

OREGON BOARD OF DENTISTRY  
UNIT 23  
PO BOX 4395  
PORTLAND, OR 97208-4395

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**APPLICATION FOR DENTAL HYGIENE  
RESTORATIVE FUNCTIONS ENDORSEMENT  
\$50.00 (Non-Refundable)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ License No. \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify I have completed an approved curriculum from a program accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association or other course of instruction approved by the Board.

Program	Course	Date

**Check Appropriate Box(es) in Each Section:**

- ☐ Proof of completion of the course of instruction will be provided directly to the Board by the program, **or**
- ☐ Proof of completion of the course of instruction has previously been sent to the Board by the program.

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☐ Proof of successful completion of the Western Regional Examining Board's Restorative Examination within the past five years, **or**

☐ Proof of successful completion of the Western Regional Examining Board's Restorative Examination over five years from the date of application, **and**

☐ Verification from another state or jurisdiction that you are legally authorized to perform restorative functions, **and**

☐ Certification from a supervising dentist that you successfully completed at least 25 restorative procedures within the immediate five years.

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By signing below I certify that I have met all the requirements for the Restorative Functions Endorsement (RFE). I further certify that the information given on this form is true and correct. I understand that any falsification could result in denial, suspension, and/or revocation of my dental hygiene license.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# Oregon

Tina Kotek, Governor

**Board of Dentistry**  
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Portland, OR 97201-5837  
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## **Restorative Functions of Dental Hygienists**

OAR 818-035-0072 provides:

(1) The Board shall issue a Restorative Functions Endorsement (RFE) to a dental hygienist who holds an unrestricted

Oregon license, and has successfully completed:

- (a) A Board approved curriculum from a program accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association or other course of instruction approved by the Board, and successfully passed the Western Regional Examining Board's Restorative Examination or other equivalent examinations approved by the Board within the last five years; or
- (b) If successful passage of the Western Regional Examining Board's Restorative Examination or other equivalent examinations approved by the Board occurred over five years from the date of application, the applicant must submit verification from another state or jurisdiction where the applicant is legally authorized to perform restorative functions and certification from the supervising dentist of successful completion of at least 25 restorative procedures within the immediate five years from the date of application.

(2) A dental hygienist may perform the placement and finishing of direct alloy and direct anterior composite restorations, under the indirect supervision of a licensed dentist, after the supervising dentist has prepared the tooth (teeth) for restoration(s):

- (a) These functions can only be performed after the patient has given informed consent for the procedure and informed consent for the placement of the restoration(s) by a Restorative Functions Endorsement dental hygienist;
- (b) Before the patient is released, the final restoration(s) shall be checked by a dentist and documented in the chart.

### **Instructions**

To obtain a Dental Hygiene Restorative Functions Endorsement (RFE), complete the application on the reverse, and return it to the Oregon Board of Dentistry, Unit 23, PO Box 4395, Portland, Oregon 97208-4395.

1. Proof of coursework. If proof of completion of specific coursework has not been previously submitted to the Board, please arrange to have such proof sent to the Oregon Board of Dentistry (OBD), 1500 SW 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, Suite 770, Portland, Oregon 97201.
2. Permit fee. The fee for the Restorative Functions Endorsement is \$50.00. Please make checks payable to the Oregon Board of Dentistry and return the application and fee to the Oregon Board of Dentistry, Unit 23, PO Box 4395, Portland, OR 97208-4395.
3. Verification from State or Jurisdiction. If you have taken the Western Regional Examining Board's Restorative Examination over five years ago, have the state or jurisdiction submit directly to the OBD proof that you are legally authorized to perform restorative functions.
4. Certification of Supervising Dentist. If you have taken the Western Regional Examining Board's Restorative Examination over five years ago, have the supervising dentist (outside of Oregon) submit directly to the OBD proof that you have successfully completed at least 25 restorative procedures within the immediate five years.
5. Please refer questions to Examination and Licensing Manager at [information@obd.oregon.gov](mailto:information@obd.oregon.gov)

**VERIFICATION OF STATE OR JURISDICTION**  
**IN RESTORATIVE FUNCTIONS**

Name of Applicant (Please Print or Type):		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
License Number:	Date Issued:	Telephone Number:

I certify that

\_\_\_\_\_

was granted a license number \_\_\_\_\_ to practice dental hygiene in the State of \_\_\_\_\_

on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

I further certify that Dental Hygienists in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ are ☐ are not ☐

able to legally perform restorative functions.

Status of License	<input type="checkbox"/> Current	Expiration Date: _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Expired	Date: _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Inactive	Expiration Date: _____

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date Verification Prepared)

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**1500 SW 1st Avenue, Suite 770**  
**Portland, OR 97201**

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**CERTIFICATION OF SUPERVISING DENTIST**  
**(OUTSIDE THE STATE OF OREGON)**

**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name of Applicant (Please Print or Type):		Date:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
License Number:	Date Issued:	Telephone Number:

**SUPERVISING DENTIST**

Name of Supervising Dentist (Please Print or Type):		Telephone Number:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:

I certify that \_\_\_\_\_ has successfully  
completed at least \_\_\_\_\_ restorative procedures within the immediate five years.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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