

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
MUNICIPAL
REGULATIONS**

FOR

**TEACHING LICENSES
FOR DENTISTRY AND
DENTAL HYGIENE**

**CHAPTER 92 TEACHING LICENSES FOR DENTISTRY AND DENTAL
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9200	GENERAL PROVISIONS
9200.1	This chapter shall apply to applicants for and holders of a teacher’s license in dentistry or dental hygiene.
9200.2	Chapters 40 (Health Occupations: General Rules), 41 (Health Occupations: Administrative Procedures), 42 (Dentistry), and 43 (Dental Hygiene) of Title 17 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations shall supplement this chapter.
9200.3	A holder of a teacher’s license in dentistry shall comply with all the requirements for the practice of dentistry under this chapter and the Act.
9200.4	A holder of a teacher’s license in dental hygiene shall comply with all the requirements for the practice of dental hygiene under this Act.
9201	LICENSURE REQUIRED TO TEACH DENTISTRY OR DENTAL HYGIENE
9201.1	No person unlicensed to practice dentistry or dental hygiene in the District of Columbia shall be permitted to teach dentistry or dental hygiene, respectively, within the District, without a teacher’s license.

- 9201.2 For a period of one year after the effective date of these regulations an applicant who is not eligible to teach dentistry under § 9203 of this chapter, or is not eligible to teach dental hygiene under § 9206 of this chapter, may engage in the teaching of dentistry or dental hygiene, respectively, if the applicant:
- (a) Has received training to enable him or her to competently and safely teach dentistry; and
 - (b) Engages in dental or dental hygiene teaching under the general supervision of a licensed dentist.

9202 TERM OF LICENSE

9202.1 A teacher's license in dentistry and a teacher's license in dental hygiene shall expire on the earlier of:

- (a) The date set in § 9202.3, unless the license is renewed for an additional term; or
- (b) The date when the licensee ceases to be a full-time or part-time faculty member at the institution named on the license.

9202.2 The holder of a teacher's license in dentistry or dental hygiene shall surrender the license to the Board within thirty (30) days of ceasing to be a full-time or part-time faculty member at the institution named on the license.

9202.3 Subject to § 9202.4, a teacher's license in dentistry and a teacher's license in dental hygiene issued pursuant to this chapter shall expire at 11:59 PM of December 31st of each odd-numbered year.

9202.4 If the Director changes the renewal system pursuant to § 4006.3 of Chapter 40 of this title, a teacher's license in dentistry and a teacher's license in dental hygiene issued pursuant to this chapter shall expire at 12:00 midnight of the last day of the month of the birthdate of the holder of the registration or other date established by the Director.

9203 ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR A TEACHER'S LICENSE IN DENTISTRY

9203.1 To be eligible for a teacher's license in dentistry, an applicant shall:

- (a) Have an appointment or a promise of an appointment as a full-time or part-time faculty member at an accredited dental school located in the District of Columbia and the institution where the dentist is appointed shall provide documentation satisfactory to the Board of the appointment;

- (b) Meet the education and professional prerequisites set forth under § 9204.1, or § 9204.2;
- (c) Have successfully completed Part I and Part II of the examination of the Joint Commission on National Dental Examinations;
- (d) Be at least twenty-one (21) years of age;
- (e) Be of good moral character and professionally competent;
- (f) Not have failed the ADEX clinical examination, or its successor, for a license to practice dentistry in the District of Columbia, unless having subsequently passed;
- (g) Be a United States citizen or an alien lawfully admitted to the United States;
- (h) Not be currently under investigation or pending charges by any state licensing board, peer review authority, or law enforcement authority;
- (i) Not have a health professional license that is suspended, revoked, or otherwise not in good standing, as determined by the Board, in another state or jurisdiction; and
- (j) Not have been convicted or disciplined by a court of any state or country for a crime involving moral turpitude or that bears directly upon the fitness of the applicant to be licensed.

9204 EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL PREREQUISITES FOR A TEACHER'S LICENSE IN DENTISTRY

9204.1 Except as otherwise provided in § 9204.2, an applicant shall furnish proof satisfactory to the Board that the applicant:

- (a) Has successfully completed an educational program in the practice of dentistry at an institution accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association (“CODA”), and holds a Degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS), Doctor of Dental Medicine (DMD), or its equivalent, from a college or university that is authorized by any state of the United States or any province of Canada to grant a degree and is recognized by the Board of Dentistry as requiring adequate professional collegiate training and as maintaining an acceptable course of dental instruction; and
- (b) Is licensed to practice dentistry, in good standing, in any other state.

