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Application for certificate; requirements; exceptions.

(A) Each person who desires to perform the duties of a dental x-ray machine operator shall file with the secretary of the state dental board a written application for a dental x-ray machine operator's certificate. Each applicant for a dental x-ray machine operator's certificate shall pay an application fee of thirty-two dollars. Each applicant shall furnish satisfactory proof of the following on a form prescribed and provided by the state dental board:

(1) Except as provided in paragraph (B) of this rule, he or she has completed a board-approved dental radiography training program presented by either of the following:

(a) An accredited educational institution or program; or

(b) A ~~permanent~~ sponsor of continuing education as listed in paragraphs (A)(1) to ~~(A)(9)~~ (A)(10) of rule 4715-8-02 of the Administrative Code.

(B) A dental x-ray machine operator shall be exempt from the initial training requirements provided in paragraph (A) of this rule if ~~either~~ any one of the following apply:

(1) They hold a current certification as an assistant which included required examination in radiography as a component from ~~the "Dental Assisting National Board" or the "Ohio Commission on Dental Assistant Certification"; or one of the following:~~

(a) "Dental Assisting National Board";

(b) "Ohio Commission on Dental Assistant Certification";

(c) "American Medical Technologists"; or

(2) They hold a current license, certificate, or other credential issued by another state that the board determines uses standards for dental x-ray machine operators that are at least equal to those established by state dental board rules; ~~or~~

(3) The applicant has satisfactory work experience, government certification, or a private certification as described in Chapter 4796. of the Revised Code as a dental x-ray machine operator in a state that does not issue that license or certificate.