

# Jessica O. Bustamento, RDH

## Objective

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My objective as a dental hygienist is to be a team player in a highly motivated practice/work environment. I enjoy working with patients on an individual basis and educating them on the advances of modern dentistry and how it applies to them. I look forward to an interview and an opportunity to discuss what benefits I can offer your practice.

## Experience

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June 2002-Nov. 2005

Dr. Cynthia Miciotto

Adult and child cleanings  
Periodontal treatment/management  
Sealants, bleaching trays, night guards, impressions, radiographs (film)

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Dec. 2005-Dec. 2007

Dr. Ross Dies&Assoc.

Adult and child cleanings  
Periodontal treatment/management  
Emergency patients, sealants, cementing temporary crowns, bleaching trays/impressions, local anesthesia and administration of nitrous oxide. Patient education in all aspects of dentistry using models, videos, pamphlets, etc.

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Dec. 2007-Present

Dr. Monika Kumar

Adult and child cleanings  
Periodontal treatment/management including placement of arestin and subgingival irrigation

I have also been trained to pack cords for crowns, impressions for crowns and to make temporary crowns. In addition, I have been trained to try in permanent crowns, adjust dentures and partials, and KOR whitening (similar to ZOOM and have bleached teeth up as much as 18 to 22 shades in one office visit!!). In practice with Dr. Kumar I have diversified my knowledge in the dental practice to include dental assisting and practice management. I now can set up and assist for crowns, root canals, fillings, extractions and many other daily procedures. Also, I have been essential in verifying insurance coverage, scheduling, filing claims, and following up with labs on specific cases. In the years I have practiced with Dr. Kumar I have trained somewhere around 7 to 10 dental assistants in everything from infection control to radiographs and patient relations. These experiences have deepened my love of dentistry tremendously and am very thankful to have expanded my knowledge so much!

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I am also proficient with Practice Works, Dentrix, CDM practice management systems, Caesy patient education, Suni and CDR/Dicom digital radiographs including panoramic films and intraoral camera tours. I am proficient with titan, USI(cavitron), EMS (Piezon) mechanical instrumentation methods. I also perform subgingival irrigation and debridement, and placement of arestin in conjunction with periodontal therapy and maintenance.

## **Education**

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1997-1998 Northeast LA University Monroe, LA

1998-2000 LSU-S Shreveport, LA

**2000-2002**  
**Shreveport, LA**

**Southern University-Shreveport**

2002 Associates degree in Dental Hygiene Southern University, Shreveport

2006 Local anesthesia certification through LSU Baton Rouge

Current CPR certification

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