9204.2 An applicant that does not meet the requirements set forth in § 9204.1, may be granted licensure if the dean of the dental school where the dentist will practice requests that the dentist be granted the license, circumstances exist that justify granting the request, and the applicant furnishes proof satisfactory to the Board that the applicant:

- (a) Holds a DDS or DMD degree, or an equivalent degree from a school, college, or faculty of dentistry, recognized by the appropriate civil authorities of the jurisdiction in which the institution is located, which includes completion of a total of not less than six (6) total academic years of pre-professional and professional education, including courses in general chemistry, organic chemistry, biology or zoology, and physics, and for which at least four (4) academic years shall be professional dental education; and
- (b) Has at least two (2) years of clinical dental experience.

9205 APPLICATION FOR A TEACHER'S LICENSE IN DENTISTRY

9205.1 To apply for a teacher's license in dentistry an applicant shall:

- (a) Submit a completed application to the Board on the required forms and include:
 - (1) The applicant's social security number on the application. If the applicant does not have a social security number, the applicant shall:
 - (i) Submit with the application a sworn affidavit, under penalty of perjury, stating that he or she does not have a social security number; and
 - (ii) Submit proof acceptable to the Board that he or she is legally authorized to be in the United States, such as a Resident Alien Card, a valid foreign passport with a visa, or a work permit card from the Department of Homeland Security (I-766 or I-688B);
 - (2) Two (2) recent passport-type photographs of the applicant's face measuring two inches by two inches (2" x 2"), which clearly expose the area from the top of the forehead to the bottom of the chin; and
 - (3) One (1) clear photocopy of a U.S. government-issued photo ID, such as a driver's license, as proof of identity; and

- (b) Submit a formal request for licensure and promise of appointment or confirmation of appointment from the Dean of the dental school where the applicant will be appointed. The request shall be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing the seal of the institution;
- (c) Submit an official transcript mailed directly from the educational institution(s) in a sealed envelope, which shall verify that the applicant has successfully met the education requirements set forth in § 9204.1 or § 9204.2 of this chapter;
- (d) Submit the applicant's examination results, which have been certified or validated by the Joint Commission of National Dental Examiners;
- (e) Submit proof acceptable to the Board that the applicant has not failed the ADEX clinical examination, or its successor, or proof that the applicant subsequently passed the examination which shall be certified or validated by the ADEX or its successor;
- (f) Submit a copy of his or her current dental license; or if not licensed in another state, proof acceptable to the Board of having two (2) years of active clinical practice;
- (g) Obtain verification from each state in which the applicant holds or has ever held a professional health occupation license, if applicable, that the license is current and in good standing, or if the license is no longer active, that it was in good standing immediately prior to its expiration. The licensure verification form shall be sent directly to the Board by the verifying board;
- (h) Pass the District of Columbia Dental Law Examination;
- (i) Submit two letters of recommendation from the applicant's clinical colleagues, which shall certify to the board the good moral character of the applicant, and the applicant's qualifications, background, and experience.
- (j) Undergo a criminal background check; and
- (k) Pay all required fees.

9206 ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR A TEACHER'S LICENSE IN DENTAL HYGIENE

9206.1 To be eligible for a teacher's license in dental hygiene, an applicant shall:

- (a) Have an appointment or a promise of an appointment as a full-time or part-time faculty member in a dental hygiene program at an accredited

dental school located in the District of Columbia and the institution where the dental hygienist is appointed provides documentation satisfactory to the Board of the appointment.

- (b) Meet the education and professional prerequisites set forth under § 9207.1;
- (c) Have successfully completed the National Board of Dental Hygiene Examination;
- (d) Be of good moral character and professionally competent;
- (e) Not have failed the ADEX clinical examination, or its successor, unless having subsequently passed;
- (f) Be a United States citizen or an alien lawfully admitted to the United States;
- (g) Not be currently under investigation or pending charges by any state licensing board, peer review authority, or law enforcement authority;
- (h) Not have a health professional license that is suspended, revoked, or otherwise not in good standing, as determined by the Board, in another state or jurisdiction; and
- (i) Not have been convicted or disciplined by a court of any state or country for a crime involving moral turpitude or that bears directly upon the fitness of the applicant to be licensed.

