AS Degree, Summer 2012 – Spring 2013



	# of Respondents	Agree Strongly	Agree	Disagree	Disagree Strongly	Mean Score
Legally sit for the Registered Dental Assistant (RDA) licensing examination for the State of California	5	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.00
Legally sit for the Certified Dental Assistant (CDA) licensing examination administered by the Dental Assisting National Board (DANB)	5	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.00
Follow the Continuing Education procedures necessary to maintain current knowledge in dental assisting and dentistry	5	80.0%	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.80
Demonstrate knowledge of existing California laws regarding delegatable duties and dental ethics as they relate to dental assisting	5	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.00

Note: "Mean Score" is derived by assigning numeric values to each response (where 1="Disagree Strongly", 2="Disagree", 3="Agree", and 4="Agree Strongly") and calculating the mean of all responses for a given question item.

Narrative Comments

What particular elements of CSM's Dental Assisting Program helped you the most?

- Good Teachers
- Hands on experience
- The teachers were a big help and gave me the necessary knowledge I needed to graduate.
- The teachers were very hands on and helpful with whatever was needed.

What particular element of CSM's Dental Assisting could be changed or added to help you?

- Better organization.