

# Butte County ROP Dental Specialty Courses

## Program Information Sheet for 2024-2025

- » Are you **currently employed in a dental office** and would like to become a **Registered Dental Assistant?**
- » Do you want to take classes that will provide you with the **certificates** required to apply to the Dental Board to take the RDA exam?
- » And...do you want to take classes that will **train you** how to do procedures?

Butte County CTE offers a variety of Dental Specialty Courses throughout through its School of ROP. These board-approved courses are a combination of lecture, laboratory and clinical patient sessions designed specifically for dental auxiliaries.

Classes range from single-day sessions to multiple class days, with most taking place on the weekend.

- **\*Participants must be 18 years of age or older and have a high school diploma or equivalent,** except for Infection Control/DPA.
- Registrants **must hold a CPR/BLS certificate** (certificate **must be AHA/ARC approved and have an AHA or ARC logo**).
- **Participants must be currently employed in a Dental Office.**
- Other certificates may be required; see course descriptions below for more details.



Register online at  
[CTE.bcoe.org/dental-specialty-courses](https://cte.bcoe.org/dental-specialty-courses)

### Infection Control / DPA

- Provides Infection Control and Dental Practice Act Certificate
- **Registrants must hold CPR/BLS Certificate**
- Course is one day in length

#### Course Dates: *Select ONE one-day session*

- Friday, 8/16/24, 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 7/19/24)
- Saturday, 9/21/24, 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 8/23/24)
- Saturday, 1/18/25, 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 12/13/24)
- Saturday, 2/22/25, 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 1/24/25)
- Friday, 5/9/25 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 4/11/25)

**Course Fee:**  
\$330

### \*Dental Radiation Safety

- Provides a California X-Ray Certificate
- **Registrants must hold Infection Control, Dental Practice Act AND CPR/BLS Certificates**
- Course is four full days in length

#### Course Dates: *Select ONE four-day session*

- Saturday-Sunday October 12-13, 2024 AND Saturday-Sunday October 26-27, 2024, 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 9/13/24)
- Thursday-Friday March 6-7, 2025 AND Thursday-Friday March 20-21, 2025, 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 2/7/25)

**Course Fee:**  
\$715

### \*Coronal Polish

- Provides a Coronal Polish Certificate
- **Registrants must hold Infection Control, Dental Practice Act AND CPR/BLS Certificates**
- Course is one half-day AND one full-day

#### Course Dates: *ONE two-day session available*

- Thursday 4/3/25, 1pm-5pm AND Friday 4/4/25, 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 3/7/25)

**Course Fee:**  
\$525

### \*Pit and Fissure Sealant

- Provides a Pit and Fissure Sealant Certificate
- **Registrants must hold Coronal Polish, Infection Control, Dental Practice Act AND CPR/BLS Certificates**
- Course is two full days in length

#### Course Dates: *ONE two-day session available*

- Thursday, 6/12/25 8am-5pm AND Friday 6/13/25, 8am-5pm (reg. deadline 5/16/25)

**Course Fee:**  
\$715

## Contact us!

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