9207 EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL PREREQUISITES FOR A TEACHER'S LICENSE IN DENTAL HYGIENE

9207.1 An applicant shall furnish proof satisfactory to the Board that the applicant:

- (a) Has successfully completed an educational program in the practice of dental hygiene of at least two academic years at an institution accredited by the CODA at the time the applicant graduated; or the applicant demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Board that the applicant's education and training are substantially equivalent to the requirements of this section; and
- (b) Submits evidence satisfactory to the Board that the applicant has been actively engaged in the practice of dental hygiene for the three (3) years immediately preceding the application, and has at least one hundred and fifty (150) hours of active dental hygiene practice.

9208 APPLICATION FOR A TEACHER'S LICENSE IN DENTAL HYGIENE

Effective Date: May 25, 2018

9208.1

To apply for a teacher's license in dental hygiene, an applicant shall:

- (a) Submit a completed application to the Board on the required forms and include:
 - (1) The applicant's social security number on the application. If the applicant does not have a social security number, the applicant shall:
 - (i) Submit with the application a sworn affidavit, under penalty of perjury, stating that he or she does not have a social security number; and
 - (ii) Submit proof acceptable to the Board that he or she is legally authorized to be in the United States, such as a Resident Alien Card, a valid foreign passport with a visa, or a work permit card from the Department of Homeland Security (I-766 or I-688B);
 - (2) Two (2) recent passport-type photographs of the applicant's face measuring two inches by two inches (2" x 2"), which clearly expose the area from the top of the forehead to the bottom of the chin; and
 - (3) One (1) clear photocopy of a U.S. government-issued photo ID, such as a driver's license, as proof of identity; and
- (b) Submit a formal request for licensure and promise of appointment or confirmation of appointment from the Dean of the dental school or dental hygiene school where the applicant will be appointed. The request shall be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing the seal of the institution;
- (c) Submit an official transcript mailed directly from the educational institution(s) in a sealed envelope, which shall verify that the applicant has successfully met the education requirements set forth in § 9207.1 of this chapter;
- (d) Submit the applicant's examination results, which have been certified or validated by the National Board of Dental Hygiene Examination;
- (e) Submit proof acceptable to the Board that the applicant has not failed the ADEX clinical examination, or its successor, or proof that the applicant subsequently passed the examination which shall be certified or validated by the ADEX or its successor;

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- (f) Submit proof acceptable to the Board that the applicant has been actively engaged in the practice of dental hygiene for the three (3) years immediately preceding the application, and has at least one hundred fifty (150) hours of active dental hygiene practice;
- (g) Obtain verification from each state in which the applicant holds or has ever held a professional health occupation license, if applicable, that the license is current and in good standing, or if the license is no longer active, that it was in good standing immediately prior to its expiration. The licensure verification form shall be sent directly to the Board by the verifying board;
- (h) Pass the District of Columbia Dental Law Examination;
- (i) Submit two (2) letters of recommendation from the applicant's clinical colleagues, which shall certify to the board the good moral character of the applicant, and the applicant's qualifications, background, and experience.
- (j) Undergo a criminal background check; and
- (k) Pay all required fees.

9209 SCOPE OF PRACTICE FOR A TEACHER'S LICENSE IN DENTISTRY

9209.1 The holder of an active teacher's license in dentistry shall:

- (a) Teach dentistry at only the institution named on the license, which includes, and is limited to the primary facilities within the dental school, and shall not engage in clinical teaching at a satellite location or other off-campus sites, such as clinics, unless the location or site is part of a program operated by the institution as confirmed by formal affiliation agreements; and
- (b) Practice, adjunct to instruction, only at the institution named on the license to the same extent as other faculty members who hold general licenses to practice dentistry; provided that a licensed dentist employed by the school provides general supervision in all clinical practice.

9209.2 For purposes of this chapter, "teach" shall mean to provide clinical and didactic instruction and training at the institution to students formally enrolled in an educational program in the practice of dentistry at that institution.

9209.3 The holder of a teacher's license in dentistry shall not establish a dental practice in the District of Columbia, or engage in the practice of dentistry in any manner outside of the educational institution named on the license, without first obtaining an unrestricted dental license to practice dentistry in the District of Columbia.

