
**LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY
INFORMATION FOR DENTAL CANDIDATES
FOR ADEX DENTAL EXAMINATIONS**

The intent of the information contained within this document is to assist the candidate with taking the American Board of Dental Examiners (ADEX) Dental Examination administered by CDCA-WREB-CITA. Questions related to the information in this document or to the facilities and policies of the School of Dentistry may be directed to the office of the Associate Dean of Clinical Affairs at (504) 941-8110. **Candidates should read this entire document before calling LSU with questions since it contains all pertinent information.**

This facility is NOT Latex-Free.

PARKING:

The address for the LSU School of Dentistry is 1100 Florida Ave, New Orleans, LA 70119. Parking is available in the lot across the street from the School of Dentistry.

USAGE FEE:

The fee that is submitted by the candidate to CDCA-WREB-CITA on behalf of the School of Dentistry pays for the direct costs of the school's hosting the examination. This fee includes the use of the facilities, staff, and the following equipment, instruments, and supplies. The facility usage fee is \$280 (\$140 Rest/Perio and \$140 Pros/Endo). CDCA-WREB-CITA will collect this fee on behalf of the school as part of the registration. LSU students do not pay this for a retake exam. Receipts are e-mailed at time of payment to the e-mail address provided on application. Candidates do not pay any fee directly to the school.

Manikin Based Examination Equipment and Instruments:

1. CDCA-WREB-CITA will provide an exam ADADENTAL typodont to every candidate taking any part of the manikin exam.
2. The manikin exam will be held in the LSU sim labs. All simulation units are ADEC and can be adjusted to accommodate left-handed operators (see picture below).



3. Candidates are free to use their instruments and burs or may use the instrument trays and bur blocks supplied by the school. The contents of instrument tray set-ups, off-tray instruments, and supplies are listed in the attachment at the end of this document. **Note: Contents of the instrument trays listed in the attachment can change without notice and there is no guarantee that a particular instrument will be available.**
4. **Candidates must bring their own handpieces.** Handpiece tubing is five-hole, with fiber optic in hose connector (see picture below). Candidates must bring any adapter for their handpiece that is necessary. **LSU will not be able to provide any handpieces or adapters and will not provide back-up handpieces.**



***The above picture shows the handpiece tubing connection for both the clinical and manikin exams.**

5. **It is highly recommended that candidates who are not LSU students bring their own burs.** **Although LSU will provide bur blocks used by LSU students to all candidates, and the contents of the bur blocks are typical of the burs used for the procedures on the exam, LSU does not guarantee that a specific bur will be in the bur block as these blocks change periodically.**

PROCEDURES FOR OBTAINING INSTRUMENTS:

1. All instrument trays will be issued by the clinical dispensary on the floor of the examination just prior to the exam.
2. Immediately following each procedure, all instruments must be returned to LSU personnel.
3. The CDCA-WREB-CITA will be notified by the school if all requisitioned instruments are not returned.

Patient-based Periodontal & Restorative Examination Equipment and Instruments:

1. All dental operatory units are chair-mounted Adec Radius units and can be adjusted to accommodate left-handed operators.



2. **Candidates who are not LSU students must bring their own cavitrons;** the school does not have any available to rent or lease to non-LSU students. Any necessary adapters must be supplied by the candidate. Each chair has a water connector for the cavitron as illustrated in the picture below:



The connection for the water line is a 1/4" quick disconnect.

3. The School will sterilize a candidate's own instruments if they are brought to the school prior to the exam. Alternatively, candidates may use the instrument trays and burs supplied by the School. **(See above information regarding the use of the School's instruments and burs.)**
4. **Candidates must bring their own handpieces and curing light.** Handpiece tubing is five-hole, with fiber optic in hose connector (see picture above). Candidates must bring any adapter for their

handpiece that is necessary. **LSU will not be able to provide any handpieces or adapters or any back-up handpieces or curing lights. Additionally, candidates must supply their own blood pressure checking devices and curing light.**

5. **It is highly recommended that candidates who are not LSU students bring their own burs. Although LSU will provide bur blocks used by LSU students to all candidates, and the contents of the bur blocks are typical of the burs used for the procedures on the exam, LSU does not guarantee that a specific bur will be in the bur block as these blocks change periodically.**

Supplies provided by LSU:

1. Local anesthetics
2. Needles
3. Paper, cotton, rubber, and plastic disposables (saliva ejectors and suction tips), rubber dam supplies.
4. Amalgam, composite, and bonding agent.
5. Gowns, gloves, and masks for all clinical procedures. Candidates must supply their own eye protection.

