

OVERSEAS REGISTRATION EXAMINATION

Suggested Reading of Useful Textbooks adapted from the GDC List.
Amended in 2025 with updated editions and suggested books by the
BDA library [All books are available in hard copy for loan]

TOPIC	TITLE	AUTHORS	BDA LIBRARY EBOOK
Anatomy	Anatomy for Dental Students (4 th Edition)	M E Atkinson (formerly D R Johnson, W J Moore)	YES
Oral Anatomy	Oral Anatomy, Histology and Embryology (6 th Edition)	B K B Berkovitz, G R Holland, B J Moxham	5 th Edition available
Physiology	Human Physiology: the mechanisms of body function (16 th edition)	Widmaier, EP; Raff, H; Strang KT	Hard copy only
Oral Physiology	Biochemistry and Oral Biology	A S Cole, J E Eastoe	YES
Pathology	Underwood's Pathology: a Clinical Approach (7 th Edition)	S Cross	YES
Oral Pathology	Soames' and Southam's Oral Pathology (5 th Edition)	Robinson M; Hunter, K et al	YES
	Cawson's Essentials of Oral Pathology and Oral Medicine (10 th Edition)	Odell, EW	Hard copy only
Oral Microbiology	Marsh and Martin's Oral Microbiology (6 th Ed)	Marsh, PD; Williams, D; Lewis, MAO et al	YES
Pharmacology	Pharmacology and Dental Therapeutics (3 rd Edition)	Seymour, RA; Meechan, J; Yates, MS	Hard copy only
Therapeutics	British National Formulary (53 rd edition)	Joint publication by the BMA and Royal Pharmaceutical Society	Available free online
General Medicine and Surgery/ Human Disease	Medical Problems in Dentistry (7 th edition)	C Scully, R A Cawson	YES
	Human Disease for Dentistry	F Fortune	Hard copy only
	Essentials of Human Disease in Dentistry (2 nd Edition)	M Greenwood	YES
Law & Ethics	Dental Law and Ethics (2002)	P Lambden (ed.)	YES

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	Dental Law and Ethics (2022)	D'Cruz, L; Rattan, R	Hard copy only
Radiology and Radiography	Whaites' Essentials of Dental Radiography and Radiology (7 th Edition)	N Drage & S Haworth	Hard copy only (earlier edition available as ebook)
Dental Materials	Applied Dental Materials (9 th Edition) (2008)	J F McCabe & A W GWalls	YES
	Introduction to Dental Materials (5th Edition) (2024 – not UK based)	Van Noort, R; Barbour, ME	Hard copy only
Preventive and Community Dentistry	The Prevention of Oral Disease(4 th edition)	J Murray, J H Nunn & J G Steele	YES
PaediatricDentistry	Paediatric Dentistry (5th Edition)	R R Welbury, M S Duggal & M-T Hosey	YES
Orthodontics	W & H Orthodontic Notes (6 th Edition)	M L Jones, R G Oliver	Hard copy only
Caries	Essentials of Dental Caries (4th Edition)	E A M Kidd	YES
Conservative Dentistry	Pickard's Guide to Minimally Invasive Operative Dentistry (10th Edition)	Banerjee, A; Watson, TF	YES
Endodontics	Harty's Endodontics in Clinical Practice (7 th edition) (2016)	Chong, BS	YES
	The Principles of Endodontics (3rd Edition) (2020)	Patel, S; Barnes, JJ (Editors)	YES
Oral Medicine	Oral Medicine in Primary Dental Care (4th Edition) (BDJ Clinician's Guide)	P-J Lamey, M A O Lewis	YES
Oral Surgery	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery - An Objective-Based Textbook (2nd Edition)	J Pedlar, J W Frame	YES
Periodontics	Guide to Periodontics (3 rd Edition) (1994)	W M M Jenkins, C J Allan	Hard copy only
	Periodontology (4th Edition) (BDJ Clinician's Guide) (2021)	Palmer, R; Floyd, P (Editors)	YES
Restorative Dentistry	Planning and Making Crowns and Bridges (4th Edition) [2006]	B G N Smith	YES

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	Extra-Coronal Restorations - Concepts and Clinical Application, 2nd Edition (BDJ Clinician's Guide)	Wassell, R; Nohl, F; Steele, J; Walls, A (Eds)	YES
	Restorative Dentistry (2 nd edition) [2007]	D Walmsley et al.	Hard copy only
	Missing Teeth – a guide to treatment options [2003]	J F McCord, A A Grant et al	Hard copy only
	Tooth Wear: An Authoritative Reference for Dental Professionals and Students (3rd Edition) (BDJ Clinician's Guide) [2022]	Eder, A; Faigenblum, M (Editors)	YES
	A Clinical Guide to Advanced Minimum Intervention Restorative Dentistry [2025]	Banerjee, A	Hard copy only
Prosthetic Dentistry	A Clinical Guide to Removable Partial Dentures (2000)	J C Davenport, R M Basker, J R Heath et al.	Hard copy only
	A Clinical Guide to Removable Partial Denture Design (2000)	J C Davenport, R M Basker, J R Heath et al.	Hard copy only
	A Clinical Guide to Complete Denture Prosthetics (2000)	J F McCord & A A Grant	Hard copy only
	Treatment of Edentulous Patients	J F McCord et al	Hard copy only
Treatment	Treatment Planning in Primary Dental Care	A C Shearer, A C Mellor	Hard copy only
	Integrated Dental Treatment Planning – a case-based approach	E J Kay, A C Shearer et al	Hard copy only
	Pain & Anxiety Control for the Conscious Dental Patient (1998)	JG Meechan, N D Robb, R A Seymour	Hard copy only
	Handbook of Nitrous Oxide and Oxygen Sedation (5th Edition) (2020)	Clark, MS; Brunick, AL	Hard copy only
	A Clinical Guide to Oral Diagnosis and Treatment Planning [2012]	Yip, K; Smales, R	Hard copy only
General	Essential Skills for Dentists	P A Mossey, G J Holsgrove, D R et al	Hard copy only

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	Master Dentistry Volume 1 Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Radiology, Pathology and Oral Medicine (4 th Edition)	P Coulthard, K Horner, P Sloan & E Theaker	3 rd Edition available
	Master Dentistry Volume 2 Restorative Dentistry, Paediatric Dentistry and Orthodontics (4 th Edition)	P Heasman (Editor)	YES
	Basic Guide to Dental Procedures (3rd Edition)	C Hollins	Hard copy only

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