

School of Dentistry

PRE-COMMENCEMENT GUIDE 2025

Doctor of Dental Medicine



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Introduction

Welcome to the UQ School of Dentistry!

Congratulations on commencing in the **Doctor of Dental Medicine** program at The University of Queensland. We look forward to meeting you in 2025!

Dentistry is a challenging and rewarding profession that is responsible for providing necessary oral health services to individuals and the wider community. Good oral health is integral to good general health; which is why dentistry is recognised as a primary healthcare profession.

Undertaking the DMD will give you the knowledge, skills and attributes for an exciting career in the oral health industry. We prepare you to be well sought after by employers and our extended clinical placements prepare you to be job-ready when you graduate. You will learn the science and application for the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of oral diseases and abnormalities, while having access to the most up-to-date technologies and cutting-edge dentistry research.

Preclinical experiences for DMD students will start at the UQ Oral Health Centre in the first year of study. This initial clinical experience will be through peer clinics and simulation work. Clinical work will begin at the end of year one and increase in the second and third year of the program, giving you experiences encompassing general practice dentistry, orthodontics, paediatric dentistry, periodontics and prosthodontics, as well as oral medicine and oral surgery. In your final year, you will complete two clinical placements, to give you the handson skills and knowledge for a rewarding career.

This **Pre-Commencement Guide** provides you with a list of the requirements which you must complete, as well as background information on why these tasks are necessary and how to complete each task. You should allow yourself plenty of time to read what is required and familiarise yourself with each task

There is a lot to do, so start immediately!

Failure to complete all pre-commencement requirements by the deadline will **disqualify you from attending clinical activities** and will significantly impact your ability to complete your program.

The School of Dentistry welcomes its new students for 2025. We hope you will enjoy your studies and learning experiences with your fellow students during your program.

DMD Academic Calendar 2025

UQ Calendar		Doctor of Dental Medicine	
Week commencing	Public Holidays/ Other Dates	Year l	Year 2
30-Dec-24	1/1 New Year		5
06-Jan-25		1	6
13-Jan-25		2	7
20-Jan-25		3	8
27-Jan-25	27/1 Australia Day	4	Revision
03-Feb-25	277 T 25 ttolk 5 tby	Sem Break	Exams
10-Feb-25		Sem Break	Sem Break
17-Feb-25		Orientation	Sem Break
24-Feb-25		1	1
03-Mar-25	8/3 Summer Def/Supp exams	2	2
10-Mar-25	0/3 Summer Del Supp exams	3	3
17-Mar-25		4	4
24-Mar-25		5	5
31-Mar-25		6	6
		7	7
07-Apr-25 14-Apr-25	18/4 Good Friday	8	8
14-Apr-23		8	8
21-Apr-25	21/4 Easter Monday 25/4 Anzac Day	Mid-Sem Break	Mid-Sem Break
28-Apr-25		9	9
05-May-25	5/5 Labour Day	10	10
12-May-25		11	11
19-May-25		12	12
26-May-25		13	13
02-Jun-25		Revision	Revision
09-Jun-25		Exams	Exams
16-Jun-25		Exams	Exams
23-Jun-25		Sem Break	Sem Break
30-Jun-25	2/7 Results Release	Sem Break	Sem Break
07-Jul-25		Sem Break	1
14-Jul-25		Sem Break	2
21-Jul-25	22-25/7 Def/Supp Exams	Sem Break	3
28-Jul-25		1	4
04-Aug-25		2	5
11-Aug-25	13/8 Ekka Show	3	6
18-Aug-25		4	7
25-Aug-25		5	8
01-Sep-25		6	9
08-Sep-25		7	10
15-Sep-25		8	11
22-Sep-25		9	12
29-Sep-25		Mid-Sem Break	Mid-Sem Break
06-Oct-25	6/10 King's Birthday	10	13
13-Oct-25	or to rung a Dittilday	11	13
20-Oct-25		12	15
27-Oct-25		13	16
03-Nov-25 10-Nov-25		Revision	Revision
10-Nov-25 17-Nov-25	 	Exams	Exams
	 	Exams Sam Proofs	Exams
24-Nov-25	2/12 De-culto Delic	Sem Break	
01-Dec-25	3/12 Results Release	1	-
08-Dec-25	16 10/12 D 8/8 - E	2	
15-Dec-25	16-19/12 Def/Supp Exams	3	
22-Dec-25	25/12 Christmas 26/12 Boxing Day	4	
29-Dec-25			



Pre-Commencement Checklist for School of Dentistry

Below is a checklist to assist you to complete your pre-commencement requirements. Please also see the <u>Getting Started at UQ</u> website for helpful information about commencing at UQ.

