

Dentist Compliance

In order to work as a dentist in the UK you will need to have obtained the following;

- Full registration with the **General Dental Council (GDC)** www.gdc-uk.org
- **Professional Indemnity insurance** www.the-mdu.com
- PCT dental **performer number** (If wanting to work within the NHS)
- Enhanced **CRB** check
- **Hep B & childhood illnesses immunity** evidence
- Registered as **self employed with the Inland Revenue**
www.hmrc.gov.uk/selfemployed

Membership to the British Dental Association is optional, but advisable www.bda-dentistry.org.uk

As a dentist practicing in the UK you are required to undertake regular **Continuing Professional Development (CPD)** training.

Tempdent provides a large selection of CPD courses either inhouse at your practice or at Tempdent's [training centre](#).

For **non EU qualified dentists** you will need to achieve the Overseas Registration Examination (ORE), prior to being eligible for full GDC registration. To find out more please go to www.gdc-uk.org.

It can take in excess of 12 months to complete the ORE so many dentists choose to work as a dental nurse in the meantime.

Due to the Statutory Registration of Dental Nurses anyone wishing to work as a dental nurse must either be registered with the GDC or working towards their dental nursing qualification.

Any non EU dentist wishing to work as a dental nurse at Tempdent & does not have previous dental nursing experience must join our specialised 2 day course for overseas qualified dentists which provides you with the necessary basic underpinning skills of dental nursing, known as the [Dental Nursing Familiarisation course for Overseas Dentists](#). In addition to this course you must be enrolled or working towards the [National Certificate for dental nurses](#).

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