

481—575.2(136C,153) Qualification required.

575.2(1) A person who is not otherwise actively licensed by the board shall not participate in dental radiography unless the person is a dental assistant or holds a nursing license and holds an active radiography qualification issued by the board and a dentist provides general supervision.

a. A student enrolled in an accredited dental, dental hygiene, or dental assisting program who, as part of the student's course of study, applies ionizing radiation is exempt from the requirements of this rule; and

b. Dental assistants or Iowa-licensed nurses who are engaging in on-the-job training in dental radiography are exempt from the requirements of this rule.

575.2(2) Any individual except a licensed dentist or a licensed dental hygienist who participates in dental radiography in violation of this chapter or Iowa Code chapter 136C may be subject to the criminal and civil penalties set forth in Iowa Code chapter 136C.

575.2(3) Any licensee who permits a person to engage in dental radiography or a dental assistant who engages in dental radiography contrary to this chapter or Iowa Code chapter 136C may be subject to discipline by the board pursuant to 481—Chapter 580.

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