We recommend that you **prioritise completion of your Immunisation Record**, which is required to allow you to participate in clinical activities. Failure to provide the record will result in you being **removed from clinical activities and will significantly impact your ability to complete your program.**

1.	Student Immunisation Record (please see information on page 13)
	I have obtained my past immunisation record & visited a Registered Medical Practitioner to review my immunisation status
	I have been vaccinated according to the UQ <u>Vaccinations and Immunisations Guideline</u>
	My Registered Medical Practitioner has completed the <u>School of Dentistry Student Immunisation</u> <u>Record, including signature and date.</u> (<i>Please see <u>UQ Healthcare St Lucia</u> for details regarding the vaccinations and health service offered by UQ Healthcare at the St Lucia campus</i>).
	Upon receipt of the Student Immunisation Evidence Request email, I will submit my completed Immunisation Record via the provided link. (Please note, the Immunisation Records Team will contact you via the my.UQ portal if further follow-up on your immunisation status is required).
2.	Enrolling in courses
	I have enrolled in all courses for Summer Semester 2024/25, Semester 1 and 2, 2025 via mySl-net
3.	Applications for credit transfer for previous studies
	If I am seeking credit transfer for previous studies, I have referred to the <u>credit and exemptions for previous study page</u> (or the <u>my.UQ website</u> if you completed your previous study at UQ) and have followed the process outlined.
4.	Academic Integrity and Plagiarism
	I have read and completed the online module on academic integrity and plagiarism
5.	Purchasing instruments and equipment
	I have reviewed the instrument and equipment list (<u>Appendix 1</u>) and have purchased the required equipment.



DMD Online Orientation

The DMD Welcome video will be available on the Doctor of Dental Medicine 2025 Blackboard site from **20 December 2024**. A live online Q&A session will be held in class during the first week of classes.

DMD in-person Orientation (compulsory attendance)

Date: Monday 17 February to Friday 21 February 2025

Time: To be advised

Where: UQ Oral Health Centre and St Lucia Campus

Location details for Orientation Week activities will be advised on the first day of Orientation. It is <u>compulsory</u> for students to attend classes on-campus at Herston and to also attend orientation.

Other orientation activities at St Lucia campus (see <u>UQ website</u>) will be held during Orientation Week (17-21 **February**) and students are encouraged to attend these to familiarise themselves with the St Lucia campus. Faculty orientation for all new students will be held **on Friday**, 21 **February** at the St Lucia campus.

"Get-To-Know You" activities for new dental students are also being planned during Orientation Week at the UQ Oral Health Centre and will be advised at the in person DMD orientation session.

Commencement Date

The academic year for DMD Year 1 students will commence on **Monday**, **6 January 2025**. First year students must commence the program on this date unless prior approval has been granted by the Head of School.

There are many resources available to help you get started as a UQ Student. You are encouraged to visit the <u>Starting at UQ</u> website which contains a personalised, step-by-step guide to enrolling, paying fees, obtaining a student ID card, as well as other useful resources.

Enrolment

The due date for enrolment for all DMD students is **Friday**, **8 November 2024**. Students should ensure that they are enrolled by this date through <u>mySI-net</u>. The DMD program has set compulsory courses and there are no electives.

Please note: Students must enrol in Summer Semester by the enrolment due date listed above, and for Semester 1 and Semester 2 2025 by **31 January 2025**.

Except for DENT7001, only Internal delivery is offered for your dentistry courses. Consequently, all students must arrive in Brisbane by the specified dates and attend on-campus classes, which will enable them to complete the practical component of the courses required for progression.

Students will **not** be permitted to progress throughout their program without completing or gaining credit for **all** compulsory courses in the previous year.

Late fees may apply for enrolment submitted after the University's due dates.

* Please note, if you decide not to continue with the DMD program for any reason, please notify the Student & Academic Services (SAS) team via dentistry@enquire.uq.edu.au

Timetable

Once enrolled, you will be able to view your timetable via your My.UQ Dashboard.

