



Ohio Administrative Code

Rule 4715-9-07 Dental hygienist non-delegable dental tasks and/or procedures.

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The following dental tasks and/or procedures shall not be delegated by any licensed dentists to dental hygienists:

- (A) Definitive diagnosis and treatment planning.
- (B) The final placement of any fixed or removable appliances.
- (C) The final removal of any fixed appliance.
- (D) The therapeutic intra-oral adjustment of any fixed or removable appliance.
- (E) Cutting procedures utilized in the preparation of the coronal or root portion of the tooth.
- (F) Cutting procedures involving the supportive structures of the tooth.
- (G) The placement of the final root canal filling.
- (H) Final impressions of any tissue-bearing area, whether it be hard or soft tissue, upon which a prosthetic restoration is to be placed. Taking of impressions for athletic mouthguards or similar appliances is not to be construed as a final impression.
- (I) Occlusal registration procedures for any prosthetic restoration, whether it be fixed or removable.
- (J) The final placement of prefabricated or cast restorations or crowns.
- (K) Any other dental tasks and/or procedures which are prohibited by Chapter 4715. of either the Revised Code or agency 4715 of the Administrative Code.