# CONCORDE CAREER COLLEGE - MEMPHIS DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES FOR CDCA-WREB-CITA ADMINISTERED ADEX DENTAL HYGIENE LICENSURE EXAM

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PLEASE READ!

The intent of the information contained within this document is to assist the candidate with taking the CDCA-WREB-CITA administered ADEX Dental Hygiene Licensure Exam. Requirements for the examination and grading of the examination are determined solely by the Council of Interstate Testing Agencies. Questions related to the information in this document or to the facilities and policies of Concorde Career College may be directed to Marla Dunlap at (901) 202-7660.

# Candidates should read this entire document before contacting Concorde Career College with questions since it contains all pertinent information.

The Facility Fee is \$175.00 for candidates who are not students of Concorde Career College – Memphis, and will be collected by CDCA-WREB-CITA at time of online registration.

#### This clinic is latex free.

Candidates must notify the school in advance if they are interested in receiving a tour of the school. They can contact Marla Dunlap at (901) 746-1358 and she will make the arrangements.

#### PARKING:

Free, limited candidate parking is available at Concorde Career College. The address is 5100 Poplar Ave, Ste.132, Memphis, TN 38137. Reserved parking, for patients, is located on the northeast corner of the building. A parking garage is also located close to the building.

#### **ULTRASONIC (CAVITRON) USE AND INSTRUMENT STERILIZATION:**

The candidate is responsible for providing his or her own sterile instruments. If this is not feasible, the candidate must notify the school to make arrangements to sterilize the required items prior to the exam date.

Ultrasonic scalers are available for a rental fee of \$150.00, this includes a universal tip. Please contact Marla Dunlap at (901) 202-7660 for more information.

#### SUPPLIES AVAILABLE

Concorde will supply the necessary barriers and cubicle supplies including:

Dental Floss 2X2 Gauze Paper gowns Gloves Mask Saliva ejectors/suction tips Disposable air/water tips

## INFECTION CONTROL POLICIES AND PROCEDURES TO BE FOLLOWED DURING THE EXAM

**Prior to the Examination:** We **recommend** the cleaning and disinfection of your treatment area and manikin head as a standard precaution. However, barrier protection of your operatory is not necessary for the manikin exam.

- 1. Each treatment area shall be stocked with the following items:
  - paper towels
  - liquid hand soap
  - disinfectant wipes
  - disposable treatment gloves and masks

**After the Examination:** We **require** that you clean and disinfect your treatment area and manikin head before you exit the operatory.

#### TREATMENT OF INSTRUMENTS

- A. Only sterile instruments may be used.
- B. You may obtain a clean clearvue bag to transport instruments from the exam facility but we recommend a plastic container for transport.
- C. There is **NO provision** for sterilizing instruments at Concorde Career College upon completion of the exam.

### ACCESS TO FACILITY

You will be allowed to enter Concorde Career College facility after 6:15 a.m. The School will be locked at 7:00 p.m. Please enter the school through the Dental Hygiene Clinic Lobby. There will be signs posted to assist with navigation.

#### **STORAGE OF INSTRUMENTS AND SUPPLIES**

You are reminded that there are <u>no provisions</u> for storing instruments, equipment, supplies and personal belongings at the school, either overnight <u>OR</u> during the day. <u>The school does not have space available for storage</u>. If you leave items at the school during the examination period, you do so at your own risk!

#### **SMOKING, FOOD AND BEVERAGES**

Smoking is only permitted in assigned areas (east and west side of building at outdoor tables). For reasons of health and sanitation, food and beverages are <u>not permitted</u> in patient reception area or in the clinical care areas at any time.