DMD Study Plan

At UQ, each individual subject that you need to enrol in is called a Course. Below are the courses that you will need to enrol in throughout your program. <u>Full DMD Course List.</u>

		VEA	D ONE		
	YEAR ONE				
	IN	ITENSIV	E JANUARY		
	DENT7001 – Applied Bi	ological	Foundations fo	or Dentistry 2 units	
	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER	
CODE	COURSE	Units	CODE	COURSE	Units
DENT7101	Foundations of Dental Science	2	DENT7103	Advanced Dental Science	2
DENT7102	Molecular Biosciences for Dentistry	2	DENT7112	Foundations of Clinical Dentistry II	4
DENT7111	Foundations of Clinical Dentistry I	4	DENT7121	Research Informed Practice I	2
TOTAL UNITS #18					

		YEA	R TWO		
		SU	MMER		
	DENT7211 - Applied DENT7212 – Specia		•	2 units 4 units	
	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER	
DENT7221	Population Oral Health	2	DENT7222	Professional Dental Practice	2
DENT7213	Applied Clinical Dentistry IB	2	DENT7215	Applied Clinical Dentistry IIA	2
DENT7214	Specialist Clinical Dentistry IB	4	DENT7216	Specialist Clinical Dentistry IIA	4
Total Units # 22					

		YEAF	R THREE		
	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER	
DENT7321	Research Informed Practice II	2	DENT7322	Research Informed Practice	4
DENT7316	Applied Clinical Dentistry IIB	2	DENT7318	Advanced Clinical Dentistry A	6
DENT7317	Specialist Clinical Dentistry IIB	4			
Total Units # 18					

	YEAR FOUR			
	FIRST SEMESTER			
DENT7322	Research Informed Practice III	4		
DENT7411	Advanced Clinical Dentistry B	6		
	Total Units # 10			

Course Information & Blackboard

Information about course requirements including assessment and textbook lists can be found in the <u>Electronic Course Profiles</u> (ECPs). ECPs are published one week prior to the commencement of semester. A link to the ECP is also available on the Blackboard site for each course. <u>Blackboard</u> is the University's learning management system and, like the ECPs, Blackboard sites are published one week prior to the start of semester. It will not be possible to access Blackboard until you have enrolled in your courses.

To access Blackboard, please go to <u>learn.uq.edu.au</u> and login with your student username and password. You should see the 'Doctor of Dental Medicine 2025' page listed under 'My Organisations' and course pages listed under 'My Courses'. You can find the School Handbook, attendance policy, academic calendar, course coordinator list, forms etc. in the 'Doctor of Dental Medicine 2025' Blackboard page, and Student & Academic Services will post regular announcements and reminders there.

Course Contact Hours

All course descriptions will show the number of contact hours which indicate the amount of time students will spend in each class. Class contact hours are abbreviated with a combination of letters and numbers:

- Numbers represent the amount of time; and
- · Letters represent the type of class.

For example: '2L3P1T' means: two hours (2) of lectures (L), three hours (3) of practical/laboratory work (P) and one hour (1) of tutorial class (T) each week.

Other letters you may encounter in contact hours include:

PAS - Peer Assisted Study Session

CBL - Case-based learning

CCO - Clinical coaching

CON - General contact hours (e.g. group learning)

LEC - Lecture

PBL - Problem-based learning

PLA - Placement

PRA - Practical (e.g. a laboratory or project work)

SMR - Seminar

TUT - Tutorial

WKS- Workshop

Academic Calendar and School Attendance Guidelines

- It is important that you make travel plans that allow you to arrive in Brisbane in advance of each
 teaching semester as late arrival or absences will be recorded as per the School Attendance
 Guideline. Please refer to the Attendance Guideline in in the BDSc(Hons) & DMD Student Handbook
 and on the DMD Organisation Blackboard pages.
- You should also be aware of the supplementary/deferred examination period dates for each semester. If you are eligible for a supplementary or deferred assessment, you must be available during these periods to sit the exam (see <u>UQ Academic Calendar</u>).

Application for Credit for Previous Studies

Students who wish to apply for <u>credit for previous studies</u> must complete and submit the appropriate online <u>application form</u> with all required documentation by the due date. Domestic student applications should be submitted as soon as all relevant documentation can be provided and by the enrolment closing date for the semester in which the award of credit may affect your program of study. International students must submit the application no later than the first week of the semester in which the award of credit may affect your program of study. Further information can be found on the <u>my.UQ</u> page. You may also wish to refer to the <u>Credit Precedents Database</u>, which can help you determine your eligibility for credit by looking at the precedents established for courses previously assessed for credit by UQ.

Students seeking credit should enrol in all courses in the event that their application is not approved, particularly if their previous studies have not been completed at UQ.

