

# ANESTHESIA EXAM

## CANDIDATE INFORMATION HANDBOOK

For the Western Regional Anesthesia Examination  
WREB

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## **Welcome to Salt Lake Community College Dental Hygiene Clinic**

Salt Lake Community College Dental Hygiene Facility is located at the Jordan Campus 3491 West Wight's Fort Road (SE corner of Bangerter Highway and 9000 South) and housed in the High Technology Center (HTC) Building, room 133.

This handbook has been prepared to assist dental hygiene candidates for the Western Regional Anesthesia Board Examination (WREB). If additional information is needed after reading this handbook, please contact Ms. Wendee Mitchell WREB site coordinator at (801) 957-6005.

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**1. Airline and Airport Information:**

Salt Lake International Airport serves the Salt Lake City area. Most major carriers fly to Salt Lake International Airport.

**2. Ground Transportation To and From Airports:**

For non-peak drive hours, expect a minimum drive time of approximately 30 minutes/peak drive time may be an hour +. Transportation methods available at the airport include but are not limited to:

a. Shuttle bus

Express Shuttle 1-800-397-0773 [www.expresshuttleutah.com](http://www.expresshuttleutah.com)

(\$23 for first person, \$10 for each additional in the same group/ Hotel drop off rates may vary/ Reservations required 24 hrs in advance)

b. Taxi Service

Approximate one-way cab fare (without tip) is \$45.00

Yellow Cab 1-801-521-2100 [www.yellowcabutah.com](http://www.yellowcabutah.com)

AAA Cab Co. 1-801-641-4964

City Cab Co. 1-801-363-5550

c. Rental Car

Salt Lake is served by many major car rental companies:

Alamo 1-888 426-3299

Avis 1-800-831-2847

Budget 1-800-237-7251

Enterprise 1-800-736-8222

Hertz 1-800-654-3131

Thrifty 1-800-847-4389

**3. Directions from Airport**

Driving directions to Salt Lake Community College Dental Hygiene Clinic:

Exit Salt Lake International Airport going directly south onto Bangerter Highway. Travel south approximately 11 miles to 9000 South Street. Turn left (east) onto 9000 south. Go approximately one block to first traffic light & turn right onto 3400 west Wights Fort Road which is the SLCC Jordan Campus Entrance (*see pg 9 for area map/detailed directions*)

**4. Hotels**

Reservations should be made directly with hotels/motels. Nearby accommodations are listed below:

Country Inns and Suites  
10499 South Jordan Gateway  
South Jordan, Utah  
(801) 553-1151  
(Rate: \$100.00 – \$110.00)

Hampton Inn (closest)  
3957 Center Park Drive  
West Jordan, Utah  
(801) 280-7300  
(Rate: \$109-\$129.00)

Super 8 Motel  
10722 S. 300 West  
South Jordan, Utah  
1-801-553-8888  
(Rate: \$55.00 - \$60.00)

Comfort Inn  
8955 So. 255 West  
Sandy, Utah  
(801) 255-4919  
(Rate: \$70.00-\$85.00)

**NOTE:** Rates are as of September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2011, do not include taxes, and are subject to change without notice.

## Dental Hygiene Facility and Services

1. Building and Access Hours
  - a. The Dental Hygiene Clinic is housed in the High Technology Building (HTC) & will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. during the WREB Anesthesia Examination, unless otherwise requested by the examiners.
2. Parking

Parking at the SLCC Jordan Campus is monitored by parking services. Candidates and patients may park in:

  - a. Spaces marked *Dental Hygiene Patients Only* without a parking permit
  - b. Student spaces (designated by yellow painted lines) *only* by requesting a free permit voucher (must be prominently displayed in front window of vehicle) which is available by request in the dental hygiene reception area (Room 133)
  - c. Metered parking spaces (must have coins & may need to redeposit to cover length of exam time)
  - d. SLCC parking pass NOT required on Saturday
3. Identification Badges
  - a. Numbered badges will be issue to candidates at orientation and will serve as I.D. throughout the examination. The badge must be worn at all times while in the examination areas and be turned in along with any other candidate packet items/forms to the WREB Chief examiner at the completion of the examination.
4. Messages
  - a. Emergency messages for candidates may be delivered to you from the clinic manager at the front desk, *via your candidate number only*. Please make sure that concerned parties who may need to reach you, have your candidate number so you may be identified promptly.
  - b. The contact number to use during the exam is (801) 957-6005.
5. Food Service
  - a. The Jordan Campus Café (just east of the clinic entrance at the end of the lobby) has made to order hot food items, drinks, snacks & salads.  
Hours are:  
7:30am – 1:00pm Friday  
Closed Saturday
  - b. The Campus Bookstore (also east of the clinic entrance off the lobby) has beverages and snacks.  
Hours are:  
9:00 am – 1pm Friday  
Closed Saturday
  - c. Beverage and snack vending machines are located at the east end of the lobby in the hallway just past the cashier's office.
  - d. There are several fast food restaurants on 9000 South approximately 2-5 miles east of campus.

