

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Health Occupations

4-101.

(i) (2) "License" includes, unless the context requires otherwise:

(vi) A ~~retired~~ volunteer dentist's license to practice dentistry; ~~and~~

(vii) A ~~retired~~ volunteer dental hygienist's license to practice dental hygiene;

(VIII) A VOLUNTEER DENTIST'S LICENSE TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY;

AND

(IX) A VOLUNTEER DENTAL HYGIENIST'S LICENSE TO PRACTICE DENTAL HYGIENE.

(j) (2) "Licensed dental hygienist" includes, unless the context requires otherwise, a holder of:

(ii) A teacher's license to practice dental hygiene; [or]

(iii) A ~~retired~~ volunteer dental hygienist's license to practice dental hygiene; OR

(IV) A VOLUNTEER DENTAL HYGIENIST'S LICENSE TO PRACTICE DENTAL HYGIENE.

(k) (2) "Licensed dentist" includes, unless the context requires otherwise, a holder of:

(iii) A teacher's license to practice dentistry; [or]

(iv) A ~~retired~~ volunteer dentist's license to practice dentistry; OR

(V) A VOLUNTEER DENTIST'S LICENSE TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY.

4-302.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this title, to qualify for a license, an applicant shall be an individual who meets the requirements of this section.

(b) The applicant shall be of good moral character.

(c) To qualify for a license to practice dentistry, the applicant shall be at least 18 years old.

(d) To qualify for a license to practice dentistry, the applicant shall hold a Degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery, Doctor of Dental Medicine, or the equivalent, from a college or university that is:

(1) Authorized by any state or any province of Canada to grant the degree; and