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**Summary**
I'm seeking a mid-career level position as a dental hygienist that will allow me to expand and display the skills gathered in my 10+ years of experience in dental services. Have experience in all aspects of patient care, from taking dental x-rays to impressions of teeth and teeth cleaning. Willing to relocate anywhere in the state.

**Working Experience**
**Dental Hygienist**
May/2012--June 2017--Dr. Mark Peter & Dr. Elizabeth Peter, Chandlerville, MS 36945

**Responsibilities:**

* Educate patients on proper oral hygiene;
* Took impressions and developed x-rays;
* Assisted dentist with orthodontic surgery;
* Apply fluoride and sealants;
* Assist orthodontist with making treatment plans;
* Examine teeth and gums for abnormalities;

**Achievements**

* Increased referral rate by 20% by establishing good rapport with general practitioners in the community;
* Established good rapport with patients and suppliers;

**Dental Hygienist**
**March/2005--May 2012--Reddington Dental Associations, Reddington, MS 36547**

**Responsibilities:**

* Scaling and Root Planing;
* Digital X-rays;
* Administered oral anesthesia;
* Developed strong chair-side manner;
* Assisted with training new staff and acted as point of contact for new hygienists and dental assistants;

**Achievements:**

* Earned two employee merit raises;
* Supervised the redesign of dental practice's website;

**Education and Academic Training**

* Associate's Degree in Dental Hygiene--Barrington Community College, 2002;
* Full certification and license;

**Job Related Skills:**

* Excellent customer care skills;
* Assisted with all aspects of pediatric dentistry;
* Well-versed in orthodontia care;
* 2-year experience in human resources management;

**General Skills:**

* Knowledge of patient scheduling practices;
* Experience processing customer payments;
* Managed multi-line phone system;