

Doctor of Clinical Dentistry

1 Definitions

In these rules –

clinical assessment program means a 1 week program to assess clinical competence conducted by the university dental school.

2 Enrolment requirements

To enrol in the program, a person must —

- (a) hold —
 - (i) a bachelor of dental science with honours class I or IIA from the university; or
 - (ii) an approved degree from elsewhere; and
- (b) have completed 2 years of graduate clinical experience; and
- (c) satisfy the executive dean that the person is qualified for admission.

3 Program requirements

To complete the program, a student must complete 48 units from the DCLinDent course list.

4 Special rules

4.1 Pre-enrolment clinical assessment program

The executive dean may require an applicant for enrolment under rule 2(a)(ii) to complete the clinical assessment program before enrolment is approved.

4.2 Progression through program

A student must not enrol for a subsequent year of the program until gaining credit for all courses in the preceding year.

4.3 Supplementary examinations

- (1) The executive dean may award a supplementary examination only to a student who gains a grade of N.
- (2) The executive dean may award supplementary examinations to a student for up to 4 units each in semester 1 and 2.

4.4 First aid and CPR certificates

A student must hold —

- (a) a first aid certificate while enrolled in the program; and
- (b) a CPR certificate from the start of year of the program.

4.5 Immunisation schedule

- (1) Before commencing a course in which in the opinion of the executive dean, the student may be at risk of contracting or passing on a blood-borne virus or other disease, the student must complete a schedule of immunisations approved by the executive dean.
- (2) The requirement under subrule (1) may be waived only if —
 - (a) the student provides evidence of their status with respect to immunity against blood-borne viruses or other diseases prescribed in the schedule; or
 - (b) approved by the executive dean.

4.6 Blood-borne viruses

- (1) A carrier of blood-borne virus must not undertake invasive procedures.
- (2) Before commencing a course that may involve invasive procedures, a student must provide evidence of their status in respect to blood-borne viruses.