All credit applications, along with the appropriate documentation, must be lodged via the <u>online application form.</u>

Please note that processing of all credit applications is undertaken by the Faculty of Health, Medicine, and Behavioural Sciences and will take approximately 6-8 weeks to be completed due to the large number of applications received by Faculty across all School programs. As such, applications with all supporting documentation should be submitted as early as possible to ensure outcomes are known before census date.

Lockers

Lockers are provided for all DMD students in the Oral Health Centre. Students are responsible for bringing their own padlock with combination and/or key for their own locker. Combination padlocks are highly recommended to avoid lost keys.

Student ID Cards

It is recommended that <u>student ID cards</u> be obtained well before the start of semester as wait times can be long, especially during orientation.

Before requesting an ID card

- Complete any outstanding tasks on mySI-net.
- Enrol in at least one course for the current semester on mySI-net.
- Check your graduation date is correct in mySI-net.
- Wait 48 hours for any changes to update.

Request a student ID card

- Choose a photo that meets the requirements then request an ID card through the online form.
- You will be asked to upload a government-issued document, such as your passport, to confirm your identity.
- You will be sent a confirmation email to pick up your ID card when your request is approved.
- You will need to pick up your ID card or organise for someone else to do it on your behalf.

More details are available on the Student ID card website.

Student Access Plan (SAP)

The University of Queensland provides <u>free support</u>, <u>services and facilities</u> for students with a disability, illness, injury or mental health condition at UQ. A student adviser will help you evaluate your academic access requirements, develop a Student Access Plan with you, and organise the appropriate arrangements.

Any student who may require alternative academic arrangements in the program is encouraged to seek advice at the commencement of the semester from a Student Advisor at Student Support Services. The UQ Health Care service can also arrange appropriate advice and assistance on personal and public health issues.

Compliance Requirements – Year 1

Student Immunisation Record

All Year 1 DMD students are required to provide their Immunisation Record before commencing. You will receive emails from the HABS Placement Ready Team with important information about your compliance requirements.

Please take the <u>Student Immunisation Record Form B: Dentistry, Doctor of Medicine, Midwifery and Nursing</u> Students to your Registered Medical Practitioner for completion.

It can take time to complete your immunisation requirements, particularly if you need to complete a vaccination schedule involving multiple doses. We encourage you to **take action on this as a priority** to avoid any delay to your participation in clinical activities when you arrive on campus.

SUBMITTING YOUR IMMUNISATION RECORD:

Please ensure to begin completing the **Student Immunisation Record** and the **Tuberculosis Self-Assessment Form** immediately to ensure that you have sufficient time to receive all your required vaccinations, as this can take 3 – 6mths if you are missing any doses or need more testing. Please do not submit your **Student Immunisation Record** or **Tuberculosis Self – Assessment Form** until you receive submission requests via email from my.UQ as this will have the correct link to upload these documents, so aim to have these documents completed and ready before this email is received.

- Before you are due to commence your program, you will receive an email via your <u>UQ student email account</u> requesting proof of your immunisation and/or screening statuses (**Student Immunisation Evidence Request**).
- Once you have followed the steps to get your immunisation/screening evidence, the Complete
 and action button in these emails will take you to the Student Immunisation Evidence
 Request task in my.UQ, where you will be prompted to upload your evidence. You will also be
 able to access the upload link under 'Notifications' on your my.UQ dashboard.
- The <u>Immunisation Records Team (IRT)</u> will assess and verify your documents. If anything is
 outstanding, you will receive automatic notifications and can view the requirements in the email
 sent to you or in <u>my.UQ</u>.

Please speak to your faculty, advisor or school if you have questions about this process.

The most up to date information on immunisation requirements can always be found <u>here</u>.

(Please see <u>UQ Healthcare St Lucia</u> for details regarding the vaccinations and health service offered by UQ Healthcare at the St Lucia campus).

Students who do not provide a complete immunisation record will <u>NOT</u> be permitted to enter clinical facilities which will have a serious impact on your ability to pass your courses.

DMD students will receive a copy of the Immunisation Guidelines and the UQ Immunisation Record form with their offer letter which must be taken to their doctor for completion.

Compliance Requirements – Years 2–4

At the end of year one, you will be requested to provide additional mandatory documentation to allow you to attend patients. For the most up to date list of requirements please check the <u>Faculty's</u> placement ready website.

You will also be required to maintain an up-to-date immunisation status throughout the program and will be contacted by the HABS Placement Ready Team to prompt you if you are due to renew certain vaccinations.

