

Amy J. Baker

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SKILLS

With more than 20 years of dental assisting experience, I'm a conscientious and hardworking individual with excellence organizational skills that have been refined in the U.S. Army.

OBJECTIVES

To bring my passion for healthy smiles, confidence building dentistry and education for oral health.

As a motivated team member, I will provide comfort and compassion to our patients in a caring dental practice.

DENTAL EXPERIENCE

- Review patient medical history, chart existing and proposed treatment, while maintaining HIPPA guidelines.
- Provided chair side assistance during dental exams and treatment.
- Knowledgeable in the aspects of restorative, prosthodontics, endodontics, and surgical treatment.
- Prepared operator for the necessary treatment, seated the patient, explained procedure to be performed and ensured patient was comfortable.
- Sterilized instruments as necessary, disinfected operator and equipment using proper infection control technique.
- Inventoried and maintained dental supply levels while maintaining OSHA literature.
- Operated X-ray equipment and advanced digital images using Eagle Soft and Dexis software.
- Proficient in bitewings, panorex films, and full mouth radiographic series.
- Fabricated and cemented temporary crowns upon crown prep completion.
- Adjusted permanent crowns prior to cementation.
- Placed and removed rubber dams during endodontic treatment.
- Efficient in applying sealants, packing cord and matrix bands.
- Expanded duties included: taking, pouring, trimming alginate impressions, making bleaching trays, educate and show patient dental concerns with use of an intra-oral camera.

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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Dental Assistant • Dr. Jim Nail
June 2006 to October 2016 – Springfield, MO

Dental Assistant • Dr. Kay Knipschild
March 2003 to June 2006 – Springfield, MO

Dental Assistant • Dr. Steven Swords
February 2003 to March 2004 – Columbus, GA

Dental Assistant • U.S. Army Dental Clinic
September 1997 to December 1999 – Honolulu, HI

Dental Assistant • Dr. Laurie Patrick
September 1994 to September 1997 – Huntsville, AL

Dental Assistant • Dr. Deborah Liveoak
September 1993 to September 1994 – Huntsville, AL

EDUCATION

Restorative I Expanded Functions
Ozark Technical College
November 2016

Missouri Dental Board Nitrous Oxide-
Oxygen Analgesia Certification
June 2009

Basic Skills Mastery Certificate
March 2008

Basic Life Support Certification

Calhoun Community College
Studied Dental Assisting 1994

Cultural Exchange Student, Federal
Republic of Germany. Awarded and
received a one year cultural exchange
student scholarship by the United States
Congress, 1988 to 1989

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- North Point Church Give Back Campaigns
- Give Kids a Smile Day – Dental Screening at Springfield Elementary Schools
- James River Church Pro bono Dental Outreach