



Royal College of
Dental Surgeons of Ontario

Ensuring Continued Trust

APPLICATION FOR THE RCDSO EXAMINATION IN DENTAL ANAESTHESIA

1. Before the Registration Committee will consider an application to sit the RCDSO examination in dental anaesthesia, candidates must have submitted an application for a specialty certificate of registration. Please read the section on Application for a Specialty Certificate of Registration for the details.

Applicants who have completed the Diplomate examination of the American Dental Board of Anesthesiology are not required to complete the RCDSO examination in Dental Anaesthesia.

2. In order to be eligible to sit the RCDSO examination, candidates must have satisfied the Registration Committee that they possess the knowledge, skill and judgment at least equivalent to that expected of a current graduate of the specialty program in dental anaesthesia offered by the Faculty of Dentistry of the University of Toronto. **This requirement is non-exemptible in the legislation, meaning that it cannot be circumvented or waived by the College.**

Using the applicable section on the RCDSO Examination Application form, please explain in detail and provide as much supporting documentation as you wish respecting how you fulfil this requirement. You are welcome to attach additional pages of explanation.

3. The applicant has made payment of all applicable fees which consist of the following and are **all non-refundable***:
 - (a) application **fee of \$100**, and
 - (b) **fee of \$1,600** for the written component payable 30 days before the written examination is scheduled, and
 - (c) **fee of \$3,300** for the oral component payable 90 days before the oral examination is scheduled.

These examination fees are exclusive of the fees required for a specialty certificate of registration.

If paying by cheque, it must be **certified**, made payable to the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario and **drawn on a Canadian bank**. VISA and MasterCard are also accepted. This form of payment is preferable as the card can be charged as necessary according to the various examination stages and dates. Regardless of method of payment, please complete the payment attached to the examination application form. The form is in the section called exam application and payment form.

* **NOTE:** Refunds will only be considered on a case-by-case basis and where the missed examination was beyond the applicant's control. Requests must be supported with documentation, e.g. documented illness/accident/bereavement.

***All information contained in this explanatory material is subject to change.
Your application will be governed by the regulations and by-laws and policies
in place at the time of submission.***