If you have any questions about compliance requirements, please contact the Placements Ready Team habs.placementready@uq.edu.au

Instruments and Equipment

DMD students at The University of Queensland are required to purchase their dental instruments **directly from a reputable supplier**. To assist you with this, a list of compulsory equipment and instruments has been compiled in <u>Appendix 1</u>.

The School in conjunction with UQDSA and suppliers typically organise opportunities to look at and try on loupes prior to purchasing. You should not purchase these prior to commencing but note you will need to purchase these later in year 1.

Please also see the School's Loupes Use Guideline in the BDSc(Hons) & DMD Student Handbook and on your program's <u>Organisations Blackboard pages</u>.

Dress Code

All students are to present a professional image regardless of their role. Dress standards should be appropriate to the functions being performed, health and safety and cultural diversity:

- follow the <u>Code of Conduct</u> issued by UQ and ensure they behave and dress in an appropriate manner at all times.
- maintain the highest standards of personal hygiene, cleanliness, and grooming.
- · read and understand the directives.
- maintain the following standards of dress when working in, or passing through, any clinical or preclinical area in the Oral Health Centre and when on placement at external clinics.

Students should be aware that following the Dentistry Dress Code is compulsory. Standardised uniforms (in the form of DMD scrubs) enable easy identification of legitimate students in a clinical setting, promote a professional image and work to promote infection control standards. This policy is in line with public health settings and other UQ school guidelines. Students will be able to purchase items outlined in the below policy at School Locker at OHC. You may wish to wait to purchase DMD scrubs until you have the opportunity to try them on for size at the OHC School Locker.

The Dress Code guidelines can be found in the BDSc(Hons) & DMD Student Handbook and on your program's Organisation Blackboard pages.

Health Safety and Wellness

Under the Work Health & Safety Act 2011, all students will be required to complete an online Lab Safety Induction Module and complete a competency assessment. You will be able to complete this module once you commence your studies. There will be a link to this module in the DENT7111 Blackboard site.

Academic Integrity and Plagiarism

Academic integrity is a core value of UQ and for this reason UQ has developed compulsory online modules. These explain the University's expectations in relation to academic integrity, to ensure that you do not engage in practices that involve plagiarism and academic misconduct.

The modules are available online and a link to the modules will be displayed when you log into mySI-net.

DMD Clinical Placements

The DMD program includes an extended clinical practice. Students will undertake clinical placements throughout Queensland. Students are advised that they may incur travel and accommodation costs associated with the clinical placements.

UQ Library

The <u>UQ Library</u> provides resources and services to support teaching, learning and research needs of UQ staff and students. The <u>Herston Health Sciences Library</u> is located on Level 6, Block 6 (Clinical Skills Development Service), Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital (RBWH), Herston and is also available online.

Digital Essentials Online Modules

Students are strongly encouraged to make use of the '<u>Digital Essentials</u>' online modules designed to assist in building digital study skills.

UQ Dental Students' Association (UQDSA)

The <u>University of Queensland Dental Students' Association</u> (UQDSA) is the student representative body for those enrolled in Dental programs at UQ.

UQDSA wishes to congratulate and welcome you to the start of a life-long journey into dentistry. For your comparatively brief time as a student, UQDSA is here to foster a sense of community and enrich your student experience. Throughout the year, there are a range of events and programs designed to provide members with academic, social and sporting opportunities.

Services available:

- First Aid and CPR training courses
- · Academic seminars by leading practitioners
- Dental equipment and service tradeshows
- Domestic and international volunteering opportunities with external providers
- Connections with wider dental world, including Finance, Dental Specialist Societies and Insurance
- Much more!

Membership benefits:

- · Food discounts at local business outlets
- Subsidised protective equipment
- Exclusive social event ticket prices
- Tangka magazine deals (annual school magazine)
- Much more!

One-time membership fees are AUD\$100. Membership is valid for the duration you are enrolled at UQ Dentistry (undergraduate or postgraduate studies).

Find out more about how UQDSA can enhance your student life by speaking with us during Orientation Week. Otherwise, reach out via our social media (https://www.facebook.com/uqdsa) or email (uqdsa.secretary@gmail.com).

Australian Dental Students' Association (ADSA)

ADSA is the national student representative body for all dental students. Membership to ADSA is free and automatic. Collect your membership card during Orientation Week.

School of Dentistry Peer Mentoring program

The <u>Dentistry Peer Mentoring Program</u> is a semester-long program that ensures your transition into UQ Dentistry is enjoyable. The Program was created as a Student-Staff Partnership Project, to provide a connection and support tool to help new Dentistry students navigate through their first few weeks in the program.

