



Dental Hygiene Clinic General Information

Dental hygienists are important members of the oral health care team. Dental hygienists can assist you in caring for your gums, preventing oral disease, and supporting your total wellness.

The following information will help you decide if you would like to benefit from dental hygiene care provided by students at VCC:

- **Screening Appointment** Takes approximately 30 to 45 minutes. Screening is a way to determine your dental hygiene needs. Clients who are accepted for care are charged a \$5.00 fee that is applied to future services.
- **After Screening** If your case meets dental hygiene learning needs, a student will contact you. The number of appointments is different for each person depending on need.
- **Time** We usually need approximately 6 appointments of about 2 ¼ hours each. Appointments are scheduled weekdays, and begin at 9:00, 1:00 or 5:00 promptly.
- **Fee for Dental Hygiene Care at VCC** is \$30.00.
- The VCC dental hygiene clinical program cannot meet all dental treatment needs.
- We cannot accept dental insurance or social services claims. Also, your MSP medical does not cover dental care.

Call 604 443-8499 to arrange a screening appointment

Thank you for your interest in our VCC dental hygiene student clinic

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