

METHODS OF LICENSURE FOR RECENT DENTAL GRADUATES

STATE	METHODS OF LICENSURE						DENTAL BOARD CONTACT INFO
	CITA	CRDTS	NERB	SRTA	WREB	OTHER ALTERNATIVES	
Alabama	X	X	X	X	X		http://www.dentalboard.org (205) 985-7267
Alaska					X		http://www.commerce.state.ak.us/occ/pden (907) 465-2542
Arizona	X	X	X	X	X		http://www.azdentalboard.org (602) 242-1492
Arkansas				X			http://www.asbde.org (501) 682-2085
California					X	PGY-1, Portfolio	http://www.dbc.ca.gov (877) 729-7789
Colorado	X	X	X	X	X	Any state board	http://www.dora.state.co.us/dental (303) 894-7800
Connecticut		X	X	X	X	PGY-1	http://www.ct.gov/dph/site/default.asp Online Only
Delaware						DE state board	http://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/dental/index.shtml (302) 744-4500
District of Columbia			X				http://www.dchealth.dc.gov (202) 724-4900
Florida						FL state board	http://www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa/dentistry (850)-488-0595
Georgia		X					http://www.sos.state.ga.us/plb/dentistry (478) 207-2440
Hawaii		X	X				http://www.hawaii.gov.dcee.areas/pvl/boards/dentist/ (808) 586-3000
Idaho		X			X		http://www.idaho.gov/isbd (208) 334-2369
Illinois		X	X	X	X		http://www.idfpr.com/dpr/WHO/dent.asp (217)785-0800
Indiana		X	X	X	X		http://www.in.gov/pla/dental.htm (317) 234-2054
Iowa		X			X		http://www.dentalboard.iowa.gov (515) 281-5157
Kansas		X		X	X		http://www.kansas.gov/kdb (785) 296-6400
Kentucky	X	X	X	X	X		http://dentistry.ky.gov (502) 429-7280
Louisiana	X	X	X	X	X		http://www.lsbdo.org (504) 568-8574
Maine	X	X	X	X	X	Any state board + NERB DSE	http://www.mainedental.org (207) 287-3333
Maryland			X	X		Any state board + NERB DSE	http://www.dhms.state.md.us/dental (410) 402-8500
Massachusetts	X	X	X	X	X	FL and NV state boards	http://www.mass.gov/dph/boards/dn (800) 414-0168
Michigan			X			Other exams upon discretion of the board	http://www.michigan.gov/healthlicense (517) 335-0918
Minnesota	X	X	X	X	X	PGY-1, NDBE of Canada	http://www.dentalboard.state.mn.us (612) 617-2250
Mississippi	X						http://www.dentalboard.ms.gov (601) 944-9622
Missouri	X	X		X	X	Any state board	http://pr.mo.gov/dental.asp (573) 751-0040
Montana	X	X	X	X	X	CA, DE, FL, and NV state boards	http://www.dentistry.mt.gov Online Only
Nebraska	X	X			X		http://www.dhhs.ne.gov/crl/medical/dent/Dentist/Dentist.htm#Board (402) 471-2115
Nevada					X		http://www.nvdentalboard.nv.gov (702) 486-7044
New Hampshire	X	X	X		X		http://www.state.nh.us/dental (603) 271-4561
New Jersey		X	X				http://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/dentistry (973) 504-6405
New Mexico		X	X	X	X		http://www.rld.state.nm.us/Dental/index.html (505) 476-4680
New York						PGY-1 required	http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/dent/ (518) 474-3817
North Carolina	X						http://www.ncdentalboard.org (919) 678-8223
North Dakota	X	X		X	X		http://www.nddentalboard.org (701) 258-8600
Ohio		X	X	X	X		http://www.dental.ohio.gov (614) 466-2580
Oklahoma					X		http://www.dentist.state.ok.us (405) 524-9037
Oregon	X	X		X	X	Any state or regional board	http://www.oregon (971) 673-3200
Pennsylvania	X	X	X	X	X		http://www.dos.state.pa.us/dent (717) 783-7162
Puerto Rico	X						N/A (787) 725-7904
Rhode Island			X		X		http://www.health.ri.gov/hsr/professions/dental.php (401) 222-2827
South Carolina		X	X	X			http://www.llr.state.sc.us/POL/Dentistry (803) 896-4441
South Dakota		X			X		http://www.sdboardofdentistry.com (605) 224-1282
Tennessee				X	X		http://health.state.tn.us/Boards/Dentistry (800) 778-4123
Texas	X	X	X	X	X		http://www.tsbde.state.tx.us (512) 463-6400
Utah		X	X	X	X		http://dopl.utah.gov/licensing/dentistry.html (801) 530-6628
Vermont	X	X	X	X	X		http://www.vtprofessionals.org/opr1/dentists/ (802) 828-2390
Virginia	X	X	X	X	X		http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/dentistry/default.htm (804) 367-4538
Virgin Islands							N/A (340) 774-0117
Washington	X	X	X	X	X	PGY-1, Any state board	http://www.doh.wa.gov/hsqa/Professions/Dental/default.htm (360) 236-4700
West Virginia	X	X	X	X	X		http://www.wvdentalboard.org (877) 914-8266
Wisconsin	X	X	X	X	X	Any state board	http://drl.wi.gov/profdetail.asp?pdetailid=1114&profid=14&locid=0 (877) 617-1565
Wyoming	X	X	X	X	X		http://plboards.state.wy.us/dental/PDF/RulesAndRegulations.pdf (307) 777-6529