## Preparing for Clinical Phase of the Exam

### 1. Operatories

Each operatory is equipped with one (1) Dental chair (ADEC radial), one (1) delivery unit equipped with an air/water syringe, high volume suction and low volume suction (ADEC). Any equipment malfunctions should be reported to the clinic supervisor, Ms. Wendee Mitchell (801) 957-6005 Room 135D

### 2. Equipment, Instruments and Materials

Items to be supplied by candidates and Salt Lake Community College are listed on pg 8 of this handbook. Any equipment on loan to candidates must be returned prior to checkout. *Note: A limited number of anesthetic syringes will be available for rental (\$20.00 security deposit and \$5.00 rental fee)*

### 3. Sterilization

Sterilization services are available for any instruments properly cleaned, dried, wrapped and marked with appropriate candidate ID number. Sterilization pouches will be available at the entrance to the sterilization room if needed.

## Anesthesia Patients

Salt Lake Community College can NOT provide patients for candidates. Candidates must not ask the school for patients or patient records.

## During the Examination

### 1. Infection Control

#### a. Surface Asepsis

- Handles of the unit light, x-ray heads, and air-water syringes may be covered with clear plastic all wrap (on cart).
- The patient chair should be disinfected with Asepti-Wipes at each unit. Appropriate gloves, mask and eye protection should be disinfected by using sterile wipes.
- Plastic chair barriers and plastic wrap are provided. Spray and sterile wipes are available at each operatory.
- Disposable plastic over gloves are available for candidates.
- An auxiliary will be staffed in the sterilization room to cycle all contaminated instruments. Please be sure to label all items with your candidate id number, so that your packets can be properly identified and returned to the front desk for pickup when completed.

#### a. Personnel Protective Equipment

- Appropriate protective clothing, including gowns must be worn in occupational exposure situations.
- Disposable gloves and masks are available from the supply carts located in the clinic.
- Candidates are to provide their own OSHA-acceptable protective glasses for themselves and their patients.
- Antibacterial soap is available at all sinks within the clinic.

- b. Hazardous Waste
  - Any blood/saliva-soaked waste is considered hazardous and must be disposed of in red biohazard bags (also available on the supply carts).
  - Biohazard bags may be attached to the sides of the suction arm. At the end of each session, bags should be sealed with tape and brought to sterilization where they will be placed in biohazard waste containers.
- c. Sharps Disposal
  - All needles, anesthetic cartridges and any other disposable sharps are to be placed in the red plastic sharps containers located on each countertop area.

## 2. Medical Emergencies

In order to alert WREB/clinic personnel to a medical emergency occurring with your patient, the following protocol must be followed:

- a. Remain with your patient. Do *NOT* leave him/her unattended. You must alert & send a nearby assistant/responsible person to report the problem to the WREB Chief Examiner.
- b. The WREB Chief Examiner will make a judgment as to whether an emergency requiring outside help exists.
- c. If needed assistant/responsible person will be sent to the nearest phone to activate the Emergency Medical System (EMS) by dialing 911.
- d. As appropriate for type of emergency:
  - Place the patient in either a sitting or supine position,
  - Assess responsiveness
  - Check breathing
  - Check airway for blockage/aspiration
  - Check pulse
  - Be prepared to perform CPR, as indicated
- e. An emergency medical kit is located in labeled cabinet of operatory 9.
- f. Emergency oxygen units are available and specific locations will be indicated during the clinic tour.
- g. AED unit is available on the west wall between operatories 12 and 13
- h. In the case of any medical emergency candidate must immediately notify WREB chief examiner.
- i. Candidate assumes all responsibility for medical emergency management of patient including resuscitative procedure & administration of emergency oxygen until relieved by EMS personnel.