PROCEDURES FOR OBTAINING INSTRUMENTS:

1. All clinical instruments are issued to candidates by the clinic in which the instruments are used just prior to the exam.
2. Immediately following each procedure, all instruments must be returned to the dispensary.
3. The CDCA-WREB-CITA will be notified by the school if all requisitioned instruments are not returned.

USE OF FACILITY:

Since the candidate's exam activities are performed exclusively in the clinical cubicle, tours of the facility are not necessary or given (see picture above of the clinical cubicle). Candidates should follow directions given by CDCA-WREB-CITA for schedule, registration, etc.

ATTACHMENT

1. Endodontic Laboratory Manikin Based Procedures

Tray Set-Up:

Brasseler Mirror 250MH6CS
Brasseler EXPL 23 6/6 Explorer
Brasseler Cotton Plier 250100 (2)
Brasseler 25024 Cement Spatula
Brasseler 0101 Straight Hemostat
Brasseler ENDO-16 Explorer 23/126 HF
Brasseler A 5-7 Explorer
Brasseler ENDO A9-11 Explorer
Brasseler GLICK-1 Glick
Brasseler EXC-33L/6 Endo Excavator
Brasseler 301 Scissors
Miltex 1-3 Explorer
Brasseler AS-01 Aspirating Syringe
Dentsply Endo Measuring Block
Brasseler 23/6 Explorer
Miltex Endo Ruler
Brasseler EXC-31W

Off Tray:

Gutta percha points, cotton, sealer, paper points

Note: LSU does not supply endodontic files, spreaders, or any heating devices to non-LSU candidates.

2. Fixed Prosthodontics Laboratory Manikin Based Procedures

Tray Set-Up (Brasseler):

Brasseler 250MH6CS Mirror
Brasseler Expro OW23/6
Brasseler Cord Packer GCP122NS6
Brasseler Gold Composite TINPFIPW36
Brasseler Currette SBH 1/26
Cotton Plier
Curved Scissors
Crown and Bridge Scissors
Curved Hemostat
Aspirating Syringe
Cement Spatula
Brasseler Hatchet C11/126 15-8-8
Articulating paper holder
Brasseler Small Spoon Excavator EXC-2/6

Off-Tray Instruments and Supplies:

Cotton products
Assorted articulating paper

3. Restorative Procedures

Tray Set-Up:

Brasseler 250MH6CS Mirror	Brasseler Small Spoon Excavator 13-8-14
Brasseler Expro OPunc 12/236	Brasseler Medium Spoon Excavator 10-6-12 15/6
Brasseler Amalgam Plugger PLG1M6	Brasseler Large Spoon Excavator 15-8-14
Brasseler Amalgam Plugger PLG13426	Brasseler Gold Knife N110/6
Brasseler Amalgam Plugger PLG13436	Brasseler Triple Angle Hoe CP12586 8-3-25
Brasseler Amalgam Plugger PLG13446	Brasseler 250100 Cotton Plier
Brasseler Amalgam Carver CD 1/6	Brasseler Gold Composite TINPF9/6
Brasseler Amalgam Carver CD 2/6	Brasseler Gold Composite TINPCs/6
Brasseler Walls Carver WA3/6	Nordent REPF120T Titanium Composite
Brasseler Interproximal Carver H-3S/6	Articulating paper holder
Brasseler Interproximal Carver IPC/6	Crown and Bridge scissors
Brasseler Burnisher BUR42/6	Curved hemostat
Brasseler Hatchet HA8/96	Blade Handle
Brasseler Hoe CP22/22C6 10-4-14	Tofflemire Retainer
Miltex Aspirating Syringe 76-70	Dycal Applicator
Amalgam well	Amalgam Carrier
Cement spatula	
Brasseler 17/23 Explorer	

Off-Tray Instruments and Supplies:

Clamps

Amalgam

Matrix Bands

3M Filtek Supreme Plus

Scotchbond Multipurpose Plus

Applicator gun

4. Periodontal Procedures**Tray Set-Up:**

Hu-Friedy 250MH6CS Mirror

Hu-Friedy Explorer TU17/23Xt6

Hu-Friedy Furcation Explorer PN2/6

Hu-Friedy Posterior explorer ODU1112/6

Hu-Friedy Perio Probe CPUN12/6

Hu-Friedy Sickle Scaler SH6/H76

Hu-Friedy Curette SGR11/12R6

Hu-Friedy Curette SGR13/14R6

Hu-Friedy SG 17/18R6

Hu-Friedy Curette SGR15/16R6

Hu-Friedy Curette SC13/146

Hu-Friedy Curette SM13/146

Hu-Friedy Curette SG1/26

Sharpening stone

Aspirating syringe

Cotton Plier

Hu-Friedy PCV-12 PH-6 Perio Probe

Off-Tray Instruments and Supplies:

Dental floss

Cotton tip applicators