

The American Board of Periodontology Recertification Statement

Evidence of continuing education and other professional activities directed toward maintaining current knowledge and competence in periodontics is required of all Diplomates every six years. **60 points of continuing education must be attained along with completion of the ABP Recertification Examination.** Failure to comply with these requirements will cause the Diplomate to be placed on inactive status. Diplomates may not claim to be Board Certified while on inactive status.

_____ I have completed the required sixty (60) points of continuing education listed on reverse side
(Credit gained between January 1, ___ and December 31, 20__)

_____ I have completed the computerized self-study examination online at
<http://www.startpractice.com/practicetest.aspx?cmd=login&program=abp>

_____ My recertification date should be extended because of overseas military assignment from
_____ to _____

_____ My re-certification date should be extended because of full time attendance as a student from
_____ to _____

Date _____ Signed _____

Certification by the American Board of Periodontology (ABP) helps to assure the public and health professionals that they are being served by a Periodontist who has successfully completed a rigorous continuing education process and remains in good standing in their community on an ongoing basis.

In order to verify that you have maintained the qualifications for good standing, the ABP requires that Diplomates respond to the following questions for the period beginning January 1, 200__.

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| 1. Have any disciplinary actions been initiated against you by a state licensing board or military tribunal? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Has your license to practice in any state or jurisdiction been denied, relinquished, limited, suspended, reprimanded, censured, or revoked? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Have you been suspended, sanctioned, or otherwise restricted from participating in any private, federal, or state health insurance program for reasons relating to the practice of dentistry? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 4. Has your DEA (narcotics) registration certificate been relinquished, limited, suspended, revoked or challenged? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 5. Have you been sanctioned, suspended, censured, or expelled from a professional dental or medical organization for reasons other than non-payment of dues? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 6. Have you been convicted of, or pleaded <i>nolo contendere</i> to, any criminal conduct or misdemeanors other than minor traffic violations? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 7. Have your hospital or institutional appointments or privileges been denied, reduced, limited, not renewed, suspended, diminished, revoked, or relinquished for reasons relating to the practice of dentistry? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

If you answer **Yes** to any of these questions, please provide a full explanation of the answer and return the explanation with this form. Further, if any of your answers change you must notify the Board and provide an explanation.

BY SIGNING BELOW, YOU AGREE TO SUPPLEMENT YOUR RESPONSE IF ANY ANSWER TO THE ABOVE QUESTIONS CHANGES IN THE FUTURE.

Date _____ Signed _____

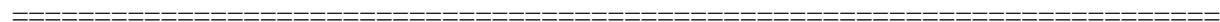
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Points may be accumulated in the following ways:

Activities one-half (1/2) day or shorter will earn one-half (1/2) point; one (1) point may be counted for activities longer than a half-day, up to a full day

Points	Activity
(7)	Attendance at the American Academy of Periodontology Annual Meeting
(5)	Attendance at a national or international multiple-day meeting that is within the scope of periodontics*
(2) per day	Attendance at regional meetings either national or international devoted to topics within the scope of periodontics*
(2) per day	Attendance at conferences related to topics within the scope of periodontics* sponsored by a university or the American Academy of Periodontology
(2) per day	Courses taken on topics within the scope of periodontics*
(4) per day	Courses given on topics within the scope of periodontics*
(1)	Courses taken online related to topics within the scope of periodontics*
(3)	Publication as primary author in: a) National and/or international journal (those listed in <i>Index of Dental Literature</i>) b) Book Chapter(s)
(2)	Publication as primary author in state dental journal
(1)	Publication as secondary author
(1) per day	Teaching -- a maximum of fourteen points during a six-year period may be credited for teaching

Scope of Periodontics: Periodontics is that specialty of dentistry which encompasses the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of diseases of the supporting and surrounding tissues of the teeth or their substitutes and the maintenance of the health, function and esthetics of these structures.



Record keeping and reporting of the accumulation of points remains the responsibility of the Diplomate. The Board requires Diplomates to sign statement of attainment on the attestation form provided at the time of recertification.