## 3. Building Access and Use

Salt Lake Community College Dental Hygiene Clinic will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. during regular session of the anesthesia examination, unless otherwise requested by the WREB officials.

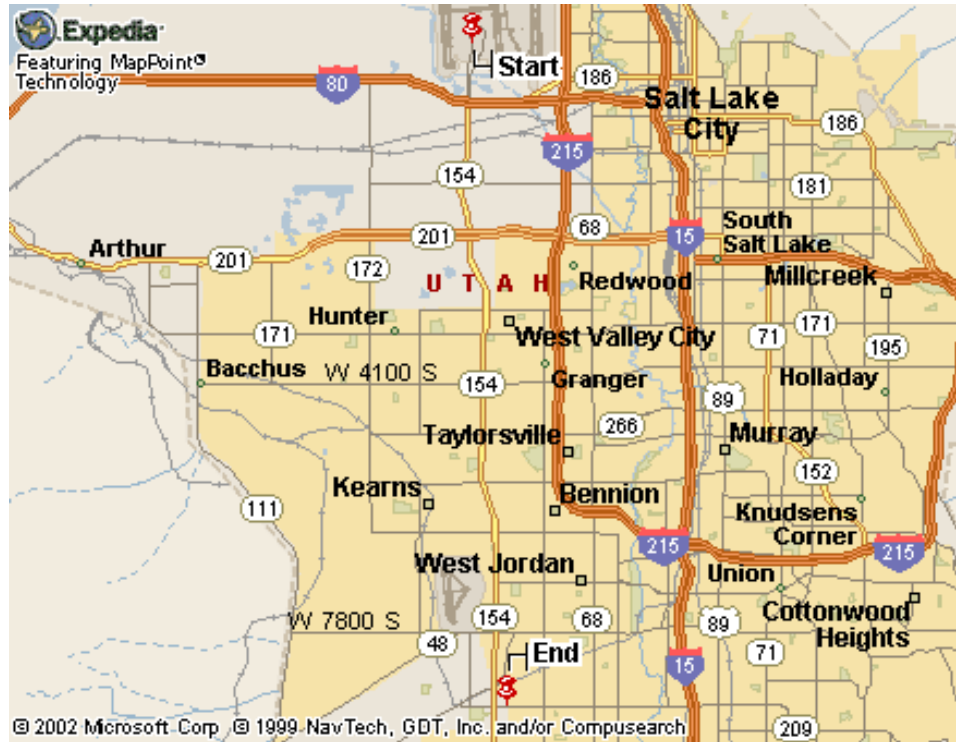
### **Items Supplied By Dental Hygiene Anesthesia Candidate**

- OSHA approved protective eyewear for patient and clinician
- Pens
- Uniforms
- Barrier Gowns
- Sphygmomanometer/Stethoscope
- Anesthetic syringes

