



# SUMMER CLERKSHIP OVERVIEW

PROGRAM OF STUDY	YEAR	FIELD OF CLERKSHIP
DDS program	2	<b>DENTAL ASSISTANT PRACTICE</b>

<b>OBJECTIVES</b>	Familiarize student with organization of work in outpatient dental clinics and teach him/her basic activities included in the responsibilities of a dental assistant.
<b>LOCATION</b>	dental outpatient clinics/wards Student is obliged to submit a document confirming full licensing of the clinic. The document must bear name and address of the facility.
<b>DURATION</b>	<b>4 weeks, 120 h</b> (5 days/week, 6 h/day); can be completed over summer vacation months only (July - September).
<b>SUPERVISION</b>	Direct supervision over proper completion of the clerkship schedule is assigned to a licensed dentist designated by the facility manager.
<b>CREDITING</b>	Credit is granted for acquiring knowledge and skills specified in the program of clerkship and confirmed through filling out the Certificate of Summer Clerkship Completion (provided by the JU MC SME) on condition of meeting the requirements specified in the clerkship schedule.
<b>PROGRAM OF CLERKSHIP</b>	<p>Preparing instruments for dental surgical procedures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• disinfection of instruments and preparing instruments for sterilization</li><li>• sterilization methods – water, steam, dry air</li></ul> <p>Preparing materials for dental surgical procedures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• preparing dressing materials</li><li>• preparing filling materials</li><li>• preparing impression materials for impression taking</li><li>• preparing auxiliary facilities for dental surgical procedures</li></ul> <p>Assisting at dental surgical procedures</p> <p>Administrative:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• registration of patients</li><li>• keeping patient records</li><li>• writing certificates</li><li>• general administration of outpatient clinic/ward</li></ul>