Policy Statement on Dental Examination Requirements

On August 12, 2019, Rule 0460-02-.05 (1)(a) was amended to clarify the minimum requirements an examination must have as a prerequisite for licensure.

An examination must include a prosthetic component, a periodontal component an endodontic component, and a live human patient anterior and posterior restorative component as a prerequisite for licensure.

The benefit of an examination that includes a live human patient restorative component is that it uses the most common treatment modalities and demonstrates an applicant's competency in prosthodontic procedures.

The Board acknowledges that an applicant may have already taken an examination prior to the August 12, 2019 effective date of this rule.

As such, the Board interprets this rule to apply only to applicants who take an examination for licensure after the August 12, 2019 effective date of the rule.

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