

Dental Hygienist A.A.S.		Program Modality: On Campus		
Overview: Lewis & Clark Community college's Dental Hygienist A.A.S. program is accredited by the American Dental Association (ADA) Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) and therefore meets the educational requirements for students to complete the two types of board examinations required for licensure as a dental hygienist. These include the written National Board Dental Hygiene Examination (NBDHE), sponsored by the ADA Joint Commission on National Dental Examinations, and a clinical board examination. While the written NBDHE is accepted and required nationwide, there is not a nationwide universally accepted clinical board examination. The majority of Lewis and Clark students take				
Program URL	https://www.lc.edu/academic-programs/degrees-certificates/dental-hygiene.html			
Program Coordinator	Roberta Brown	rebrown@lc.edu	618-468-4412	
Accrediting Body	Commission on Dental Accreditation https://coda.ada.org			
US. State/Territory	Educational Requirements	Licensing Board Agency	Board/Agency Contact Information	Phone
Alabama	Meets	Board of Dental Examiners of Alabama	https://dentalboard.org/	205-985-7267
Alaska	Meets	Alaska Dept. of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing	https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardofDentalExaminers.aspx	907-465-2550
American Samoa	Meets	American Samoa Bar Association Health Services	https://asbar.org/regulation/31-0424-additional-qualifications	N/A
Arizona	Meets	Arizona State Board of Dental Examiners	https://dentalboard.az.gov/home	602-242-1492
Arkansas	Meets	Arkansas Department of Health Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners	asbde@arkansas.gov www.dentalboard.arkansas.gov	501-682-2085
California	Does not meet	Dental Board of California	https://www.dbc.ca.gov	877-729-7789 916-263-2300
Colorado	Does not meet	Colorado Department of Regulatory Agencies	https://dpo.colorado.gov/Dental	303-894-7800
Connecticut	Meets	Connecticut State Department of Public Health	https://portal.ct.gov/dph/public-health-hearing-office/connecticut-state-dental-commission/connecticut-state-dental-	860-707-1984
Delaware	Meets	Delaware Division of Professional Regulation	https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/dental	302-744-7500
District of Columbia	Meets	DC Board of Dentistry	https://dchealth.dc.gov/node/146102	877-672-2174
Florida	Meets	Florida Board of Dentistry	https://floridasdentistry.gov	850-488-0595
Georgia	Meets	Georgia Board of Dentistry	https://gbd.georgia.gov	404-651-8000

Guam	Meets	Guam Board of Examiner for Dentistry	https://guamhplo.org/sites/default/files/gbed_ancillary_personnel_app.pdf	N/A
Hawaii	Meets	Profession & Vocational Licensing Division Hawaii Board of Dentistry	https://gbd.georgia.gov	808-586-3000
Idaho	Meets	Idaho Division of Occupational & Professional Licenses	https://dopl.idaho.gov/online-services	208-334-3233
Illinois	Meets	Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR)	https://idfpr.illinois.gov	800-560-6420
Indiana	Meets	Indianan Professional Licensing Agency	https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/dentistry-home/dentistry-licensing-information	800-457-8283
Iowa	Meets	Iowa Department of Inspections, Appeals & Licensing Dental Board	https://dopl.idaho.gov/online-services	N/A
Kansas	Meets	Kansas Dental Board	https://www.dental.ks.gov	785-296-6400
Kentucky	Meets	Kentucky Board of Dentistry	https://dentistry.ky.gov/Pages/index.aspx	502-429-7280
Louisiana	Meets	Louisiana State Board of Dentistry	http://www.lsbdo.org	225-219-7330
Maine	Meets	Maine Board of Dental Practice	https://www.maine.gov/dental	207-287-8140
Maryland	Meets	Maryland Department of Health Board of Dental Examiners	https://health.maryland.gov/dental/Pages/home.aspx	410-402-8500
Massachusetts	Meets	Massachusetts Board of Registration in Allied Health Professions	https://www.mass.gov/dental-hygienist-licenses	800-41400168
Michigan	Meets	Michigan Licensing and Regulatory Affairs	https://www.michigan.gov/lara/bureau-list/bpl/health/hp-lic-health-prof/dental	517-241-0199
Minnesota	Meets	Minnesota Board of Dentistry	https://mn.gov/boards/dentistry	612-617-2250
Mississippi	Meets	Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners	https://www.dentalboard.ms.gov/dental-hygiene-applications-and-forms	601-944-9622
Missouri	Meets	Missouri Division of Professional Registration	https://pr.mo.gov/dental.asp	573-751-0040
Montana	Meets	Montana Board of Dentistry	https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/dentistry	406-444-6880

