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STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

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MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS Information for Applicants for Dental Licensure Examination

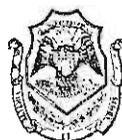
June 8, 9, 10, 1977

L. S. U. School of Dentistry, 1100 Florida Ave., New Orleans, La.

The Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners grants licenses to practice dentistry in the State of Mississippi on the basis of examination only. The Board does not engage in reciprocity agreements with any other states. A Specialty license may be obtained, after a regular license has been issued, by making application to the Secretary of this Board and presenting the proper proof of having complied with the requirements specified by the Council on Dental Education of the American Dental Association for the particular specialty. See P-7 of Mississippi Laws Pertaining State Board of Dental Examiners.

The requirments of Licensure are:

1. Applicants are required to be at least 21 years of age, of good moral characted, a citizen of the United States of America, and hold a diploma from an accredited School of Dentistry in the United States at the time of the examination.
2. Applicants must have Notarized signatures of two dentists of the State in which he or she is a legal resident. Signatures must not be those of anyone connected with an institution of learning. All applicants are required to have letters of recommendation from those dentist signing application sent directly to the Secretary of this Board.
3. Application must be filled out completely, signed and accompanied by fee of \$75.00 remitted by check or Money Order, payable to the Board. No fee will be refunded after date of examination. Applicants who fail the examination may take the examination again and be considered as a new applicant. No temporary licenses or permits are issued nor any special examination given.
4. Certification by the National Board of Dental Examiners is accepted in lieu of the written examination. A copy of the National Board Examination grades should be forwarded directly to this office. Written examinations will be given to those who have not passed the National Board Exam.
5. All applicants will be required to take a written examination in Jurisprudence, based on the "Laws pertaining to the State Board of Dental Examiners." (enclosed)



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6. The completed application with the following credentials must be received by this office at least 10 days prior to the examination date.
- A. High School, College and Dental School Transcripts.
 - B. National Board Examinations Grade Card.
 - C. Two letters of Recommendation from Dentist signing application.
 - D. Fee of \$75.00
 - E. Letter from Dental Dean (for applicants still in school but expected to graduate prior to examination.)
7. Requirements for the examination are:
- A. One, three surface inlay or onlay on a molar or pre-molar.
 - B. One crown or 3/4 crown on a molar or pre-molar. (All teeth restored must have an opposing occlusion and an adjacent tooth in contact. Each applicant must do his own lab work.)
 - C. Two amalgam restorations with an opposing occlusion and at least an adjacent tooth contact. One amalgam must be a three surface restoration. The other amalgam may be a two surface restoration.
 - D. Each applicant will be required to bring with him, one set of edentulous models mounted on an anatomical articulator of their choice, with bite rims. Each applicant must bring his own teeth for setup. The Board will only approve of the Pilkerton-Turner 30° posterior teeth. You may use the anterior teeth of your choice.
 - E. Each applicant must have one full set of x-rays on one of his patients, along with, a complete diagnosis and treatment plan, showing present restorations, all pathology and a prescription for restoring the mouth to an optimum state of health. This is to be presented in writing. The Board will evaluate your case workup when the Examiner sees you and the patient.
 - F. Personal interviews with Examiners.

NOTE: APPLICANTS MUST FURNISH OWN PATIENTS AND BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR APPEARANCE ON SCHEDULE.



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8. The Schedule of the Examination is as follows:

Wednesday June 8

8:00 A. M. Orientation Session. All Examinees.

8:15 A. M. Jurisprudence Exam. All Examinees.

9:00 A. M. - 12:00 P. M. Written examinations for those not having complete National Board exams, prosthetic set-up.

1:00 A. M. - 5:00 P. M. Clinic Open

Thursday

8:00 A. M. Clin Open

1. Each applicant is required to perform his own waxing & casting.
2. Auxillaries can be used for impression taking and cementation only.

Friday

8:00 A. M. Clinic Open.

1. The exam terminates at 4:30 P. M.

NOTE:

1. Other pertinent information will be given to you during the orientation session.
2. Each candadite will be personally interviewed by the Board. The Board will advise as to time and places available. It is your responsibility to see that you are interviewed.

9. Each dental candidate will pay a clinic fee in the amount of \$15.00. This is due at the orientation session on Wednesday and should be by cash or check payable to L. S. U. Medical Center. This covers necessary materials, anesthetics etc. needed for the examination with the exception of casting gold, which may be purchased from the school in 2 DWT packets at cost. Candidates must furnish own high-speed handpieces for the examination with adapters to fit Midwest Mobile Dental Units, 4 holes.
10. Applicants should present themselves well-groomed and properly attired for the 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 examination.
12. You will be notified when your application is complete.



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