

Approved programs of study – qualifications for registration

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Qualifications which lead to general registration as a dentist	
Institution	Qualification
University of Adelaide	Bachelor of Dental Surgery, BDS (5 years)
Charles Sturt University	Bachelor of Dental Science, BDentSc (5 years)
Griffith University	Bachelor of Oral Health in Dental Science/Graduate Diploma of Dentistry, BOH(DentSci)+GradDipDent (5 years)
James Cook University	Bachelor of Dental Surgery, BDS (5 years) *this program is in process of new program accreditation by the Australian Dental Council (ADC)
La Trobe University	Bachelor of Health Sciences in Dentistry/Master of Dentistry, BHSc(Dent)+MDent (5 years)
University of Melbourne	Bachelor of Dental Science, BDSc (5 years)
University of Melbourne	Doctor of Dental Surgery, DDS (4 years)
University of Queensland	Bachelor of Dental Science, BDSc (5 years)
University of Sydney	Bachelor of Dentistry, BDent (4 years)
University of Sydney	Doctor of Dental Medicine, DMD (4 years)
University of Western Australia	Bachelor of Dental Science, BDSc (5 years)
University of Western Australia	Doctor of Dental Medicine, DMD (4 years)

Qualifications which lead to general registration as a dental hygienist	
Institution	Qualification
University of Adelaide	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
Central Queensland University	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years) <i>Approved with conditions</i>
Charles Sturt University	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOralHlth (3 years)
Curtin University of Technology	Associate Degree in Dental Hygiene, AssocDegree DentHyg (2 years)
Griffith University	Bachelor of Oral Health in Oral Health Therapy, BOH(OHT) (3 years)
La Trobe University	Bachelor of Oral Health Science, BOHSc (3 years)
TAFE (SA) Gilles Plains	Advanced Diploma of Oral Health (Dental Hygiene), AdvDipOralHlth(DentHyg) (2 years)

Qualifications which lead to general registration as a dental hygienist	
Institution	Qualification
University of Melbourne	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
University of Newcastle	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
University of Queensland	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
University of Sydney	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)

Qualifications which lead to general registration as a dental therapist	
Institution	Qualification
University of Adelaide	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
Central Queensland University	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years) <i>Approved with conditions</i>
Charles Sturt University	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOralHlth (3 years)
Curtin University of Technology	Associate Degree in School Dental Therapy, AssocDegree DentTher (2 years)
Griffith University	Bachelor of Oral Health in Oral Health Therapy, BOH(OHT) (3 years)
La Trobe University	Bachelor of Oral Health Science, BOHSc (3 years)
University of Newcastle	Graduate Diploma in Dental Therapy (1 year)
University of Melbourne	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
University of Queensland	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
University of Sydney	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)

Qualifications which lead to general registration as an oral health therapist	
Institution	Qualification
University of Adelaide	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
Central Queensland University	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years) <i>Approved with conditions</i>
Charles Sturt University	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOralHlth (3 years)
Curtin University of Technology	Bachelor of Science (Oral Health Therapy) (3 year program)
Griffith University	Bachelor of Oral Health in Oral Health Therapy, BOH(OHT) (3 years)
La Trobe University	Bachelor of Oral Health Science, BOHSc (3 years)
University of Newcastle	Graduate Diploma in Dental Therapy (1 year) and Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
University of Melbourne	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
University of Queensland	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)
University of Sydney	Bachelor of Oral Health, BOH (3 years)

Qualifications which lead to general registration as a dental prosthetist	
Institution	Qualification
RMIT University	Advanced Diploma of Dental Prosthetics *approved by a body other than ADC
Southbank Institute of Technology	Advanced Diploma of Dental Prosthetics *approved by a body other than ADC
Sydney Institute TAFE NSW	Advanced Diploma of Dental Prosthetics *approved by a body other than ADC
TAFE SA Adelaide North Institute	Advanced Diploma of Dental Prosthetics *approved by a body other than ADC
Griffith University	Master of Dental Technology in Prosthetics *approved by a body other than ADC

Qualifications which lead to endorsement in relation to conscious sedation	
Institution	Qualification
Westmead Hospital, University of Sydney	Graduate Diploma in Clinical Dentistry (Conscious Sedation and Pain Control) *this program has not been accredited by the ADC

Qualifications which lead to specialist registration for dentists	
Institution	Qualification
Dento-maxillofacial radiology	
University of Queensland	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Dento-Maxillofacial Radiology (3 years)
Endodontics	
University of Adelaide	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Endodontics (3 years)
University of Melbourne	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Endodontics (3 years)
University of Western Australia	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Endodontics (3 years)
Oral and maxillofacial surgery	
Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (RACDS)	Fellowship of the Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery), FRACDS (OMS)
Oral medicine	
University of Melbourne	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Oral Medicine (3 years)
University of Queensland	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Oral Medicine (3 years)
Oral pathology	
University of Adelaide	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Oral Pathology (3 years)
Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia (RCPA)	Fellowship of the Faculty of Oral Pathology, Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia (FFOP)
Oral medicine / Oral pathology	
University of Sydney	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Oral Medicine and Oral Pathology (3 years) *Eligibility for registration in the specialty of Oral Medicine <u>or</u> Oral Pathology will be dependent on the major specialist pathway undertaken in the Doctor of Clinical Dentistry
University of Western Australia	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Oral Medicine and Oral Pathology (3 years) *Eligibility for registration in the specialty of Oral Medicine <u>or</u> Oral Pathology will be dependent on the major specialist pathway undertaken in the Doctor of Clinical Dentistry

Qualifications which lead to specialist registration for dentists	
Institution	Qualification
Orthodontics	
James Cook University	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Orthodontics (3 years) <i>Approved with conditions</i>
University of Adelaide	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Orthodontics (3 years)
University of Melbourne	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Orthodontics (3 years)
University of Queensland	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Orthodontics (3 years)
University of Sydney	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Orthodontics (3 years)
University of Western Australia	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Orthodontics (3 years)
Paediatric dentistry	
University of Adelaide	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry (3 years)
University of Melbourne	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry (3 years)
University of Queensland	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry (3 years)
University of Sydney	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry (3 years)
University of Western Australia	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry (3 years)
Periodontics	
University of Adelaide	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Periodontics (3 years)
Griffith University	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Periodontology (3 years)
University of Melbourne	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Periodontics (3 years)
University of Sydney	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Periodontics (3 years)
University of Western Australia	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Periodontics (3 years)
Prosthodontics	
University of Adelaide	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Prosthodontics (3 years)
University of Melbourne	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Prosthodontics (3 years)
University of Sydney	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Prosthodontics (3 years)
Special needs dentistry	
University of Adelaide	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Special Needs Dentistry (3 years)
University of Melbourne	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Special Needs Dentistry (3 years)
University of Sydney	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Special Care Dentistry (3 years)

Note: there are no currently accredited programs for the following specialties and the Board will evaluate applications for registration in these specialties on a case by case basis:

- Oral surgery
- Forensic odontology
- Public Health Dentistry