9210 SCOPE OF PRACTICE FOR A TEACHER’S LICENSE IN DENTAL HYGIENE

9210.1 The holder of an active teacher’s license in dental hygiene shall:

- (a) Teach dental hygiene only at the institution named on the license, which includes, and is limited to the primary facilities within the dental school, and shall not engage in clinical teaching at a satellite location or other off-campus sites, such as clinics, unless the location or site is part of a program operated by the institution as confirmed by formal affiliation agreements; and
- (b) Practice, adjunct to instruction, only at the institution named on the license to the same extent as other faculty members who hold general licenses to practice dental hygiene, and only under the direct supervision of a licensed dentist employed by the institution named on the license.

9210.2 For purposes of this chapter, “teach” shall mean to provide clinical and didactic instruction and training at the institution to students formally enrolled in an educational program in the practice of dental hygiene at that institution.

9210.3 The holder of a teacher’s license in dental hygiene shall not engage in the practice of dental hygiene in any manner outside of the educational institution named on the license, without first obtaining an unrestricted license to practice dental hygiene in the District of Columbia.

9211 CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

9211.1 This section shall apply to applicants for the renewal, reactivation, or reinstatement of a teacher’s license in dentistry or of a teacher’s license in dental hygiene beginning with the renewal period ending December 31, 2019, and for subsequent terms.

9211.2 A continuing education credit shall be valid only if it is part of a program or activity approved by the Board in accordance with § 9212.

9211.3 Beginning with the renewal period ending December 31, 2019, an applicant for renewal of a teacher’s license in dentistry shall submit proof pursuant to § 9211.11 of having completed thirty (30) hours of credit within the two-year (2) period preceding the date the license expires, which shall include at least:

- (a) Current cardiopulmonary resuscitation certification for health care providers (“CPR certification”);

- (b) Two (2) hours of infection control in approved continuing education programs;
- (c) Two (2) hours of ethics in an approved continuing education programs; and
- (d) Two (2) hours of continuing education on cultural competency or specialized clinical training focusing on patients or clients who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, gender nonconforming, queer, or question their sexual orientation or gender identity and expression (“LGBTQ”) meeting the requirements of D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.10 (b)(5).

9211.4 Beginning with the licensure period ending December 31, 2019, an applicant for renewal of a teacher’s license in dental hygiene shall submit proof pursuant to § 9211.11 of having completed fifteen (15) hours of approved continuing education credit obtained within the two (2) year period preceding the date the license expires, which shall include:

- (a) Current CPR certification for healthcare providers at the basic level;
- (b) Two (2) hours of infection control training;
- (c) One (1) hour of ethics in an approved continuing education programs; and
- (d) Two (2) hours of continuing education on cultural competency or specialized clinical training focusing on patients or clients who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, gender nonconforming, queer, or question their sexual orientation or gender identity and expression (“LGBTQ”) meeting the requirements of D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.10 (b)(5).

9211.5 Each applicant for renewal, reactivation, or reinstatement of a teacher’s license in dentistry who is permitted by the Drug Enforcement Agency and the District of Columbia Pharmaceutical Control Division to prescribe controlled substances in the District shall complete two (2) hours of continuing education in the abuse and misuse of controlled substances, and in opioid prescription practices. This continuing education shall be part of the continuing education hours required under Subsection 9211.3 of this chapter.

9211.6 Internet courses and programs shall not be used to satisfy the continuing education CPR certification requirement.

9211.7 Beginning with the licensure period ending December 31, 2019, to qualify for a teacher’s license in dentistry, a person in inactive status within the meaning of § 511 of the Act, D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.11 (2016 Repl.) who submits an application to reactivate a license shall submit proof pursuant to § 9211.11 of having completed thirty (30) hours of approved continuing education credit obtained within the two (2) year period preceding the date of the application for

reactivation of that applicant's license and an additional fifteen (15) hours of approved continuing education credit for each additional year that the applicant was in inactive status beginning with the third year, which shall include at least:

- (a) Current cardiopulmonary resuscitation certification for health care providers ("CPR certification");
- (b) Two (2) hours of infection control in approved continuing education programs;
- (c) Two (2) hours of ethics in an approved continuing education programs; and
- (d) Two (2) hours of continuing education on cultural competency or specialized clinical training focusing on patients or clients who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, gender nonconforming, queer, or question their sexual orientation or gender identity and expression ("LGBTQ") meeting the requirements of D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.10 (b)(5).