Dentistry Peer Mentors are volunteer senior DMD students who, like you, were once new Dentistry students. They have now successfully settled into life in Brisbane and progressed to the later years of the degree program.

In Orientation Week, our mentors will introduce themselves to you and your peer group, show you around campus, and help you feel prepared to start semester. During Semester 1, they will organise regular catchups and share their own tips and university experiences, from how to best prepare for your first assessment to where to find the best coffee!

If you would like to get connected to the UQ Dentistry community, join today.



Frequently Asked Questions

I can't arrive on time - is it okay for me to be on campus in the second week?

Attendance for all study is compulsory and as such we expect students to attend their courses on campus from day one. Please see the attendance policy for more information.

Can you please confirm shoes/jewellery are okay?

Please ensure that you review the dress code requirements. In the first week, please do your best to interpret the dress code and wear compliant clothes and shoes. In week 1 of Semester 1 you will be given detailed information about the dress code. If you are still unsure about whether or not an item meets dress code standards, please contact your Program Convenor, Dr Nicole Stormon.

How do I decide which equipment supplier to use?

You MUST use One Dental to purchase the UQ MQD Adult Model, the Dentaprac Block UQ Design, and the Sectional Endodontic Model (SED) MQD as they are the sole distributor of these items.

For the rest of the items listed, it is your decision as to where you source your instruments and equipment. The School recommends One Dental for reliable one-stop shopping for quality instruments. Students who place their orders with One Dental by the due date listed on the flyer will be able to collect their orders at the Oral Health Centre during the first week of pre-clinical classes. The details of this handout will be announced at a later date.

Can I use equipment from other suppliers or that I already own?

If you would like to use equipment from another supplier, please ensure you provide them with the links provided in the instrument list so they are able to ensure the correct specifications for each instrument. If you would like to use equipment that you or someone else you know already owns, it is best to contact us and provide either a link to the manufacturer's product or a photo of the equipment you have so that we can confirm whether this equipment is compatible. In particular, please note that the UQ Adult Model, Dentaprac Block, and Sectional Endodontic Model are specifically made to fit into the fixtures in the School's simulation labs, so it's important that these are purchased from One Dental.

What if I buy the equipment and then decide not to continue with the program?

You may wish to arrange for another student to buy your equipment from you. If this is the case, please arrange this between you and the student as the School cannot assist in the sale or refund of your kit.

When do I need to order the equipment by?

There is an order due date listed on the One Dental flyer. However, if you receive a late offer and/or have missed the deadline, please still order your equipment as soon as possible so that your goods can be delivered as soon as the supplier can arrange.

What happens if I don't get my equipment before the start of classes?

During the first couple of weeks of pre-clinical sessions, minimal equipment is required and loan equipment may be available to you until you receive your own equipment. It's still important to order your equipment as soon as possible, but you will not be disadvantaged if your order arrives a couple of weeks later than other students.

Do I need a lab coat?

A lab coat is necessary for the start of classes. If you order your kit through One Dental, a lab coat is included free of charge. If you wish to source your lab coat from another supplier, the on-campus supplies store, *School Locker* (https://theschoollocker.com.au/universities/university-of-queensland/medical) has lab coats for sale (either online or in the store at the Herston Campus).



Do I need protective eyewear?

From Week 2 onwards, everyone is required to wear protective eyewear for attendance at the compulsory clinic and pre-clinic sessions. If you normally wear prescription eyewear, protective eyewear is worn **in addition** to (i.e. over the top of) your prescription eyewear.

Details for purchase of protective eyewear will be provided to you during Orientation Week. *School Locker* stocks these in addition to lab coats. The cost of normal non-prescription protective eyewear is approximately AU\$25.

I do not have a mailing address in Brisbane yet, is it okay to have my equipment sent to the School for delivery?

While we recommend having your equipment sent to you prior to arrival in Brisbane, if you are unable to have your equipment sent directly to you, you can have it posted to the SAS office at the following address:

To: DMD Equipment C/O Student Name
Oral Health Centre,
288 Herston Road
Corner Bramston Terrace and Herston Road
Herston QLD 4006, Australia

Appendix 1 – Instrument & Equipment List

DMD students at The University of Queensland are required to purchase their dental instruments **directly from a reputable supplier of their choice**. To assist you with this, a list of compulsory equipment and instruments has been provided, as well as responses to Frequently Asked Questions. Also included is a flyer with ordering instructions should you choose to purchase your kit from One Dental, a reputable supplier who can supply everything you need and deliver to the school.

