

Dear Prospective Student:

Thank you for your interest in Indiana University South Bend. We're happy for this opportunity to introduce you to the Dental Hygiene Program. We are proud of the professional reputation of our students and graduates. We strive for excellence in the clinic, and classroom. We are a learner-centered program providing various educational experiences including hands-on, activity based, and gaming.

The Dental Hygiene curriculum, which is accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association, leads to the

## Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene (BSDH)

The IU South Bend campus offers two baccalaureate degrees. The **Entry Level BSDH** is designed for those preparing to enter the profession with a four-year degree.

The **Degree Completion BSDH** is for licensed hygienists who are already graduates of an accredited Associate Degree Dental Hygiene program, and wish to continue their education and enhance their career opportunities.

Programs and curriculum are subject to change. Refer to the academic bulletin or consult with an advisor at the Student Success Academic Advising Center in the Vera Z. Dwyer College of Health Sciences.

The Dental Hygiene program offers clinical services to the public. You are welcome to schedule an appointment for dental hygiene care by calling: (574) 520-4156.

For other career information about the professions, please see <u>www.adha.org</u> or <u>www.myplan.com</u>.

The electronic writable version of the forms enclosed can also be found on our webpage at <u>www.iusb.edu/dental</u>.

Sincerely,

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