

HANNAH LINDQVIST

Registered Dental Assistant, CDA | General and Pediatric Dentistry

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SUMMARY

Registered dental assistant with 7 years of chairside experience in general and pediatric dentistry. Assist 2 dentists with 14–18 patients per day in a 4-dentist, 10-operator practice. Take 25–35 digital radiographs per day with a retake rate under 3%. CDA (DANB), Michigan RDA, and BLS certified.

EXPERIENCE

Registered Dental Assistant (Lead Assistant) — *Maple Crossing Dental Group* Jan 2022–Present

General and cosmetic practice with 4 dentists, 3 hygienists, 10 operatories, and about 60 patient visits per day.

- Assist 2 dentists chairside with 14–18 patients per day: fillings, crowns and bridges, root canals, extractions, and implant restorations.
- Take and process 25–35 digital radiographs per day (bitewings, periapicals, and panoramic images); retake rate under 3% in 2025 chart audits.
- Capture 10–12 intraoral scans per week with iTero for crowns and clear aligner cases; lab remakes for crown fit fell from 7% to 2%.
- Run sterilization for 10 operatories and the weekly spore test on 2 autoclaves; 0 failed spore tests since 2022.
- Trained 5 new dental assistants on tray setups, Dentrix charting, and infection control in a 3-week orientation.

Dental Assistant — *Little Pines Pediatric Dentistry* Aug 2019–Dec 2021

Pediatric practice with 2 dentists and about 45 patient visits per day.

- Assisted with 20–25 children per day, including fillings, stainless steel crowns, pulpotomies, and extractions.
- Applied sealants and fluoride varnish for 10–15 children per day under the supervision of the dentist.
- Taught brushing and diet habits to 30–40 parents per week with a 5-minute chairside routine.
- Ordered supplies with a \$4,000 monthly budget and cut expired stock from \$350 to \$60 per month with first-in, first-out rotation.
- Confirmed next-day appointments by phone and text; the no-show rate fell from 14% to 9% in 2021.

EDUCATION

Harlow Community College May 2019

Certificate in Dental Assisting (CODA-accredited program)

SKILLS

Chairside:	Four-handed dentistry, Restorative, crown, and bridge procedures, Endodontic and oral surgery assisting, Temporary crown fabrication, Sealants and fluoride varnish, Impressions and intraoral scans
Radiography and infection control:	Digital radiographs (bitewing, periapical, panoramic), Instrument sterilization and spore testing, OSHA Bloodborne Pathogens Standard, CDC infection control guidelines
Systems:	Dentrix, Dexis imaging, iTero intraoral scanner

CERTIFICATES

Registered Dental Assistant (RDA) License, Michigan Aug 2019

Michigan LARA, Board of Dentistry

Certified Dental Assistant (CDA)

Mar 2020

Dental Assisting National Board (DANB)

Basic Life Support (BLS)

Sept 2025

American Heart Association