

HND Dental Therapy

Course Overview & Study Guide

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About HND Dental Therapy

Dental health is severely under-resourced in Cameroon. Dental Therapy graduates fill an essential gap — providing preventive dental care and basic treatments in communities with no dental services.

The program combines clinical dental science with basic medical sciences, giving you a solid scientific foundation alongside hands-on clinical skills.

Demand for qualified dental therapists is growing as dental clinics multiply in urban and peri-urban areas.

Course Structure — HND DTH

Credit values are set by the Ministry of Higher Education, Cameroon.

PROFESSIONAL COURSES

Code	Course Title	Credits
DTH11	Case Study	14
DTH12	Basic Dental Science	3
DTH13	Clinical Dental Science I	4
DTH14	Clinical Dental Science II	3
DTH15	Applied Clinical Dental Science	10
DTH16	Basic Science I	6
DTH17	Basic Science II	6

TRANSVERSAL COURSES

Code	Course Title	Credits
ENG101	English Language	1

FRN101	French Language	1
LCE101	Law and Citizenship Education	1
ECE21	Enterprise Creation and Entrepreneurship	1
CMS23	Computer Studies	1

Total Credits: 51

Career Paths — HND Dental Therapy

- Dental Therapist
- Oral Health Educator
- Community Dental Health Officer
- School Dental Health Coordinator
- Dental Hygienist
- Dental Clinic Manager
- Dental Sales Representative

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