

**UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA  
SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY  
INFORMATION FOR DENTAL HYGIENE CANDIDATES**

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The intent of the information contained within this document is to assist the candidate with taking the Council of Interstate Testing Agencies Inc., (CITA) licensure examination.

School Address: 1919 7th Avenue South Birmingham, AL 35233  
Main Phone: (205) 934-3000

**All candidates will be required to furnish their own instruments, burs, handpieces and self-contained ultrasonic scalers. The hand piece connector is a universal 4-hole connection and high speed or slow speed is acceptable.** The School will provide all other necessary supplies. **All instruments for the patient based examination must be sterilized. If you would like to make arrangements to have your instruments sterilized at the University of Alabama, School of Dentistry in Birmingham, you may contact Bridgette Jefferson and Kathy Henson at 205-934-5918.** All instruments to be sterilized at UAB School of Dentistry will need to be turned in to the sterilization department on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the School of Dentistry **no later than 2pm the day before the scheduled examination.**

**Local anesthesia is not allowed at this exam site. Only topical anesthesia will be permitted.**

### **Directions, Parking & Map**

#### **I-65 South Bound**

Exit 4th Avenue South (Exit #259-B). Stay on 4th Avenue South to 19th Street South. Turn right onto 19th Street South, go three blocks to 7th Avenue South. Turn left onto 7th Avenue South.

#### **I-65 North Bound**

Exit onto University Blvd. also know as 8th Avenue South. Follow 8th Avenue South to 19th Street South. Turn left onto 19th Street South. Go one block and turn right onto 7th Avenue South.

#### **From Hwy 280, Elton. B. Stephens, and Red Mountain Expressway**

Take the 8th Avenue South exit also know as University Blvd. Merge right onto 8th Avenue South. Follow 8th Avenue South to 20th Street South, turn right onto 20th Street South. Take 20th Street South to 7th Avenue South and turn left onto 7th Avenue South.

#### **From I- 20/59**

Exit #126A Carraway Blvd. Follow the ramp onto Hwy 31/280. Take the 8th Avenue South exit. At the end of the exit turn right follow 8th Avenue South to 19th Street South and turn right onto 19th Street South. Go one block and turn right onto 7th Avenue South.

### **Parking**

- Public parking is available in Deck 3 at University Boulevard (formerly 8th Avenue) and 19th Street South. The entrance to the deck is on University Boulevard between 19th and 20th Streets.
- Handicapped meter parking is located on 7th Avenue South at the front of the dental school building.