

- Proof of malpractice (liability) insurance (copy of employer’s insurance will meet this requirement)
- Successful completion of an entrance examination demonstrating competency in dental terminology. The entrance examination for this program ensures that the applicant has the clinical knowledge and background.

* Applicants are required to provide evidence of having previously obtained certification in pit and fissure sealants; however, if a student has not yet completed this course requirement, the student will be required to enroll in a sealant certification class before the end of the first module.

Acknowledgement: My signature below affirms that I fully understand the admission requirements and that I am fully prepared educationally and professionally to participate in this program.

Applicant Signature

Date

Supervising Dentist and Clinical Requirements-Student Acknowledgement:

A required element of all RDAEF programs is the completion of clinical experiences under the direct supervision of a current licensed dentist. It is the responsibility of the student to secure a supervising dentist with whom you complete the clinical assignments in a competent manner and in accordance with the techniques and protocols taught in the program. Please provide the name and information of your supervising dentist for this program. **(print clearly)**

Name of Supervising Dentist

Dental License #

Office Mailing Address

City

Zip Code

Telephone (include area code)

Email Address

Acknowledgement: I understand that the clinical requirements/experiences required by the program are to be performed under the direct supervision of a licensed dentist who may or may not be my employer but who will participate in the clinical requirements as necessary. I understand it is my responsibility to secure a supervising dentist for my clinical requirements and for my RDAEF state board clinical examination.

Applicant Signature

Date

Application Deposit and Payment for Program Fees:

Application Deposit: If you wish to reserve a seat before enrollment, you must submit a \$500 non-refundable deposit with this application and will be credited toward student tuition fees.

Program Tuition for RDAs: \$15,900 (410 hour program)

Program Tuition for Existing RDAEFs: \$11,900 (318 hour program)

Mandatory Student Kit: \$1500

Textbook kit: \$125

It is highly recommended that students acquire lighted loupes for this course. There will be an opportunity to talk to a Designs for Vision representative, in class at the beginning of the course. They give our students a very nice discount and offer monthly payments.

What are the Program Prerequisites?

The following pre-requisites must be met before entrance into the program. Copies of the following documents must be submitted with your registration form, tuition payment for Module 1 and the fee for the student armamentarium kit.

- Valid California RDA or RDAEF license
- Valid CPR card from ARC or AHA
- Proof of Liability Insurance Coverage. (this is a copy of your employer's malpractice insurance)
- Current employment as a practicing RDA or RDAEF

Participants will need to provide many of their own instruments and consumable supplies which are typically found in their dental office. A mandatory **EF student armamentarium kit** will be required for each student. The cost of this kit will be **\$1500**. It will include items such as a "special typodont" and over 125 prepared teeth for amalgam and composite placement, amalgam, composite material, impression material and much more.

The entrance examination for this program ensures that the applicant has the clinical knowledge and background in basic dental terminology to be successful in the theoretical aspects of the curriculum. Specifically, each applicant must be able to pass a multiple-choice test on basic intraoral structures, tooth anatomy, legal scope of practice and infection control.

Applications for admission are accepted on a first-come-first-served basis so you are encouraged to apply as soon as possible to ensure successful and timely processing.

Cancellation and Refund Statement:

Upon acceptance into the program, all students are expected to complete program requirements. If a student is unable to perform the required work and/or elects to withdraw before completion, refunds may not be issued and will be considered on a case-by-case basis based on, 1) the legitimate reasons why an applicant or enrolled student may not be able to either start or complete their education and, 2) the reasonable expenses incurred by the Academy. All cancellation and refund policies comply with applicable federal and state laws and regulations.

Application and Tuition Submission:

Upon completion of this initial application form, submit the original along with copies of the required documents defined on page one, and a non-refundable deposit payment to:

Gold Coast Dental Academy
275 Centennial Way, Suite 109
Tustin, CA 92780

For any questions regarding the RDAEF course, please don't hesitate to contact us at 714-397-4876 or email us at Lori@GoldCoastDental.com

