LSU Health NEW ORLEANS
Continuing Dental Education

LIMITED SEATING — REGISTER EARLY!

EXPANDED DUTY DENTAL ASSISTANT (EDDA) TRAINING

in Lafayette

Friday-Sunday, February 24-26, 2023
at Lafayette General Medical Center,1214 Coolidge Blvd., Lafayette, Louisiana and a local private dental office

24 clinical hours (12 lecture, 12 participation) | Course #11-23 | Registration Fee: $725*
Sign-In and Breakfast: 7:30-8:00 am (each day) | Course Starts: 8:00 am (each day)

** Registration fee includes lab supplies, continental breakfasts, snacks, and boxed lunches.*
You will receive a link to download the EDDA training manual prior to the course.

NOTE: This is NOT a beginner course. Six months of chair-side experience assisting a dentist is required prior to taking this course. You must also submit two forms:**

- **Dentist Confirmation/Dental Assistant Agreement Form**
- **EDDA Assistant Experience Form**

***These forms must be received by our office NO LATER than two weeks before the course.*

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Online: www.lsucde.org
Phone: 504.941.8193

OVERVIEW

This is the "next step" for assistants who want to expand their capabilities in dental practice. This course is designed to provide dental assistants with the knowledge and skills they need to perform expanded duty dental assisting functions as specified by Louisiana law. Hands-on exercises will be performed in the laboratory to reinforce the material presented in the lectures. Each participant will be given and must pass a post-course examination to determine competency. Upon successful completion of this course (including a passing exam grade) and submitting a post-course evaluation, participants will receive a verification of participation letter. To receive your EDDA certification, you must submit this EDDA training verification of participation letter along with the EDDA Application for Certification Confirmation, proof of completion of a Louisiana State Board of Dentistry-approved radiology course, a copy of a current CPR certification card and the required application fee **to the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry**.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

After completing the course, participants should be better able to identify, understand, and explain:

- Function of instruments and materials used in coronal polishing
- Limitations and uses of coronal polishing technique as contrasted with a prophylaxis
- Use, care, and lubrication of the right angle handpiece
- Instruments and materials for suturing
- Types and levels of sedation
- Types and uses of dental liners
- Parts of the Tofflemire matrix retainer
- Sequence of steps in the placement of an anterior restoration
- Placement of pit and fissure sealant
- Groups of extrinsic and intrinsic stains on dentition
- Process for placing a medicated dressing post-operative
- Cause and treatment of alveolar osteitis
- Post-operative instruction to a patient for home care
- Indications and contraindications for use of nitrous oxide
- Safety features of the nitrous unit
- Technique of, application, and monitoring nitrous oxide
- Purpose of and different types of temporary crowns
- Proper armamentarium needed for fabrication of a temporary crown
- Use of rubber dam and the isolation of teeth
- Manipulation and use of periodontal surgical dressing
- Methods used for gingival retraction

After completing the course, participants should be better able to demonstrate their knowledge of/ability to perform:

- Dental anatomy
- Coronal polishing
- Removing sutures with a sterile technique
- Placement of a cavity liner
- Preparing, placing, wedging, and removing a Tofflemire matrix retainer
- Etching of a posterior tooth prior to the placement of pit and fissure sealant
- Gingival retraction using the chemical method
- Removal of the retraction cord
- Mixing, placement and removal of periodontal dressing
- Application of pit and fissure sealants
- Preparation needed before placement of sealants
- Placement of temporary filling

ABOUT THE PRESENTERS

Karen Coco, EDDA has 40 years of dental assisting experience. She is a dental assistant in private practice and is the Lafayette EDDA Team leader. Ms. Coco has taught EDDA courses for six years.

Loretta Hoyer, EDDA has 45 years of dental assisting experience. She is a dental assistant/lab technician in private practice and has taught EDDA courses for two years.

Telisa Rogers, EDDA has 20 years of dental assisting experience. She is the lead dental assistant at a private practice and has taught EDDA courses for five years.

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