# NIASIA PENNARTZ

Dental Assistant

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Dedicated Dental Assistant with 1 year of experience in providing efficient and high-quality support to dentists and patients. Proficient in dental procedures, patient care, and maintaining a clean and organized workspace. Strong interpersonal and communication skills, with a commitment to continuous learning and professional growth.

# LINKS

linkedin.com/in/niasiapennartz

## SKILLS

Radiography

Sterilization

Chairside assisting

Dental software (Dentrix)

Impressions

Sealant application

Patient education

# LANGUAGES

English

Spanish

# HOBBIES

Creating dental-themed art or crafts

Volunteering at community oral health events

## **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

- Dental Assistant at Minnesota Dental Assistants Association, MN Feb 2023 - Present
  - Successfully assisted in over 1,500 dental procedures within a year, ensuring efficient patient care and contributing to the positive reputation of the Minnesota Dental Assistants Association.
  - Streamlined inventory management by implementing an improved tracking system, leading to a 30% reduction in supply costs and a 20% increase in overall clinic efficiency.
  - Trained and mentored 10 new dental assistants over a two-year period, resulting in a 100% pass rate for their certification exams and a 25% increase in overall staff performance at the Minnesota Dental Assistants Association.

#### Dental Assistant Trainee at Dental Staffing Service of Minnesota, MN

#### Sep 2022 - Jan 2023

- Assisted in over 500 successful dental procedures, including cleanings, fillings, and extractions, while maintaining a 98% patient satisfaction rate at Dental Staffing Service of Minnesota.
- Streamlined the sterilization process for dental instruments, reducing the average turnaround time by 20% and increasing overall clinic efficiency.
- Contributed to a 15% increase in new patient appointments through effective communication and coordination with the front office team, resulting in improved patient experience and retention rates.

## **EDUCATION**

#### **Diploma in Dental Assisting at Central Lakes College, Brainerd, MN** Aug 2018 - May 2022

Relevant Coursework: Dental Anatomy and Physiology, Dental Materials, Infection Control and Sterilization, Chairside Assisting Techniques, Radiography, Oral Pathology, Dental Pharmacology, and Office Management.

# CERTIFICATES

#### Certified Dental Assistant (CDA) Jul 2021

**Expanded Functions Dental Auxiliary (EFDA)** Aug 2019