



Florida State Laws Affecting Dental Laboratories

A Manual Prepared by the Florida Dental Laboratory Association

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Effective Jan. 1, 2009, the laws and rules governing dental laboratories doing business in Florida will change significantly due to the laws set in place by the 2008 Florida Legislature. These new requirements address material disclosure, point of origin disclosure and continuing education for dental technicians. Every owner, manager and technician should be informed about how to comply with the new law.

This manual will provide you with a clear understanding of your responsibilities on these issues so that your laboratory is ready. Included with this manual are topics such as

- Florida laws and administrative code affecting dental laboratories;
- Shade Verification guidelines;
- New laboratory prescription information requirements, with a sample prescription form;
- Update on point of origin and disclosure laws taking effect January 1, 2009;
- New continuing education requirements for dental laboratories taking effect February 2012;
- Consequences for not following the new laws and regulations;
- A copy of the bill that passed the 2008 Florida Legislature, in both the official language and legislative staff analysis format;
- Contact information for the Florida Board of Dentistry;
- Other essential resources to help you maintain compliance.

This manual is prepared in a 3-ring binder so that you can update the information as new information is released.

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