

Acceptable Regional Clinical Examinations for Dentistry

Dentist:

Pursuant to R338.11203 of the Administrative Rules the **Clinical examination** of the following regional testing agencies have been recognized as being substantially equivalent to the ADEX clinical examination of the Commission on Dental Competency Assessments (CDCA), formerly NERB:

- Central Regional Testing Agency (CRDTS)
- Southern Regional Testing Agency (SRTA) - Administers the ADEX Clinical Exam
- Western Regional Testing Agency (WREB)
- Commission on Interstate Testing Agency (CITA) – Administers both ADEX Written & Clinical portions

In addition to an accepted clinical examination, you must obtain passing scores on the CDCA/ADEX DSE written examination. The Michigan Board of Dentistry requires passing scores on the Periodontal section of the ADEX Clinical examination.

Dental Hygienist:

Pursuant to R338.11221 of the Administrative Rules the **Clinical examination** of the following regional testing agencies have been recognized as being substantially equivalent to the Commission on Dental Competency Assessments (formerly NERB):

- Central Regional Testing Agency (CRDTS)
- Southern Regional Testing Agency (SRTA) - Clinical exams taken prior to 2015
- Western Regional Testing Agency (WREB)

In addition to the clinical portion of an acceptable clinical examination, you must obtain passing scores on the CDCA/ADEX CSCE written examination.

Current as of October 2015