

HOWARD UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY

Academic Calendar

2011-2012

**FALL SEMESTER
2011
ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

July 1, Friday	First deferred payment due for Fall 2011
August 5, Friday (5:00pm)	Summer Session ends for new Postdoctoral Dental Residents
August 8, Monday	Faculty report for 2011 Fall Semester
August 10, Wednesday	Faculty Retreat
August 15-19, Monday-Friday (8:30am)	Orientation for incoming (D1) First Year Dental and (DH3) First Year Dental Hygiene students
August 16, Tuesday	School photographs for new students
August 18-26, Thursday –Friday	Late registration for all Dental Hygiene students - penalty fees assessed for continuing Dental Hygiene students
August 19, Friday (11:00am)	OPENING ASSEMBLY- Howard University Hospital Lower Level– Auditorium
August 22, Monday (8:00am)	Fall Classes Begin for Dental and Dental Hygiene students, and Postdoctoral Dental Residents
	Initial Financial Aid disbursement for Fall 2011. (Undergraduate and Graduate students)
	Note: Student Financial Services will begin refund processing in 7 to 10 days following the disbursement of financial aid.
August 28, Sunday	DEADLINE FOR PROGRAM WITHDRAWAL 100% REFUND
September 5, Monday	LABOR DAY (Legal Holiday)
September 16, Friday	CIF/NERB Exam (Manikin exam)
September 23, Friday	OPENING CONVOCATION - Cramton Auditorium 11:00am (All classes suspended - 10:00am - 1:00pm)
October 7, Friday	Deadline for 50% refund of tuition/fees
October 7, Friday	Preliminary Enrollment Census Date

October 10, Monday	COLUMBUS DAY OBSERVED (Legal Holiday)
October 11-14, Tuesday-Friday	Midterm examinations for (D2)Second Year Dental, (D3)Third Year Dental, (D4)Fourth Year Dental and All Dental Hygiene students, classes canceled except (D1)First Year Dental students
October 20, Thursday	Mid-term grades due for Dental Hygiene students Deadline for Unofficial Withdrawal (UW) and Never Reported (NR) grades
October 20, Thursday	Deadline for 25% refund of tuition /fees (Last day for refunds)
October 20, Thursday	Final Enrollment Census date
October 26, Wednesday	2 nd Deferred payment due for Fall 2011
Oct. 31- Nov. 10 Monday - Thursday	General Registration for Spring 2012- Dental Hygiene students
November 9, Wednesday	Success Seminar for (D2)Second Year Dental, (D3)Third Year Dental, (D4)Fourth Year Dental students and Postdoctoral Dental Residents.
November 11, Friday	VETERANS DAY OBSERVED (Legal Holiday)
November 11, Friday	Last day for total withdrawal from Howard University
November 18, Friday	Dental Hygiene Table Clinics
November 23, Wednesday (5:30pm)	Thanksgiving Recess Begins
November 24, Thursday	THANKSGIVING DAY (Legal Holiday)
November 28, Monday (8:00am)	Classes resume
November 29 - December 1	Northeast Regional Board Examination (NERB) for Dental and Dental Hygiene (clinics closed)
December 2, Friday (5:30pm)	Formal Classes End
December 5 - 14 Monday - Wednesday	Final Examinations for Dental and Dental Hygiene students
	Deadline for Instructors to submit final grades via the web (5 calendar days after scheduled final examination)

December 14, Wednesday

Deadline to submit Special Grade Reports for removal of incomplete grades for Spring 2011.

December 16, Friday

Pre and Postdoctoral Clinics end at 5:00 p.m.

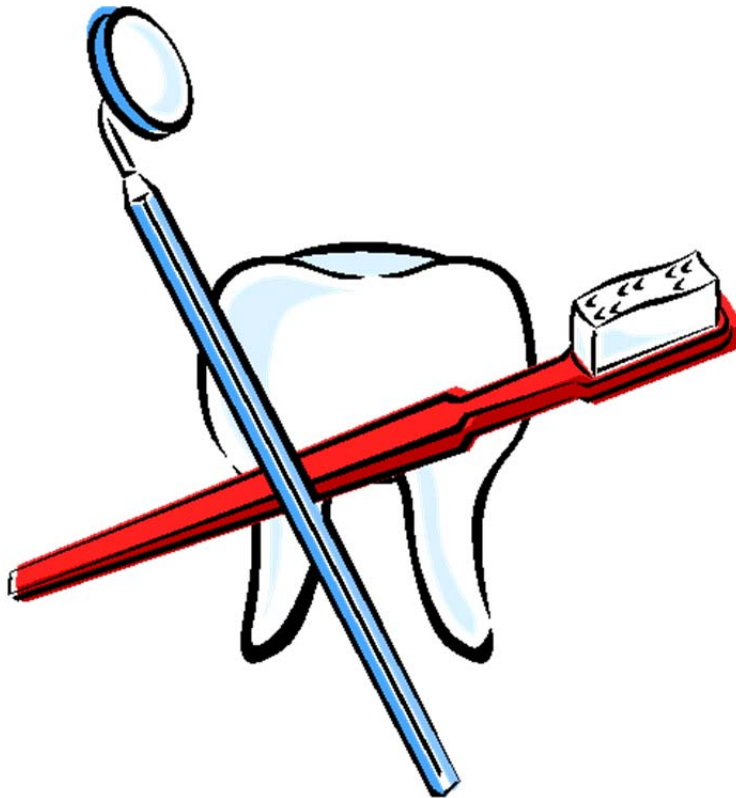
December 19, Monday

First deferred payment due for Spring 2012

December 26, Monday

Financial Aid disbursements for Spring 2012
Refund processing will begin 7-10 days after disbursement

