



APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEALTH INITIAL LICENSURE

GEORGIA BOARD OF DENTISTRY

237 Coliseum Drive

Macon, Georgia 31217

Phone (866) 888-1308

www.sos.ga.gov/plb/dentistry

Please read the instructions carefully and be familiar with the laws and rules governing the practice of dentist in the State of Georgia. Visit the following web site for information:
<http://www.sos.state.ga.us/plb/dental>.

****Important****

The Board cannot process incomplete applications. If any item is missing, incomplete or incorrect, your application cannot be reviewed by the Board. Please review this application before you submit it to ensure that all information and documentation is complete and correct. Incomplete applications result in delayed processing and are void after one year.

The \$150 **non-refundable** application fee payable to **Georgia Board of Dentistry** must be included with application.

NOTARIZED APPLICATION: Completed application and \$150 non-refundable application fee. **Checks returned for insufficient funds will be assessed a \$30 service charge pursuant to O.C.G.A. §16-9-20.**

DEGREE TRANSCRIPT: An official transcript from your dental school

CPR: Copy of your CPR card

CIRRICULUM VITAE

DOCUMENTATION OF EMPLOYMENT: Letter from the Director of the Department in which you will be employed

LICENSE VERIFICATION: Licensure verification(s) from **ALL** states where you currently hold or have ever held a license.

JURISPRUDENCE EXAMINATION: Successful completion of the Jurisprudence Examination (\$25 non-refundable fee) with a score of 75 or higher. The Jurisprudence examination may be taken as an open book exam. The examination and “law and rules” governing the practice of dentistry in Georgia may be obtained on the Georgia Board of Dentistry website at: www.sos.ga.gov/plb/dentistry. Score is only valid for one (1) year.

Part II: Professional Education

11. Highest Degree Earned: _____ Doctorate _____ Master's _____ Bachelor's _____ Associate _____ Diploma/Certificate
12. Name/Address of Entry Level Professional Institution(e.g. technical school, undergraduate college/university): _____
a. Dates Attended: _____ c. Graduation Date: _____
b. Major: _____ d. Degree(s) Earned: _____
13. Name/Address of Graduate School/University _____
a. Dates Attended: _____ c. Graduation Date: _____
b. Major: _____ d. Degree(s) Earned: _____
14. Name/Address of Post-Graduate School/Hospital (if applicable): _____
a. Type of Training: _____ b. Dates Attended: _____

Part III:

15. Have you ever been arrested, convicted, sentenced, pled guilty to, pled nolo contendere to, or given first offender status for the commission of a felony, misdemeanor, or any offense other than a minor traffic violation? (DWI & DUI's are **not** minor traffic violations.) () Yes () No **If yes, attach an explanation and submit official document(s) directly to Georgia Board office.**
16. Have you ever had been denied a DEA registration number or been issued a restricted DEA registration? () Yes () No **If yes, attach an explanation.**
17. Have you ever had revoked, suspended, or otherwise sanctioned any certificate/license by any Board or agency in Georgia or in any other State? () Yes () No **If yes, attach an explanation.**
18. Have you ever had a formal complaint filed against you with any dental society, association, hospital, or dental board? () Yes () No **If yes, attach an explanation**
19. Have you ever had any malpractice suits filed against you? () Yes () No **If yes, attach an explanation.**
20. Have you voluntarily surrendered a dental license, a controlled substance registration, or a DEA registration? () Yes () No **If yes, attach an explanation**
21. To your knowledge, are you the subject of an investigation by any licensing board or hospital as of the date of this application? () Yes () No **If yes, attach an explanation.**
22. Do you presently have any contagious or infectious disease? () Yes () No **If yes, attach an explanation.**
23. Are you licensed to practice dentistry in any State(s)? () Yes () No **If yes, complete the following and have the official certification(s) from each Board where you hold or ever held a certificate/license sent to the Georgia Board:**

STATE

DATE OF LICENSURE

24. Have you privately practiced dentistry: () Yes () No **If so, where and for how long?**

25. Give previous employment and dates, including reason(s) for leaving: _____

26. If granted a public health permit, in what institution do you plan to practice?
Name of Institution _____

Part IV:

27. AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT

I hereby certify that I am the person who executed the above application for a public license in the State of Georgia, that all the statements herein contained are true in every respect; and that I hereby swear, if I am granted a public health license in the State of Georgia, I will comply with all its dental laws, faithfully serve humanity, and refrain from anything which does not conform to the accepted code of ethics of the American Dental Association. I further understand that I will not be allowed to engage in the private practice of dentistry. **I will return this license, if granted, to the Georgia Board of Dentistry immediately upon termination of my employment with**

(Name of Institution)

I acknowledge and state that I have read the Application Instructions that accompanied this application and I have answered all questions in compliance with these instructions. I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to read and become familiar with Dental Practice Act and the Board rules.

I further state that by submitting this application for a license to practice dentistry in the State of Georgia, I hereby authorize and consent to have an investigation made as to the moral character, professional reputation and fitness for the practice of dentistry. I agree to give any further information in which may be required in reference to my past record. I understand that I will not receive a copy of the report or know its contents and I further understand that the contents of the investigative report will be privileged unless determined otherwise by the Board of Court Order.

I authorize and request every person, hospital, clinic, community, governmental agency (local, state, federal or foreign), court, association, institution, or other organization having control of any documents, records, and other information pertaining to me, to furnish to the Georgia Board of Dentistry or any of its agents or representatives to inspect and make copies of such documents, records and other information, in connection with this application, subsequent licensure or practice thereunder.