### **Items Supplied by Salt Lake Community College**

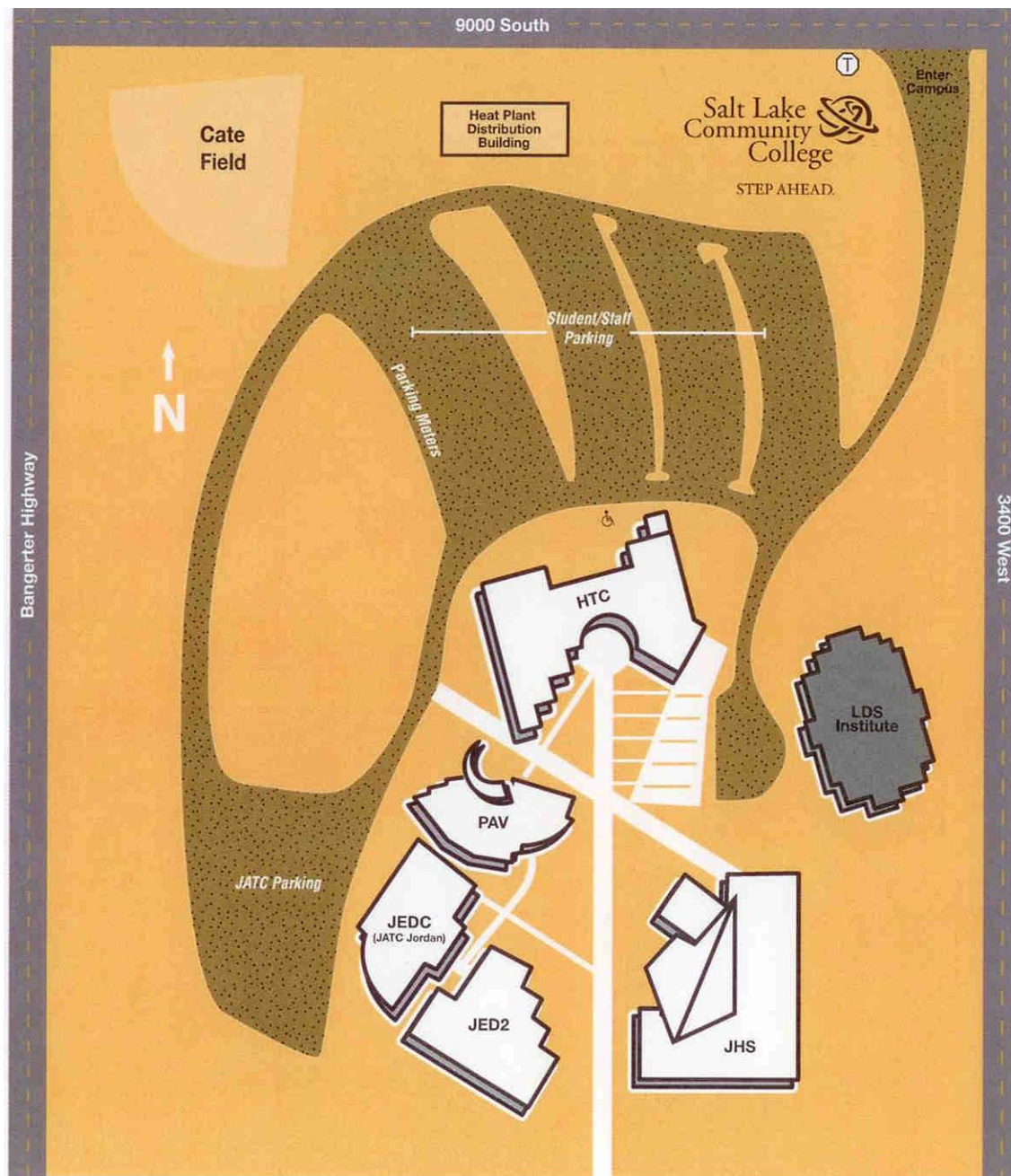
- Air/Water Syringe Tips
- Antimicrobial mouth rinse (Peridex)
- Topical Anesthetic
- Injectable Local Anesthetic
- Disposable Needles
- Bags, Biohazard, Sterilization & Trash
- Barrier, Chair Cover, All-wrap & Tray
- Cotton Applicators and Rolls
- Disinfectant Spray/Lysol
- Drinking Cups for pre-rinse
- Facial Tissue
- Finger cots
- Gauze Sponges (2x2)
- Glove, Overgloves (2)
- Gloves, Exam Vinyl Only (Extra Small, Small, Medium, and Large)
- Hand soap
- Instrument Trays
- Candidate Masks (1)
- Paper Towels
- Patient Napkins (2)
- Suction, HVE (1)
- Suction, Saliva ejector (1)
- Tape, Autoclave

## Area Map & Directions



Directions	Distance	Time
<b>Start: Depart</b> Terminal Acc, Salt Lake City, UT, 84116 on <b>Terminal Acc (South)</b>	0.1	0:01
<b>1:</b> Bear <b>RIGHT</b> (South) onto <b>Airport Exit</b>	0.6	0:02
<b>2:</b> Continue (South) on <b>Bangerter Hwy</b>	0.4	0:01
<b>3:</b> Continue (South) on <b>SR-154 [Bangerter Hwy]</b>	12.4	0:16
<b>4:</b> Turn <b>LEFT</b> (East) onto <b>W 9000 S [W 90th S]</b>	0.3	< 1min
<b>End: Arrive</b> 3400 West Wights Fort Road, West Jordan, UT, 84088	< 0.1	< 1min
<b>Total Route</b>	<b>13.8 mi</b>	<b>20 mins</b>

## Jordan Campus Map



3491 West Wight's Fort Road  
West Jordan, UT 84088  
High Tech Center (HTC) Rm 133

Dental Hygiene Patient Parking Only slots are available in *both* north & west parking lots

Enter building & turn left to locate Dental Hygiene Clinic Reception Area – Room 133

# Dental Hygiene Clinic Map

