

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS  
Information for Applicants for Dental Hygiene Examinations

June 12 and 13, 1974

L.S.U. School of Dentistry, New Orleans, Louisiana

1. Applicants are required to be at least 18 years of age, of good moral character, a citizen of the United States of America and hold a diploma from a recognized, accredited school of Dental Hygiene in the United States at the time of the examination. Applicants must present the following credentials with application: High School and college transcripts from each college attended, including transcript of dental hygiene school record, and a record of National Board Examination grades should be forwarded directly to this office.
2. Applicant must have notarized signatures of two citizens of the State of which she is a legal resident and of two legal residents of the State of Mississippi, one of whom must be a member of the American Dental Association. Signatures must not be those of anyone connected in any way with any institution of learning. ALL APPLICANTS ARE REQUIRED TO ASK THE DENTISTS WHO SIGN HER APPLICATION TO WRITE A LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION DIRECTLY TO THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD.
3. Application must be accompanied by a fee of \$50.00 remitted by check or money order payable to the Board. No fee will be returned after examination has been entered upon. Applicants who fail the examinations will not be issued a license, but may take the examinations again at the next regular meeting of the Board, at which time they will be considered as a new applicant. No temporary licenses are issued nor are any special examinations given.
4. Certification by the National Board of Dental Examiners is accepted in lieu of the written examinations. Written examinations are given in all subjects not passed on the National Board. All applicants are required to take the examination in Jurisprudence based on Mississippi Law, which you have received. This exam will be given at 3:00 P.M. Wednesday, June 12, 1974.
5. Each dental hygiene student will be required to pay a clinic fee of \$10.00 at the orientation session at 2:00 P.M. Wednesday, June 12, 1974, in cash or check payable to L.S.U. Medical Center. This covers necessary materials needed for the examination. Low-speed handpieces will be furnished.
6. You are required to furnish a patient with sufficient calcareous deposits for you to demonstrate your ability in this area as a dental hygienist in performing a complete oral prophylaxis. In addition, using the same patient, you will be required to expose, process and amount a full mouth set of radiographs, including bite-wings. No re-takes will be allowed.
7. Each dental hygiene student will be interviewed by members of the Board at same time during the examination period.
8. Schedule of Examination:  

Place: L.S.U. School of Dentistry, 1100 Florida Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana

Time: Wednesday, June 12, 1974

2:00 P.M.	- Orientation Session Auditorium C of Clinic Building
3:00 P.M.	- Jurisprudence Examination and other subjects <u>not passed</u> on National Board Examination, if any

Thursday, June 13, 1974

8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.	- Clinical Examination and Personal Interviews
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9. Applicants should present themselves well-groomed, properly dressed, and otherwise prepared for the Examination.
10. Completed Application, including all credentials, must be received by this office at least 10 days prior to date of Examination.
11. The Board of Dental Examiners expects you to perform to the best of your ability under the circumstances. We wish you well on the Examination and will be glad to answer any questions you may have, prior to the Examination.