Denturism
Denturism Program (S101) 2018-2019
Ontario College Advanced Diploma

Program Roadmap: Is this program right for you?

About You

- You understand this program requires a strong ability to critically apply knowledge to practical clinical patient care.
- You have strong oral and written English communication skills to work with patients, co-workers and other health-care professionals.
- You’re well organized, self-motivated and like to take initiative.
- You’ll need to possess good fine motor skills and visual acuity.

Are you ready?

- To participate in a full-time course load, with classes, clinics and labs Monday to Friday, and to complete additional coursework during evenings & weekends. For those with part-time employment, we recommend working no more than 8-10 hours per week.
- To synthesize large amounts of complex information and vocabulary in a short time.
- To provide supervised care, often for elderly patients.
- To be sitting and standing for long periods of time.

Did you know?

- You’re preparing to be an independent oral health-care provider working closely with members of the public.
- A Denturist is a regulated health professional and must annually participate in quality assurance activities to maintain professional status.

Chart Your Path Success

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<td>Plus any additional courses required based on placement test results*</td>
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<td>Attend your Program Orientation.</td>
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<td>Set up access to course-specific online communities &amp; materials.</td>
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<td>Complete external requirements with the Clinical Pre-Placement Office.</td>
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<td>Register early on STU-VIEW: for a mandatory in-person English placement test and for your courses.</td>
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<td>Set up your georgebrown.ca email. This is how the college will keep in touch with you.</td>
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<td>Get your student ID card. It gives you access to many college services and activities, including the Library Learning Commons.</td>
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Other Services

The Current Student page has information about available services and activities including: Athletics (including clubs & recreation), Student Life activities (including the Student Leadership Academy), Counselling, Accessible Learning Services, Library Learning Commons, tutoring, peer coaching, technical support and more.
Program Highlights

- You dramatically improve the quality of life for people missing teeth – you make people happy!

About Us

- Our program is recognized by the College of Denturists of Ontario (CDO).
- We offer an in-depth program that combines clinical experience with the theoretical bedrock necessary for building your career.
- Located in the heart of downtown Toronto, the Waterfront Campus is easily accessible and offers students state-of-the-art clinics and labs.
- Led by a team of experienced professionals, many of whom graduated from George Brown College, our faculty is dedicated to preparing the next generation for the rigours of our changing health-care environment.

What's Next

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Denturists are members of a self-regulated health-care profession.

Denturists practice in various settings, including:
- private practice
- community health settings
- hospitals
- teaching institutions
- research
- innovation facilities
- the dental industry

Need career support?

Jump-start your job search with Career Services and Career Coach.

The Career Services centre offers support to students before, during and after their studies.

- Identify your strengths and develop your career skills.
- Use our online tools and interactive workshops to build your resume, cover letter and interview skills.
- Work one-on-one with a Career Advisor to start your career development.