

**270-X-3.03 Education Requirements for Examination, Qualifications, Application, Examination and Licensure of Dental Hygienists.**

- (1) Education Requirements for Examination.
    - (a) Graduate of a school or college of dental Hygiene approved by the Board.
    - (b) Graduate of the Alabama Dental Hygiene Program conducted by the Board pursuant to the Code of Alabama 1975, § 34-9-26.
  - (2) Applications for Hygiene Licensure Examinations.
    - (a) Applications and fee, in an amount fixed by the Board, must be filed with the Board at least thirty (30) days prior to the date of the examination.
    - (b) If the applicant is a graduate of a college approved by the Board, a copy of a transcript of the applicant's grades from said college must accompany the application.
    - (c) If the applicant is a graduate of the ADHP, the Secretary of the Board shall attach a copy of the applicant's grades to the application at least five days prior to the date of the examination.
    - (d) Applications must be sent by Certified Mail return receipt requested.
    - (e) No part of the above fees are refundable.
    - (f) All applicants must otherwise comply with all requirements established by law.
  - (3) All applicants for licensure shall also comply with Code of Alabama, (1975) § 34-9-26.
  - (4) No person shall be granted a license to practice Dental Hygiene unless he/she has met the requirements of Code of Alabama, (1975) § 34-9-26.
- Authority: Code of Alabama, (1975) § 34-9-2, 34-9-4, 34-9-16, 34-9-26 and 34-9-43. Adopted as revised: September 25, 1982.