

# Oral Health Science

University of the Highlands and Islands (UHI)

## Venues

UHI House  
UHI Inverness  
UHI North, West and Hebrides  
Virtual Learning Environment (VLE)

## Content

This leading degree in Oral Health Science offers both dental nurses and school leavers the opportunity to train for a structured professional career in dental hygiene and dental therapy, a sector currently experiencing a shortage in skilled practitioners.

The role of dental hygienists and dental therapists is varied. You will provide clinical and educational care in the community, including prevention, fillings and treatment for periodontal (gum) disease. Strong communication skills and the ability to work well in a team are essential.

You will receive a thorough understanding in all aspects of dental care including the latest in practical skills and procedures. Delivered from our purpose-built dental buildings in Inverness, Stornoway and Dumfries, you will have access to state-of-the-art equipment and a highly skilled team of clinical and academic staff.

## Start Date

September

## Qualification

Degree

## Study Method

Full time

## Award Title

BSc

## UCAS Code

B750

## Course Length

3 years

## Department

Health and Wellbeing

## Entry Requirements

4 Highers at BBBB including a science subject, preferably Biology or Human Biology, English preferred. English at National 5 (if not held at Higher).

You will require a satisfactory criminal record check from Disclosure Scotland to show that you are suitable for this type of course. Contact Disclosure Scotland for details on the type you would need.

## SCQF Level

9

## Progression Routes

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## Combination Courses

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