Nebraska	Does Not Meet	Nebraska Dept. of Health and Human Services	https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Dentist.aspx	402-741-2118
Nevada	Meets	Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners	https://dental.nv.gov	702-486-7044
New Hampshire	Meets	New Hampshire Office of Professional Licensure and Certification	https://www.oplc.nh.gov	603-271-2152
New Jersey	Meets	New Jersey State Board of Dentistry	https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/den	973-504-6405
New Mexico	Meets	New Mexico Regulations & Licensing Department	https://www.rld.nm.gov/boards-and-commissions/individual-boards-and-commissions/dental-health-care	505-476-4622
New York	Meets	New York State Education Department Office of the Professions	https://www.op.nysed.gov/dentists	518-474-3817 Press 1 then Ext. 570
North Carolina	Meets	North Carolina State Board of Dental Examiners	https://www.members-base.com/ncbdesearch/search	919-678-8223
North Dakota	Meets	North Dakota Board of Dental Examiners	https://www.nddentalboard.org	701-258-8600
Northern Mariana Islands	Meets	Health Care Professions Licensing Board	https://www.cnmilicensing.gov/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Dental-DH-and-DT-Application.pdf	670-664-4809
Ohio	Meets	Ohio State Dental Board	https://dental.ohio.gov	614-466-2580
Oklahoma	Meets	Oklahoma Board of Dentistry	https://www.ok.gov/dentistry	405-522-4844
Oregon	Meets	Oregon Board of Dentistry	https://www.oregon.gov/dentistry/Pages/index.aspx	971-673-3200
Pennsylvania	Meets	Pennsylvania State Board of Dentistry	https://www.pa.gov/en/agencies/dos/department-and-offices/bpoa/boards-commissions/dentistry.html	877-883-1370
Puerto Rico	Meets			
Rhode Island	Meets	Rhode Island Department of Health	https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=251	401-222-5960
South Carolina	Meets	South Carolina Board of Dentistry	https://llr.sc.gov/bod	803-896-4599

South Dakota	Meets	South Dakota State Board of Dentistry	https://www.sdboardofdentistry.org	605-224-1282
Tennessee	Meets	Tennessee Board of Dentistry	https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/oralhealth/professionals/tennessee-board-of-dentistry.html	615-532-5073
Texas	Meets	State Board of Dental Examiners	https://tsbde.texas.gov	512-463-0235
US Virgin Islands	Meets	Board of Dental Examiners	https://doh.vi.gov/board-of-dental-examiners	340-718-1311
Utah	Meets	Utah Division of Professional Licensing	https://dopl.utah.gov/dentistry	801-530-6628
Vermont	Meets	Vermont Secretary of State OPR: Dental Examiners	https://sos.vermont.gov/dental-examiners	802-828-1505
Virginia	Meets	Virginia Board of Dentistry	denbd@dhp.virginia.gov	804-367-4538
Washington	Meets	Washington State Department of Health	https://doh.wa.gov/licenses-permits-and-certificates/professions-new-renew-or-update/dentist	360-236-4700
West Virginia	Meets	West Virginia board of Dentistry	https://www.wv.gov/pages/agency.aspx?newid=168	877-914-8266
Wisconsin	Meets	Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services Dentistry Examining Board	https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/BoardsCouncils/Dentistry/Default.aspx	608-266-2112
Wyoming	Meets	Wyoming Board of Dental Examiners	https://dental.wyo.gov	307-777-7387