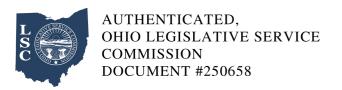


Ohio Administrative Code

Rule 4715-23-02 Courses on proper placement of interim therapeutic restorations and application of silver diamine fluoride.

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- (A) Any course that meets the following criteria shall satisfy the requirements of section 4715.431 of the Revised Code for a board-approved course on either placement of interim therapeutic restorations or application of silver diamine fluoride.
- (1) Each course must be:
- (a) A two-hour continuing education course with at least one continuing education hour of didactic education and at least one continuing education hour of clinical hands-on training.
- (b) Provided by a board-approved sponsor of continuing education under Chapter 4715-8 of the Administrative Code, and
- (c) Dedicated solely to the proper placement of interim therapeutic restorations or application of silver diamine fluoride.
- (2) For a course on the proper placement of interim therapeutic restorations, course content shall include:
- (a) Biological background information, including, but not limited to, materials used in and the scientific basis for the proper placement of interim therapeutic restorations.
- (b) Proper isolation and placement technique, including, but not limited to, the use of cotton rolls and iso-vac.
- (c) Knowledge of poor seal with interim restorations, including, but not limited to, the consequences of a poor seal, leakage, and re-cavitation.
- (d) Detection of arresting dental caries and the use of a periodontal probe.



- (e) Replacement of treatment, including, but not limited to, the necessity of a new diagnosis by a dentist before reapplication.
- (3) For a course on the application of silver diamine fluoride, course content shall include:
- (a) Biological background information, including, but not limited to, materials used in and the scientific basis for the application of silver diamine fluoride.
- (b) Proper isolation and placement technique, including, but not limited to, the use of cotton rolls and iso-vac.
- (c) Knowledge of potential problems associated with silver diamine fluoride, including, but not limited to, staining, need for treatment, and failure to arrest caries.
- (d) Detection of arresting dental caries and the use of periodontal probe.
- (e) Reapplication of treatment, including, but not limited to, the necessity of a new diagnosis by a dentist before reapplication.
- (B) To meet the course requirements for both proper placement of interim therapeutic restoration and application of silver diamine fluoride, a dental hygienist or expanded function dental auxiliary must complete both courses dedicated to each respective subject.
- (C) No course shall instruct that the use of a dental explorer or sickle probe is appropriate during the application of silver diamine fluoride or placement of interim therapeutic restorations.