You MUST use One Dental to purchase the UQ MQD Adult Model, Dentaprac Block UQ Design, and the Sectional Endodontic Model (SEM) MQD as they are the sole distributor of these items. Students are free to choose any reputable supplier for the rest of the items on the list.

Important Note: The transaction is between the student and the supplier, and the instruments remain the property of the student. The School of Dentistry takes no responsibility for purchasing decisions made by the student. Students are responsible for the continued maintenance of the instruments and must keep all instruments in good working order. In addition, if you purchase an instrument kit and then decide not to accept your offer in the DMD program for any reason, or should you withdraw from the program at a later date, the School cannot assist in the sale or refund of your kit. Any such transactions that may occur between students is a student-only matter and does not involve the School.

Please also note that in some instances it can take up to 4 weeks for instruments and equipment to be delivered from suppliers, so we recommend that you make your purchase as early as possible.

You are required to purchase a lab coat (included in the One Dental kit), protective eyewear and fully enclosed shoes. You will be provided with further details about this in orientation week – see the FAQs page for more information.

If you have further questions about equipment, please email: dentistry@enquire.uq.edu.au.



Required Instruments 2025

Item	Qty
2008 MQD Model 32 Teeth and Soft Gingivae for UQ UQ2008MQD MUST BE PURCHASED FROM ONE	
DENTAL	1
https://www.onedental.com.au/UQ2008MQD/2008-MQD-Model-32-Teeth-and-Soft-Gingivae-for-	-
UQ/pd.php	
UQ DentaPrac Cutting Block UQ UQDENPRAC MUST BE PURCHASED FROM ONE DENTAL	1
https://www.onedental.com.au/UQDENPRAC/DentaPrac-Cutting-Block-UQ/pd.php	
Sectional Endodontic Model (SED) MQD UQSEDKITMQD MUST BE PURCHASED FROM ONE DENTAL	
https://www.onedental.com.au/UQSEDKITMQD/1-x-UQ-Sectional-Endodontic-Model-%28SED%29-	1
MQD/pd.php	
Wax carving blocks WAX20	1 pack
https://www.onedental.com.au/WAX20/Wax-Carving-Blocks-1cm-x-1cm-x-3cm-%2820-pieces%29/pd.php	
Wax carver – Le Cron ODCLLC https://www.onedental.com.au/ODCLLC/One-Dental-Le-Cron/pd.php	1
Mirror Simple Front Surface Plane #4 Bx-12 MSSFS4	1
https://www.onedental.com.au/MSSFS4/Mirror-Head-Simple-Front-Surface-Plane%234-Box-12/pd.php	
Mirror Handle Simple Stem HM18 https://www.onedental.com.au/HM18/Mirror-Handle%2C-SE%2C-	1
Simple-StemDuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	_
Double-ended Probe (Sickle #23/Williams Probe (1-2-3-5-7-8-9-10 mm) REPCOW-23	
https://www.onedental.com.au/REPCOW dash 23/Expro%2C-DE%2C-Probe-Williams-	1
%281 dash 2 dash 3 dash 5 dash 7 dash 8 dash 9 dash 10-mm%29- dash -Explorer-%2323DuraLite-	
ROUND-Han/pd.php	
Probe SE Colour Coded Williams (1-2-3-5-7-8-9-10 mm) REPCOW	
https://www.onedental.com.au/REPCOW/Probe%2C-SE%2C-Williams-	1
%281 dash 2 dash 3 dash 5 dash 7 dash 8 dash 9 dash 10-mm%29DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	
College Tweezer DP1 https://www.onedental.com.au/DP1/Dressing-Pliers%2C-Non_dash_Locking%2C-	1
College-%286%22- or -150-mm%29/pd.php	
Scaler DE N67 Offset Sickle (H6-H7) RESCN67 https://www.onedental.com.au/RESCN67/Scaler%2C-	1
DE%2C-Anterior-Offset-Sickle-%23N67-%28H6 dash H7%29DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	
Columbia Universal curette 4R/4L RESCCO4R-4L	1
https://www.onedental.com.au/RESCCO4R_dash_4L/Curette%2C-DE%2C-Columbia- %234R_dash_4LDuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	1
Columbia Universal curette 2R/2L RESCCO2R-2L	
https://www.onedental.com.au/RESCCO2R_dash_2L/Curette%2C-DE%2C-Columbia-	1
%232R dash 2LDuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	1
Clamps #7, 2, 12A, 13A, 9 (note only 12A and 13A have serrated edges)	
CLAMP #7, 2, 12A, 15A, 9 (note only 12A and 15A have serfaced edges) CLAMP #7 https://www.onedental.com.au/CLAMP07/Clamp-7-Lower-Molar/pd.php	
CLAMP #2 https://www.onedental.com.au/CLAMP02/Clamp-2-Pre-Molar/pd.php	
CLAMP #12A https://www.onedental.com.au/CLAMP12A/Clamp-12A-Lower-Molar/pd.php	1 of each
CLAMP #13A https://www.onedental.com.au/CLAMP13A/Clamp-13A-Lower-Molar/pd.php	
CLAMP #9 https://www.onedental.com.au/CLAMP09/Clamp-9-Anterior/pd.php	
Double-ended spoon excavator large REEC2 https://www.onedental.com.au/REEC2/Excavator%2C-DE%2C-	
Spoon-%232-%281.6-mm-Head-Size-%2318%29DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	1
Double-ended ball burnisher Titanium coated REPFI32T	
https://www.onedental.com.au/REPFI32T/Composite-Placement%2C-DE%2C-Titanium_dash_Nitride-	1
Coated%2C-Ball-%2332DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	_
Carver DE Hollenback #3S (1/2) RECAH3S https://www.onedental.com.au/RECAH3S/Carver%2C-DE%2C-	
Hollenback-%233S-DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	1
Tofflemire Universal retainer TOFRETUNI	
https://www.onedental.com.au/TOFRETUNI/Tofflemire-Retainer-Universal/pd.php	1

