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CONTINUING EDUCATION LOG

 Name

Dental

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Dental Hygiene

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	DATE	COURSE TITLE and BRIEF DESCRIPTION	SPONSOR/ INSTRUCTOR	HOURS
Example	XX/XX/XX	“Esthetic Dentistry” Placing composite restorations.	OHSU	3.0
TOTAL HOURS				

By signing below I certify that the information given on this form is true and correct. I understand that any falsification could result in disciplinary action including denial, suspension, or revocation of my license.

Signature _____ Date _____

Reminder: Records of C.E. must be retained for four (4) years (OAR 818-021-0060(2) & 0070(2)).

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OAR 818-021-0060 and 818-021-0070 states that Continuing Education (C.E.) **must be directly related to clinical patient care or the practice of dental public health** and includes:

(a) Attendance at lectures, study clubs, college post-graduate courses, or scientific sessions at conventions.

(b) Research, graduate study, teaching or preparation and presentation of scientific sessions. No more than 12 hours (dentists) or six (6) hours (dental hygienists) may be in teaching or scientific sessions. (Scientific sessions are defined as scientific presentations, table clinics, poster sessions and lectures.)

(c) Correspondence courses, videotapes, distance learning courses or similar self-study course, provided that the course includes an examination and the dentist passes the examination.

(d) Continuing education credit can be given for volunteer pro bono dental services provided in the state of Oregon; community oral health instruction at a public health facility located in the state of Oregon; authorship of a publication, book, chapter of a book, article or paper published in a professional journal; participation on a state dental board, peer review, or quality of care review procedures; successful completion of the National Board Dental Examinations taken after initial licensure; a recognized specialty examination taken after initial licensure; or test development for clinical dental, dental hygiene or specialty examinations. No more than 6 hours of credit may be in these areas.

(4) At least three hours of continuing education must be related to medical emergencies in a dental office. No more than four hours (dentists) or two hours (dental hygienists) of Practice Management and Patient Relations may be counted toward the C.E. requirement in any renewal period.

(5) All dentists licensed by the Oregon Board of Dentistry will complete a one-hour pain management course specific to Oregon provided by the Pain Management Commission of the Oregon Health Authority. All applicants or licensees shall complete this requirement by January 1, 2010 or within 24 months of the first renewal of the dentist's license.

(6) At least 2 hours of continuing education must be related to infection control. (Effective January 1, 2015).