



**ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT DIVISION
INFORMATION SHEET FOR
DENTISTS APPLYING TO WORK IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA**

The Organisational Development Division (ODD) of the Department of Health (DOH) is currently processing enquiries from applicants seeking employment in the Government Health setting. To apply for a position you are required to;

- ❑ Submit an application on the DOH application form
- ❑ Submit an electronic copy of your curriculum vitae
- ❑ Provide two referee contacts, including email addresses
- ❑ Provide registration with the Dental Board of Western Australia. To seek advice/clarification please visit www.dentalboard.wa.gov.au

On receipt of your application, a recruitment specialist will commence the review of your application.

Applicants who do not meet employment needs will be notified if unsuccessful.

Please note that employment with Western Australia Department of Health can only be offered if there is a recognised area of unmet need for speciality. Therefore, submission of your application does not guarantee a position.

Successful applicant application details will be forwarded to health services regarding availability of positions in unmet areas of need, by ODD. Successful applicants will be contacted and an interview will be arranged at a time to suit the applicant and your professional referees will be contacted. It is at this stage that sponsorship will be arranged/discussed if necessary.

Condition of successful application requires applicants to gain registration in WA.

On acceptance of the offer of placement, applicants will be required to demonstrate that they meet entry employment requirements including satisfactory Criminal Record Screening Process. For more information on this see; www.immi.gov.au and look in forms and booklets / Forms and Booklets - Alphabetical List / Character requirements, penal clearance certificates - 47P.

Prior to commencing employment, applicants will be required to provide their employing hospital with evidence of;

- ❑ Hepatitis B, Measles, Mumps, Rubella and Varicella – certified copies of results accepted showing immunisation or evidence of vaccination
- ❑ Mantoux test information
- ❑ Department of Health criminal screening – application form will be forwarded to you by employer.
- ❑ MRSA screening - only required from health workers who have worked or been a patient outside Western Australia within the last 12 months.

For more information, email healthwa@health.wa.gov.au