Calcium hydroxide placement instrument – long shank RECHP3	
https://www.onedental.com.au/RECHP3/Calcium-Hydroxide-Placement%2C-DE%2C-%233-Short or Long-	1
%28PICH%29DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	
Double-ended amalgam plugger - non serrated round RECN4-P-8	1
https://www.onedental.com.au/RECN4P8/Condenser-%281.5_dash_2.3-mm%29dashPlain/pd.php	1
Small flat plastic REPFI8AT https://www.onedental.com.au/REPFI8AT/Composite-Placement%2C-DE%2C-	1
Titanium dash Nitride-Coated%2C-Double-Paddle-%238ADuraLite-ROUN/pd.php	1
Large flat plastic REPFI50T https://www.onedental.com.au/REPFI50T/Composite-Placement%2C-DE%2C-	1
Titanium dash Nitride-Coated%2C-Double-Paddle-%2350DuraLite-ROUN/pd.php	1
Composite plugger REBRDILLYT https://www.onedental.com.au/REBRDILLYT/Burnisher%2C-DE%2C-	
Titanium dash Nitride-Coated%2C-Dilly-Tapered-ConeDuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	1
17/18 Hatchet (with long blade) REMT17-18	
https://www.onedental.com.au/REMT17 dash 18/Hatchet%2C-DE%2C-%2317 dash 18-	1
%2810 dash 6 dash 14%29DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	
Endodontic Pliers Locking with Groove DP2 https://www.onedental.com.au/DP2/Dressing-Pliers%2C-	4
Locking%2C-College-%286%22or150-mm%29/pd.php	1
Endodontic Excavator Long Shank DE Spoon shape #31LR REEC31LR	
https://www.onedental.com.au/REEC31LR/Endodontic%2C-DE%2C-Excavator%2C-Long-Shank-Spoon-	1
Shape-%2331LRDuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	
Endodontic Explorer DE #DG16 REEX16 https://www.onedental.com.au/REEX16/Endodontic%2C-	4
DE%2C-Explorer%2C-%23DG16-DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	1
Endodontic Condenser DE #9-11 REEN9-11 https://www.onedental.com.au/REEN9 dash 11/Root-	1
Canal-Plugger%2C-DE%2C-%239 dash 11DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	1
Root Canal Spreader SE #D11T (Thin) Nickel Titanium REEND11T	
https://www.onedental.com.au/REEND11T/Root-Canal-Spreader%2C-SE%2C-Nickel-Titanium%2C-	1
%23D11T-%28Thin%29DuraLite-ROUND-Handle/pd.php	
Root canal spreader SE RC 25 Nickel Titanium REENDRG21-25	
https://www.onedental.com.au/REENDRG21_dash_25/Root-Canal-Spreader-DE-RG21_dash_25-	1
Nickel-Titanium-25mmand21mm/pd.php	
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Cassette or wallet for safe storage and transportation of all instruments	1
Lab coat	1

