

DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM, A.A.S., 51.0602				
PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE/ CERTIFICATION DISCLOSURE				
State	Does this program meet the certificate or licensure requirements in this state?			
<i>Select only one answer per state. →</i>	Yes	No	Program meets national standard and/or AL licensure may offer reciprocity. Student should contact specific state for any additional requirements.	https://www.ada.org/resources/careers/licensure/state-dental-boards
Alabama	X		yes	205-985-7267
Alaska	X		yes	907-465-2550
Arizona	X		yes	602-242-1492
Arkansas	X		yes	501-682-2085
California	X		yes	877-729-7789
Colorado	X		yes	303-894-7800
Connecticut	X		yes	860-509-7603
Delaware	X		yes	302-744-4500
Florida	X		yes	850-488-0595
Georgia	X		yes	404-651-8000
Hawaii	X		yes	808-586-3000
Idaho	X		yes	208-334-2369
Illinois	X		yes	217-785-0800
Indiana	X		yes	317-234-2054
Iowa	X		yes	515-281-5157
Kansas	X		yes	785-296-6400
Kentucky	X		yes	502-429-7280
Louisiana	X		yes	225-219-7330
Maine	X		yes	207-287-3333
Maryland	X		yes	410-402-8501
Massachusetts	X		yes	800-414-0168
Michigan	X		yes	517-241-0199
Minnesota	X		yes	612-617-2250
Mississippi	X		yes	601-944-9622
Missouri	X		yes	573-751-0040
Montana	X		yes	406-444-6880
Nebraska	X		yes	402-471-2118
Nevada	X		yes	800-337-3926
New Hampshire	X		yes	603-271-2152
New Jersey	X		yes	973-504-6405
New Mexico	X		yes	505-476-4622
New York	X		yes	518-474-3817, ext. 550
North Carolina	X		yes	919-678-8223
North Dakota	X		yes	701-258-8600
Ohio	X		yes	614-466-2580
Oklahoma	X		yes	405-522-4844
Oregon	X		yes	971-673-3200
Pennsylvania	X		yes	717-783-7162
Rhode Island	X		yes	401-222-2828
South Carolina	X		yes	803-896-4599
South Dakota	X		yes	605-224-1282
Tennessee	X		yes	615-532-5073
Texas	X		yes	512-463-6400
Utah	X		yes	801-530-6628
Vermont	X		yes	802-828-2390
Virginia	X		yes	804-367-4538
Washington	X		yes	360-236-4700
West Virginia	X		yes	877-914-8266
Wisconsin	X		yes	608-266-2112
Wyoming	X		yes	307-777-3507
District of Columbia	X		yes	877-672-2174
Licensure of dental hygienists in the United States is the responsibility of individual states, the District of Columbia, and US territories jurisdictions, with licensure decisions made by jurisdictional dental boards. Specific dental hygiene licensure requirements vary among jurisdictions, but most jurisdictions have three basic requirements: an educational requirement, a written examination requirement, and a clinical examination requirement.				
The Wallace State Community College Dental Hygiene program is accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA). The Wallace State Community College Dental Hygiene program curriculum satisfies the educational requirements for graduates to apply for licensure in the State of Alabama.				
The Wallace State Community College Dental Hygiene program may meet the educational requirements for licensure in other states. State licensing requirements are always subject to change at the discretion of the state licensing board. For any questions regarding licensure, please contact the agency directly to confirm your eligibility for licensure prior to enrolling in the program. Please refer to the ADA website for links to state board websites. https://www.ada.org/resources/licensure/state-dental-boards				