Introduction to dentistry

Dentistry is the diagnosis , prevention and treatment of disease and disfigurement in the mouth and oral area.

serious dentistry requires numerous different roles working together at once , the dentist themselves, but also a number of reinforcements, dental assistants, nurses, hygienists, technicians and therapists.

Similar courses for Dentistry include

 \* Clinical Dentistry

 \* Clinical Medicine and Dentistry

 \* Pre-clinical Dentistry

Every year , dentists help millions of people keep smiling , As a dentistry student you will learn how to diagnose , maintain and improve people's oral health . you will also explore cosmetic dentistry, helping people feel more confident and attractive through aesthetic surgery of their mouth, gums and teeth.

you will learn and apply a combination of medicine, science ,people skills and many other disciplines, before you're a qualified dentist-an achievement that normally takes six years or more .

 > Why study Dentistry

Dentistry like any other medical degree or profession, has the feel good factor . you're changing lives for the better , learning how to keep people in good health.

Dentistry degrees allow you to practice at local surgeries , with at least a year dedicated to practical work.

Dentistry offers a very clear career path for students , one with outstanding salary and employment prospects .once qualified, you can expect to be earning upwards of 30000 dollars as a starting graduate salary <in Europe of course >

The rapid development of scientific means that dentistry can also be a fast paced and exciting industry to work in emerging technologies brings new specialism to the subject, in addition to the many sub-sets you can already choose from orthodontist, pediatric, cosmetic, aesthetic, endodontic and many more.

 > What jobs can you get as a Dentistry graduate

As well as being a dentist , you can have a private practice specialty or choose dental nursing instead, Areas such as research and charity healthcare are also options.

> How will you be assessed

if you study Dentistry , you will need to know complex medical techniques and terminology ,so be prepared for a lot of exams .

Qualifications in chemistry and biology are requirements for most universities, with physics and mathematics also viewed by many as complementary relevant subjects. the expected grade standards for dentistry are broadly higher than most subjects, as is true for all medicine degrees.

in support of this, there are practice exams and written coursework essays. The practical community work you do, will also be carefully monitored.

There are also many soft skills you should be looking to demonstrate when applying for a dentistry degree, including bedside manners , high level of concentration and accuracy , clear thinking , ability to work under pressure and mental /physical stamina.