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Lanier Technical College uses a selective admissions process for the **Dental Hygiene Program**.

**NOTE:** The Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) is required for all applicants. The TEAS for Allied Health programs was formerly called the Health Occupations Basic Entrance Test (HOBET).

The following criteria must be met for admission to the **Dental Hygiene Program**:

- 1) Students applying for the program will be initially admitted into the Healthcare Science Certificate program in order to complete the required developmental and/or core courses for their program of study. **Students must submit a completed Dental Hygiene Application for Selection by March 15 each year.**
- 2) Students must have a minimum cumulative average of 3.0 on the prerequisite core courses. Note that **ALL** core courses must be completed prior to the beginning of the Fall semester or an accepted candidate will forfeit their position in the program to the next alternate.
- 3) Students must take the TEAS Allied Health Entrance Test. There is a \$91.00 fee required to take the test. **The TEAS test may be taken no more than two times in a calendar year with 30 days between each attempt. No TEAS test greater than five years old will be accepted.**
- 4) Students must obtain dental experience by assisting, shadowing or observing in at least 3 dental offices.
- 5) The top 15 candidates from the criteria listed above will be selected for program admission.

Use the following link to register for the TEAS: <https://atitesting.com/Home.aspx>

Create an account, then choose Online Store TEAS from the menu on the left side.

**Enter the following:**

Program Type:	TEAS for Allied Health
Country:	USA
State:	Georgia
City:	Oakwood

**You must present a photo ID at the testing session in order to be allowed to test. No Transfers or Refunds allowed.** Scores from tests taken at other institutions must be sent by the testing service to Lanier Technical College.

**\*If a physical handicap or learning disability prevents you from taking the exam under standard conditions, you may request special testing arrangements by contacting Joan Ivey at least four weeks before the desired test date at 770.533.6995 or [jivey@laniertech.edu](mailto:jivey@laniertech.edu) .**

**\*\* You may purchase a study book called “TEAS VI Study Manual for \$50 and/or TEAS VI Online Practice Test for \$46 from [www.atialliedhealth.com](http://www.atialliedhealth.com), or in the Lanier Tech Bookstore.**