

650—14.1(147,153,272C) Renewal of license to practice dentistry or dental hygiene. A license to practice dentistry or a license to practice dental hygiene must be renewed prior to the expiration date of the license. Prior to July 1, 2008, dental licenses expired on June 30 of every even-numbered year. A dental license due to expire on June 30, 2008, shall be automatically extended until August 30, 2008, and expire August 31, 2008. Beginning July 1, 2008, dental licenses expire on August 31 of every even-numbered year. Prior to July 1, 2006, dental hygiene licenses expired on June 30 of every even-numbered year. However, for the renewal period beginning July 1, 2006, a dental hygiene license expires on June 30, 2007. A dental hygiene license due to expire on June 30, 2007, shall be automatically extended until August 30, 2007, and expire August 31, 2007. Beginning July 1, 2007, dental hygiene licenses expire on August 31 of every odd-numbered year. The board will notify each licensee by mail of the expiration of the license.

14.1(1) Application for renewal must be made in writing on forms provided by the board at least 30 days before the current license expires.

14.1(2) The appropriate fee as specified in 650—Chapter 15 of these rules must accompany the application for renewal. A penalty shall be assessed by the board for late renewal.

14.1(3) Completion of continuing education in accordance with 650—Chapter 25 is required for renewal of an active license. However, licensees are exempt from the continuing education requirement for the current biennium in which the license is issued.

14.1(4) In order to renew a license, evidence of current certification in a nationally recognized course in cardiopulmonary resuscitation is required. The course must include a clinical component.

14.1(5) The dental hygiene committee may, in its discretion, review any applications for renewal of a dental hygiene license and make recommendations to the board. The board's review is subject to 650—Chapter 1.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code section 147.10 and chapters 153 and 272C.