9211.8

Beginning with the licensure period ending December 31, 2019, to qualify for a teacher's license in dentistry, an applicant for reinstatement of a license shall submit proof pursuant to § 9211.11 of having completed thirty (30) hours of approved continuing education credit obtained within the two (2) year period preceding the date of the application for reinstatement of the applicant's license and an additional fifteen (15) hours of approved continuing education credit for each additional year that the license was expired beginning with the third year, which shall include at least:

- (a) Current cardiopulmonary resuscitation certification for health care providers ("CPR certification");
- (b) Two (2) hours of infection control in approved continuing education programs;
- (c) Two (2) hours of ethics in an approved continuing education programs; and
- (d) Two (2) hours of continuing education on cultural competency or specialized clinical training focusing on patients or clients who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, gender nonconforming, queer, or question their sexual orientation or gender identity and expression ("LGBTQ") meeting the requirements of D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.10 (b)(5).

9211.9

Beginning with the licensure period ending December 31, 2019, to qualify for a teacher's license in dental hygiene, a person in inactive status within the meaning of § 511 of the Act, D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.11 (2016 Repl.) who submits an application to reactivate a license shall submit proof pursuant to § 9211.11 of having completed fifteen (15) hours of approved continuing education credit

obtained within the two (2) year period preceding the date of the application for reactivation of that applicant's license and an additional eight (8) hours of approved continuing education credit for each additional year that the applicant was inactive status beginning with the third year, which shall include at least:

- (a) Current CPR certification for healthcare providers at the basic level;
- (b) Two (2) hours of infection control training;
- (c) Two (2) hours of ethics in an approved continuing education programs; and
- (d) Two (2) hours of continuing education on cultural competency or specialized clinical training focusing on patients or clients who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, gender nonconforming, queer, or question their sexual orientation or gender identity and expression ("LGBTQ") meeting the requirements of D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.10 (b)(5).

9211.10 Beginning with the licensure period ending December 31, 2019, to qualify for a teacher's license in dental hygiene, an applicant for reinstatement of a license shall submit proof pursuant to § 9211.11 of having completed fifteen (15) hours of approved continuing education credit obtained within the two (2) year period preceding the date of the application for reinstatement of the applicant's license and an additional eight (8) hours of approved continuing education credit for each additional year that the license was expired beginning with the third year, which shall include at least:

- (a) Current cardiopulmonary resuscitation certification for health care providers;
- (b) Two (2) hours of infection control training;
- (c) Two (2) hours of ethics in an approved continuing education programs; and
- (d) Two (2) hours of continuing education on cultural competency or specialized clinical training focusing on patients or clients who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, gender nonconforming, queer, or question their sexual orientation or gender identity and expression ("LGBTQ") meeting the requirements of D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.10 (b)(5).

9211.11 An applicant for a teacher's license in dentistry or for a teacher's license in dental hygiene shall prove completion of required continuing education credits by submitting with the application the following information with respect to each program:

- (a) The name and address of the sponsor of the program;

- (b) The name of the program, its location, a description of the subject matter covered, and the names of the instructors;
- (c) The dates on which the applicant attended the program;
- (d) The hours of credit claimed; and
- (e) Verification by the sponsor of completion, by signature or stamp.

9211.12 An applicant for renewal of a teacher’s license in dentistry or of a teacher’s license in dental hygiene license who fails to submit proof of having completed continuing education requirements by the date the license expires may renew the license up to sixty (60) days after expiration by submitting this proof pursuant to § 9211.11 and by paying the required additional late fee.

9211.13 Upon submitting proof of having completed continuing education requirements and paying the late fee, the applicant shall be deemed to have possessed a valid license during the period between the expiration of the license and the submission of the required documentation and payment of the late fee.

9211.14 If an applicant for renewal of a teacher’s license in dentistry or of a teacher’s license in dental hygiene fails to submit proof of completion of continuing education requirements or pay the late fee within sixty (60) days after the expiration of applicant’s license, the license shall be considered to have lapsed on the date of expiration.

9211.15 The Board may, in its discretion, grant an extension of the sixty (60) day period to renew after expiration if the applicant’s failure to submit proof of completion was for good cause. As used in this section, “good cause” includes the following:

- (a) Serious and protracted illness of the applicant; and
- (b) The death or serious and protracted illness of a member of the immediate family.

9212 APPROVED CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES

9212.1 The Board, in its discretion, may approve continuing education programs and activities that contribute to the growth of an applicant in professional competence in the practice of dentistry and which meet the other requirements of this section.

