



# Dental Assisting

## Career Competition

**Career Cluster:** Health Sciences

**State Qualifying Exam:** Yes

**National Contest:** Yes

**Participation:** Individual

### Competition Description

Evaluate each competitor’s preparation for employment and to recognize outstanding students for excellence and professionalism in the field of dental assisting.

### Tasks To Be Evaluated

This career competition is test only and requires one knowledge performance multiple choice assessment.

### Clothing Requirement

#### National Requirement:

##### Class B: Healthcare Attire

- Official SkillsUSA blue scrubs. Scrubs should fit appropriately for all health competitions and should be properly hemmed and wrinkle free.
- Only plain, white, collarless T-shirts may be worn underneath the scrubs.
- Hair must be pinned up and off the collar.
- White socks or white seamless/nonpattern hose visible above the top of the shoe.
- Health professionals white or black leather work shoes. Shoes must be all- white or black leather (no canvas/mesh), completely enclosed (no open-toe or open-heel). Athletic- style shoes that meet the criteria are acceptable.

#### State Requirement:

##### Class B: Healthcare Attire OR

- Scrubs should fit appropriately for all health competitions and should be properly hemmed and wrinkle free.
- Only plain, white, collarless T-shirts may be worn underneath the scrubs.
- Hair must be pinned up and off the collar.
- White socks or white seamless/nonpattern hose visible above the top of the shoe.
- Health professionals white or black leather work shoes. Shoes must be all-white or black leather (no canvas/mesh), completely enclosed (no open-toe or open-heel). Athletic-style shoes that meet the criteria are acceptable.
- Any embroidered names or school patches must be covered, if applicable.

### Provided by Competitor

- Basic hand-held calculator (no graphing or scientific calculators [with fraction keys] will be permitted)
- Pencil
- One-page resume

### Provided by Technical Committee

- Test problems and instructions
- Scratch paper and a pencil

### Additional Information

No watches/smartwatches/cellphones or other timing devices are permitted in the competition area. No reference materials may be brought into the competition area.