

## CDCA Candidates:

# Welcome to the Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry!

**TOUR OUR CLINIC:** THERE WILL BE NO CLINIC TOURS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE!

**DRIVING DIRECTIONS:** Driving directions to the Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry Corktown Campus can be found on the School of Dentistry website at. <https://dental.udmercy.edu/about/location.php>

**PLEASE NOTE:** CDCA EXAMS ARE NOT HELD AT THE DETROIT MERCY MAIN CAMPUS,  
THE EXAMS ARE CONDUCTED AT THE SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY

**PARKING:** Free visitor parking is available at the Corktown Campus in our Patient/Visitor lot at the 2700 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. entrance. Campus Security is on-site.

**DENTAL CLINIC:** The Dental Clinic will be open at 6:30am on exam days. Please remain in the lobby area until escorted to the clinic.

**COVID-19 SCREENING PROTOCOL:** All candidates, examiners, and staff will be screened and temperature checked with a thermal scanner upon entering the Dental Clinic building.

**CDCA Orientation/Q&A Session:** The CDCA Candidate Orientation/Q&A Session is held prior to the exams via Microsoft Teams or Zoom. Candidates will be sent the Date, Time, Link/Password.

**IMPORTANT:**

Remember to bring 2 pieces of standard ID to pick up your exam packet from the Chief Examiner on the day of your exam. At least one piece of ID must have your picture.

**CHAIR ASSIGNMENTS:** The exams will take place in the RED Clinic. Chair assignments will be posted in that clinic.

**PPE PROTOCOLS:** All candidates must adhere to the PPE Protocols. The wearing of masks is mandatory at all times when in the Dental Clinic Building. Level 2 masks, N95 masks, and yellow launderable gowns will be available for use. Candidates can also bring own PPE. Candidates will have temperature checked when entering the Dental Clinic Building.

**BENCO REPAIR TECH:** A repair technician from Benco will be here during the exams for any chair or equipment emergencies.

## **INSTRUMENTS and EQUIPMENT**

All clinic units will adapt to electric or air-driven hand-pieces. This system is compatible with the Bien-Air electric or like hand-piece and/or Starlite and Borden high-speed air-driven hand-pieces and Midwest Quicktorque or Titan H air-driven low speed hand-pieces. All units are equipped with a disposable air/water syringe. **NOTE: Electric motors are provided in all clinic units.**

DIAGRAM OF HANDPIECE PORT



### **IMPORTANT**

The Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry **does not** provide instruments (i.e., handpieces, dental cassettes). Candidates **MUST** bring own handpieces, instruments, scalers, tips, inserts, protective eyewear. Cavitrons are mounted on each chair and use a 30K tip.

The CDCA will provide candidates with a shroud, typodont and teeth for the exams.

**CONSUMABLE/DISPOSABLE MATERIALS:** Air/water syringe tips, headrest covers, patient napkins, bracket trays covers, waste receptacles, paper cups, paper towels, gauze pads, cotton rolls, gloves and face masks are provided in the clinic. A detailed list can be obtained upon request.

Detroit Mercy Dispensary staff, Runners and Benco tech will be in the clinic to help with set-up and any questions, do not hesitate to ask for help.

**CLINIC USER FEE (FACILITY FEE):** All non-UDM dental and dental hygiene candidates participating in the CDCA exams must pay a clinic user fee prior to taking the exam. **This fee will be collected by the CDCA.**

- **Dental Exam Clinic User Fee: \$300.00**
- **Hygiene Exam Clinic User Fee: \$175.00**

### **PLEASE NOTE**

**NO FOOD OR DRINK (EXCEPT WATER) IS ALLOWED ON THE MAIN FLOOR OF THE DENTAL CLINIC.**

*This complies with the OSHA infection control guidelines*