I hereby release, discharge or exonerate the Georgia Board of Dentistry, it's agents or representatives, and any other person so furnishing information, from any all liability of every nature and kind arising out of the furnishing or inspection of such documents, records or other information or the investigation made by the Georgia Board of Dentistry. I authorize the Georgia Board of Dentistry to release information, material, documents, orders of the like relating to me or to this application to any other State or Territory of the United States or Province of Canada, a law enforcement agency, a hospital or other appropriate agencies as determined by the Board.

I, the undersigned, do hereby affirm under penalty of perjury that all statements made and information contained in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Further, I consent to a thorough investigation of my employment record and other information that may be necessary to verify my qualifications to practice. I understand that any final disciplinary action that may ever be taken against my license, if it is granted, would be provided to a national disciplinary reporting system and that my Social Security number would be a part of that report.

By signing this application, electronically or otherwise, I hereby swear and affirm one of the following to be true and accurate pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 50-36-1:

1) _____ I am a United States citizen 18 years of age or older. **Please submit a copy of your current Secure and Verifiable Document(s) such as driver's license, passport, or other document as indicated on pages 8 & 9 of this application.**

2) _____ I am not a United States citizen, but I am a legal permanent resident of the United States 18 years of age or older, or I am a qualified alien or non-immigrant under the Federal Immigration and Nationality Act 18 years of age or older with an alien number issued by the Department of Homeland Security or other federal immigration agency. **Please submit a copy of your current immigration document(s) which includes either your Alien number or your I-94 number and, if needed, SEVIS number.**

In making the above attestation, I understand that any failure to make full and accurate disclosures may result in disciplinary action by the Georgia Board of Dentistry and/or criminal prosecution.

This is to certify that the foregoing information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant

Date _____

(PHOTOGRAPH)
Please attach recent photograph

(Print Name Above)

County _____ State _____

being duly sworn, says that he/she is the person who executed the above application for license to practice dentistry in the State of Georgia; and that all the statements herein contained are true in every respect and that the attached photo is a true photo of the applicant.

Notary Public

Notary: Do not notarize this section unless photograph is attached.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, _____.

(SEAL) My Commission Expires _____

**OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE
PROFESSIONAL LICENSING BOARDS DIVISION
237 Coliseum Drive
Macon, Georgia 31217
(478) 207-2440**

CONSENT FORM

I hereby authorize the Georgia Board of Dentistry ("Board") to receive any Georgia criminal history record information pertaining to me which may be in the files of any state or local criminal justice agency in Georgia.

Full Name (Print)

Physical Address (P.O. Boxes NOT Accepted)

City, State, Zip

Sex

Race

Date of Birth

Social Security Number

One of the following must be checked:

This authorization is valid for 90/180/___ (circle one) days from date of signature.

I, _____ give consent to the Board to perform periodic criminal history background checks for the duration of my licensure with this state.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Special licensure provisions (check if applicable):

____ Working with mentally disabled

____ Working with elder care

____ Working with children

APPLICANT: PLEASE CHECK THE FORM OF IDENTIFICATION BELOW THAT YOU POSSESS. RETURN THIS FORM ALONG WITH A COPY OF YOUR APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTATION.

Name

Secure and Verifiable Documents Under O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2

Issued August 1, 2011 by the Office of the Attorney General, Georgia

The Illegal Immigration Reform and Enforcement Act of 2011 (“IIREA”) provides that “[n]ot later than August 1, 2011, the Attorney General shall provide and make public on the Department of Law’s website a list of acceptable secure and verifiable documents. The list shall be reviewed and updated annually by the Attorney General.” O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(f). The Attorney General may modify this list on a more frequent basis, if necessary.

The following list of secure and verifiable documents, published under the authority of O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2, contains documents that are verifiable for identification purposes, and documents on this list may not necessarily be indicative of residency or immigration status.

_____ A United States passport or passport card [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____ A United States military identification card [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____ A driver’s license issued by one of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas Islands, the United States Virgin Island, American Samoa, or the Swain Islands, provided that it contains a photograph of the bearer or lists sufficient identifying information regarding the bearer, such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address to enable the identification of the bearer [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____ An identification card issued by one of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas Islands, the United States Virgin Island, American Samoa, or the Swain Islands, provided that it contains a photograph of the bearer or lists sufficient identifying information regarding the bearer, such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address to enable the identification of the bearer [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____ A tribal identification card of a federally recognized Native American tribe, provided that it contains a photograph of the bearer or lists sufficient identifying information regarding the bearer, such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address to enable the identification of the bearer. A listing of federally recognized Native American tribes may be found at:
<http://www.bia.gov/WhoWeAre/BIA/OIS/TribalGovernmentServices/TribalDirectory/index.htm> [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____A United States Permanent Resident Card or Alien Registration Receipt Card [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____An Employment Authorization Document that contains a photograph of the bearer [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____A passport issued by a foreign government [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____A Merchant Mariner Document or Merchant Mariner Credential issued by the United States Coast Guard [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____A Free and Secure Trade (FAST) card [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 22 CFR § 41.2]

_____A NEXUS card [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 22 CFR § 41.2]

_____A Secure Electronic Network for Travelers Rapid Inspection (SENTRI) card [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 22 CFR § 41.2]

_____A driver's license issued by a Canadian government authority [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 8 CFR § 274a.2]

_____A Certificate of Citizenship issued by the United States Department of Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) (Form N-560 or Form N-561) [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 6 CFR § 37.11]

_____A Certificate of Naturalization issued by the United States Department of Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) (Form N-550 or Form N-570) [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(b)(3); 6 CFR § 37.11]

_____In addition to the documents listed herein, if, in administering a public benefit or program, an agency is required by federal law to accept a document or other form of identification for proof of or documentation of identity, that document or other form of identification will be deemed a secure and verifiable document solely for that particular program or administration of that particular public benefit. [O.C.G.A. § 50-36-2(c)]