9212.2 The Board may approve the following types of continuing education programs, if the program meets the requirements of § 9212.3:

- (a) An undergraduate or graduate course given at an accredited college or university;
- (d) A seminar or workshop;
- (c) An educational program given at a conference or convention; and
- (d) In-service training.

9212.3 To qualify for approval by the Board, a continuing education program shall do the following:

- (a) Be current in its subject matter;
- (b) Be developed and taught by qualified individuals; and
- (c) Meet one of the following requirements:
 - (1) Be administered or approved by a recognized national, state, or local dentistry organization; health care organization; accredited health care facility; or an accredited college or university; or
 - (2) Be submitted by the program sponsors to the Board for review no less than sixty (60) days prior to the date of the presentation and be approved by the Board.

9212.4 Continuing education credit will not be awarded for programs that do not relate to the theory or clinical application of theory pertaining to the practice of dentistry including but not limited to:

- (a) Courses pertaining to business communications and operations;
- (b) Courses solely pertaining to medical/dental coding terminology;
- (c) Courses pertaining to personal self-improvement, financial gain, or career options;
- (d) Courses designed for lay persons;
- (e) Providing instruction to persons who are not licensed, registered, certified, or students in the field of dentistry, dental hygiene, or dental assisting, or for conducting research, or publications, or any preparation for same;
- (f) On-the-job training;

- (g) Orientation programs or staff meetings, including orientation to new policies, non-therapeutic procedures, equipment, forms, responsibilities, services, etc;
- (h) Presentations made by students;
- (i) Participation in or attendance at, not as a presenter, case conferences, grand rounds, or informal presentations; or
- (j) Work done in the course of an applicant's normal occupations or incident to the performance of his or her regular professional duties, such as teaching didactic courses, research, or course preparation in the case of a teacher or professor.

9212.5 The Board may issue and update a list of approved continuing education programs.

9212.6 An applicant shall have the burden of verifying whether the Board pursuant to this section prior to attending the program approves a program.

9212.7 The Board may approve the following continuing education activities by an applicant:

- (a) Serving as an instructor or speaker at a conference, seminar, workshop, or in-service training;
- (b) Publication of an article in a professional journal or publication of a book or a chapter in a book or publication of a book review in a professional journal or bulletin;
- (c) Serving as a clinical instructor for students of dentistry or dental residents; and
- (d) Participation in research as a principal investigator or research assistant.

9213 CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

9213.1 The Board may grant continuing education credit for whole hours only, with a minimum of fifty (50) minutes constituting one (1) credit hour.

9213.2 For approved undergraduate or graduate courses, each semester hour of credit shall constitute fifteen (15) hours of continuing education credit, and each quarter hour of credit shall constitute ten (10) hours of continuing education credit.

9213.3 The Board may grant a maximum of thirteen (13) continuing education credits per year to an applicant who attends a full time post-graduate education program.

- 9213.4 The Board may grant credit to an applicant who serves as an instructor or speaker at an acceptable program for both preparation and presentation time, subject to the following restrictions:
- (a) The maximum amount of credit which may be granted for preparation time is twice the amount of the associated presentation time;
 - (b) The maximum amount of credit which may be granted pursuant to this subsection is fifty percent (50%) of an applicant's continuing education requirement; and
 - (c) The presentation shall have been completed during the period for which credit is claimed.
- 9213.5 The Board may grant an applicant who is an author or editor of a published book twenty-five (25) continuing education credits, if the book has been published or accepted for publication during the period for which credit is claimed, and the applicant submits proof of this fact in the application.
- 9213.6 The Board may grant an applicant who is an author of a published original paper five (5) continuing education credits, subject to the same restrictions set forth for books in § 9213.5.
- 9213.7 The Board may grant an applicant who is the sole author of a published book review, review paper, or abstract, two (2) continuing education credits, subject to the same restrictions set forth for books in § 9213.5.

9299 DEFINITIONS

As used in this chapter, the following terms shall have the meaning as ascribed:

Act – the Omnibus Health Regulation Amendment Act of 2014, effective March 26, 2014 (D.C. Law 20-0096; 61 DCR 3751 (April 11, 2014)).

Board – the Board of Dentistry.

Direct supervision – means that a licensed dentist is physically present and reviews the work of the holder of a teacher's license in dental hygiene before a patient leaves.

Director – the Director of the Department of Health.

General supervision – means that a licensed dentist is physically present or available by telecommunications device to supervise the holder of a teacher's license in dentistry.

Licensed Dentist – a person who is licensed by the Board as a Dentist.