

# As essential to your dental health as your toothbrush

A certified or registered dental assistant is educated in infection control protocols, exposing and processing radiographs, providing patient education, assisting the dentist during procedures, independently providing intra oral procedures, performing laboratory tasks and much more. As part of the dental team they are essential to the oral care of Canadians!

Recognize your dental assistant during the first week of March:

**Dental Assistants Week**  
**March 1<sup>st</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

*Celebrating the **essential assistant!***



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