Profile	Motivated dental hygienist with over eight years of experience looking for a position at a dental clinic with growth potential.
Experience	 Dental Hygienist - Helena Dental Clinic/ Location 2018 to present Welcomes patients to the clinic, takes a health history, and discusses areas of concern. Performs plaque removal, polishing, and applying fluoride. Assists dentists during procedures like root canals, extractions, and more. Discusses patients' individual needs and recommends relevant oral hygiene solutions. Keeps over 200 patient records up to date while following HIPAA compliance requirements.
	 Dental Hygienist - Montana Dental Works/ Location 2014 to 2018 Removed plaque with manual and ultrasonic tools. Developed personalized oral hygiene plans for patients. Sterilized and laid out dental instruments for around 18 appointments a day. Prepared sterilized rooms prior to appointments. Scheduled appointments and collected insurance information.
	 Project Experience Contributed to Foundations of Periodontics for the Dental Hygienists, Fifth Edition, published by Jones & Bartlett Learning (2021) Guest speaker at the Montana Dental Hygienists Association Annual Session (2019 and 2022)
Education	 CODA-approved Associate Degree in Dental Hygiene - Great Falls College 2010 to 2012 GPA: LIST AWARD AWARD Montana Dental Hygienists Association - SCHOOL 2012 to present GPA: LIST AWARD AWARD AWARD AWARD
Skills	Expertise • Basic dentistry • Administrative skills • Communication and patient care • Problem-solving skills • Teamwork
Licenses & Accreditations	 Licenses Licenses & Accreditations Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support License from the American Heart Association (last renewed in 2022)