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Dear New Dental Hygiene Student:

Congratulations on your acceptance to the **Dental Hygiene Program** at Fayetteville Technical Community College. We hope you are looking forward to a challenging career choice. Your acceptance into the Dental Hygiene Program is subject to the following conditions:

1. You must continue to maintain a major grade point average of 2.5 or above and cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or above prior to entering the Dental Hygiene Program.
2. Once you enter the Dental Hygiene Program, you are subject to the rules and regulations of the Dental Hygiene Program.

Prior to entrance into the Dental Hygiene Program, you must fulfill certain obligations:

1. Your [**Viewpoint Screening Account**](https://www.viewpointscreening.com/faytechcc) (opens in new window) must be set up and your immunizations submitted by July 15. The first Hepatitis B vaccination must be completed prior to the start of classes and you must receive a positive titer after the Hepatitis B vaccination series is complete. Once you access the Viewpoint website, please follow the steps under the “Dental Hygiene” tab to set up your account and submit your immunization records. You can access the immunization requirements using the Viewpoint Screening website by accessing following link: [Dental Hygiene Requirements](https://www.viewpointscreening.com/healthportalManager-2?school=4139939) (opens in new window)
2. Complete the training videos on HIPAA and Preventing Bloodborne Infection through the Viewpoint Screening website.
3. **CPR** for **BLS Provider** (including AED) must be completed and documentation submitted prior to the start of classes. \*CPR must be renewed annually in the Dental Hygiene Program and must be a face-to-face course through **American Heart Association**, BLS Providers CPR.
4. A required **uniform package** has been selected for you at Castle Uniforms, 1800 Skibo Road #228, location (910-485-4429). Castle Uniforms has arranged a reduced group rate for this package. You should be prepared to pay a minimum of ½ down deposit on the day of package order. You should visit Castle Uniforms before July 1 to be fitted, as uniform orders take approximately 4-6 weeks for delivery.
5. A required **summer Orientation** is scheduled for **Friday, June 20**, 9:00-2:00. Location will be HTC 111.
6. You will be **registered for your fall** courses during the summer Orientation. Please do not register beforehand, as course sections must be synchronized.

If you have related courses remaining, it is strongly suggested completing those courses prior to the start of the Fall semester. If you need assistance with summer registration, please contact me.

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Once again, we congratulate you on your achievements and wish you success in your curriculum. We look forward to helping you achieve that success.

Best regards,

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Welcome to Castle Uniforms and Welcome to the Healthcare Profession.

Congratulations on your acceptance to **Fayetteville Technical Community College Dental Hygiene Program**.  It is a privilege to represent the healthcare profession. Healthcare students are ambassadors for their school. As a student, you will work with the public, patients, and many types of medical and healthcare personnel. It is imperative that you are easily identified.

Your uniform identifies you as part of this privileged, entrusted group. Castle Uniforms, a North Carolina based, family run business since 1969, will offer you a student discount as you transition into this profession associated with integrity, honesty and empathy. The estimated cost of your required uniform package is $600.00

We look forward to helping you with your uniforms, shoes and diagnostic tools. We have options for you:

* ***In-store fittings***- group sales consultants are available to assist you Monday – Saturday from 10 AM to 6 PM at Castle Uniforms, 1800 Skibo Road #228, Cross Creek Plaza, Fayetteville, North Carolina 28303.
* Please allow ***6-8 weeks delivery*** time for student uniform packages. Please visit us by July 1, 2024.
* ***Personal Shopping Account***- before ordering, please visit Castle Uniforms website www.shopcastleuniforms.com (opens in new window) and click on Sign In, located in the top right corner to establish your student account and assure accuracy of shipping address. If you have shopped with us before, phone or email us for your account number to link to your existing account.
* ***Online Ordering-*** If you are unable to make it to Castle Uniforms you may visit [www.shopcastleuniforms.com](http://www.shopcastleuniforms.com/) (opens in new window) and click on Group Sign-In located at the top and order your FTCC DH student uniforms there. Your Group Sign-In code is **FTCCDH24**

**Payment Information**

* Pre- payment is required on your custom student package at time of placing order.
* A minimum of ½ deposit is required to begin processing your order. Full payment is required when ordering online.
* We accept MC/VISA/ Debit Cards, personal check, money orders and cash at time of order.
* Balances can be paid online with Credit/Debit card or paid in-store.
* Castle Uniforms will work with approved 3rd party billing agencies.
* Students using Financial aid via the FTCC Bookstore need to come in and begin the ordering process this summer. Bookstore orders will not be available for pickup until they have been approved by FTCC.

**Optional diagnostic tools, shoes, stethoscopes and socks available at student discount**

* Shoes-appropriate shoes may include closed toe, closed heel, supportive for standing on your feet all day and made of materials that will not allow body fluids to absorb.
* Socks-graduated compression that forces blood and fluid flow back up your legs
* Stethoscopes-one of the most important tools in a healthcare providers arsenal
* Wrist Watch- necessary to document vital signs
* Bandage Scissors, BP cuffs, Hemostats, Pulse Oximeter and more

We look forward to dressing you in your journey to help others in your medical profession.

Sincerely,

Castle Uniforms

Dental Hygiene Program

✓ Check List

Order Uniform

* + Viewpoint Requirements
  + Immunizations

Measles (Rubeola), Mumps & Rubella (MMR): 2 Vaccines or Positive titer

Varicella (Chicken Pox): 2 Vaccines or Positive titer

Hepatitis B: 3 Vaccines **AND** Positive titer

2-StepTuberculosis (TB) (2 PPD’s w/in 365 days)

Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis (Tdap): Administered within the past 10 years

Influenza: Administered September – March

* + - Training Videos

HIPAA

Preventing Bloodborne Infections

Physical Examination (form located in Viewpoint)

CPR Certification

Handbook Acknowledgement (after orientation)

Code of Conduct Statement (after orientation)

Professional Liability Insurance (purchase at FTCC Business office prior to start of semester)