FALL SEMESTER ENDS- FRIDAY DECEMBER 16, 2011



**SPRING SEMESTER
2012
ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

January 1, Sunday	2012-2013 Free Application for Student Aid (FAFSA) Is available
January 9, Monday	Formal Classes Begin / Clinics Open
January 9, Monday	Initial Financial Aid disbursement for Spring 2012 (Undergraduate and Graduate students)
January 9 - 13, Monday-Friday	Late registration for Dental Hygiene students
January 13, Friday	NERB Review begins
January 15, Sunday	Deadline for 100% refund of tuition / fees
January 16, Monday	MARTIN LUTHER KING JR'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVED - (Legal Holiday)
January 23, Monday	First Intrasessional Examinations for (D1) First Year Dental students (follow printed (D1) First Year Dental Students Examinations Schedule)
January 25, Wednesday	Debt Management and Exit Interviews - D4's
January 31 – February 27 Tuesday - Monday	Dental Health Month
February 1, Wednesday	Priority deadline for receipt of 2012-2013 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for Prospective and Continuing Students
February 3, Friday	Give Kids A Smile (GKAS)
February 4, Saturday	Student Council Dental Health Fair
February 17, Friday	Deadline for 50% refund of tuition/fees
February 17, Friday	Preliminary Enrollment Census date
February 20, Monday	PRESIDENTS DAY OBSERVED (Legal Holiday)
February 21 - 27, Tuesday-Monday	Mid-Term examinations for all Dental and Dental Hygiene students (except (D1) First Year Dental students)
February 29, Wednesday	Deadline for Unofficial Withdrawal (UW) grades

March 2, Friday	Mid-term grades due Dental Hygiene
March 2-3, Friday-Saturday	CIF/NERB Exam (Perio/Restorative patient examination)
March 7, Wednesday (12:15pm)	Student Council Annual Honors and Awards Ceremony, College of Medicine Auditorium, Room 3019
March 8, Thursday	Deadline for 25% refund of tuition/fees
March 8, Thursday	Final Enrollment Census date
March 9, Friday	Charter Day Observance in Cramton Auditorium at 11:00am (Classes are suspended from 10:00am - 1:00pm)
March 17-21, Saturday- Wednesday	ADEA Annual Conference
March 12- 16, Monday-Friday	Spring Recess
March 13, Tuesday	Second deferred payment due for Spring 2012
March 19, Monday (8:00am)	Classes Resume
March 19 - 23, Monday - Friday	(D3) Third Year Dental students Comprehensive Performance Examinations
March 19, Monday - March 30, Friday	General Registration (GR) for Fall 2012 Dental Hygiene students
March 23, Friday	Dental Hygiene National Board Examination MOCK
April 2, Monday-April 15, Sunday	General Registration (GR) for Summer 2012 Dental Hygiene students
April 6, Friday	Last day for Total Withdrawal from the University
April 11, Wednesday (9:00am - 5:00pm)	Postdoctoral Research Presentations – Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Orthodontic, Pediatric Dentistry and Postdoctoral Dental Residents
April 13, Friday (9:00am - 5:00pm)	Postdoctoral Research Presentations – Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Orthodontic, Pediatric Dentistry and Postdoctoral Dental Residents
April 18-20, Wednesday - Friday	Final Examinations for Dental Hygiene students (Degree Candidates)
April 17-18, Tuesday-Wednesday	Northeast Regional Boards (NERB)

April 20, Friday	Formal Classes End / Clinics Open
April 26, Thursday	Deadline for submitting grades for prospective graduates 3:00pm.
April 23 –May 4, Monday - Friday	Final Examinations for Dental and Dental Hygiene students (non-degree candidates) (Classes are suspended and clinics are closed for non-degree candidates)
	Deadline to submit final grades via the web is 5 calendar days after the scheduled examination.
May 9, Wednesday	Dental Hygiene Pinning Ceremony - 6:30pm
May 10, Thursday	Deadline for receipt of May 2012 Graduation Recommendations in Office of the Registrar - 5:00pm
May 9-12, Wednesday-Saturday	62 nd Annual Class Reunion Activities (including the Alumni Awards Dinner) and The Victor L. Hancock, D.D.S. Symposium
May 11, Friday (2:30pm)	Senior Dental, Dental Hygiene and Postdoctoral Dental Honors and Awards Ceremony, Cramton Auditorium. Deadline for submission of all Special Grade Reports for all non-degree and non-certificate candidates

SPRING SEMESTER ENDS - FRIDAY, MAY 04, 2012

Commencement



COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES
Saturday, May 12, 2012 at 10:00am
Upper Quadrangle - Main Campus
