

# Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences

# **Programs, Courses and University Regulations**

# 2024-2025

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# 1 About the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences

# 1.1 Location

# Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences 2001 McGill College Avenue, Suite 500 Montreal QC H3A 1G1 Telephone: 514-398-7203 Fax: 514-398-8900 Website: *mcgill.ca/dentistry*

Dental Medicine Program (D.M.D.) and Dentistry Preparatory Qualifying Y

# 2.2 Student Services and Regulations

# 2.2.1 Student Advising

The Mission Statement of the University expresses the commitment to offer students the best education available. An essential component of this is the advising process. The active participation of students in the advising process is essential in order for them to access the full range of academic opportunities during their studies. They must be proactive in seeking meetings with advisors, professors, counsellors, and such to ensure that they receive the advice they need to meet their academic goals. It is their responsibility to inform themselves about the rules and regulations of the University fy

are expected to have a working knowledge of the English and French languages. French language proficiency is a requirement for B.Sc.(N.) and Qualifying Year programs. For further information, please refer to *mcgill.ca/nursing/apply*.

Note for Physical and Occupational Therapy: All sites within the McGill network require students to have a working knowledge of both English and French.

General Fees	
Reconsideration fee	\$40
Prepayment Fee:	
Dentistry	\$500
Pre-Dentistry	\$400
Medicine	\$500
Communication Sciences and Disorders Fees	
M.Sc.A. ID Badge – First Year	\$39.78

#### **Dentistry - Purchases of Equipment and Materials Fee**

In addition to the fees shown on the list of fees for Dentistry, students must purchase certain items of equipment and supplies from the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences. The fee also includes an amount for general supplies in the laboratories and clinics and will be billed on your e-bill.

The cost of these purchases (including GST and QST) in 2024-2025 is estimated as follows:

First Year	\$400
Second Year	\$17,000
Third Year	\$4,100
Fourth Year	\$2,500

For more information, see *mcgill.ca/dentistry/programs*. You will receive an e-bill in August with the exact breakdown of costs related to your equipment purchases. Costs of purchases will be finalized in late June and available in the cost tables found on the *Student Accounts website*.

Dentistry Extra Fees		
1 Short White Coat with McGill Logo	approximately \$35	
Supplemental or Reread Exam Request Fee	\$45.16 per exam	
Dental Clinic/Lab Maintenance & Improvement Fee (as of 2024–2025)		
Second Year	\$1,317	
Third and Fourth Years	\$2,634	
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## **Dentistry - Laptops**

The Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences uses web-based courseware and examinations. Students are required to be equipped with laptops that meet certain minimum requirements.

# **Dentistry and Medicine - Microscopes**

In order to ensure that each student is adequately equipped for the microscopic work in histology, microbiology, and pathology, a binocular microscope is provided for all students in first and second year.

Medicine Fees	
Books, Laboratory Materials, Gloves, Anatomy Dissection Kit, Stethoscope, BP cuff, etc.	approximately \$1,500 to \$2,000 (for duration of program)
One Short White Coat with McGill Logo	approximately \$50
Collège des médecins du Québec (CMQ) registration fee – beginning of First Year (September 30)	\$130
Medicine Extra Fees	
Vaccines	see the Student Wellness Hub

French Medical Workshop (optional registration; recommended) – All students are required to have working Frencorkshop (op(ac08b4 budb4 budents a.48 689.147 11e2k i(V1 Si.425 498.36 TmhB3, 4(\$130)Tm(French Medical 01 rg4G0w1 0 0\$31 0p2 Tcourse48 2 8.1 0 0 1

## 2.4 Immigration Information

Unless their studies at McGill will be completed in less than six (6) months, all students who are not Canadian citizens or Permanent Residents of Canada must obtain proper authorization from both Quebec and Canadian Immigration officials prior to proceeding to Canada and/or commencing studies. The process begins with a Letter of Acceptance from McGill University.

Details on Canadian immigration regulations may be obtained from Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada.

Nursing students are required to obtain a work coop in addition to their study permit. For further information please consult our website *mcgill.ca/nursing/students/student-portal/clinical*.

In addition, International Student Services prepares a Getting Started pamphlet along with a detailed Handbook for international students, which is sent to all accepted applicants. The Handbook is also available on the *International Student Services website*.

For further information, please contact:

International Student Services Brown Student Services Building 3600 McTavish Street, Suite 5100 Montreal QC H3A 0G3 Telephone: 514-398-4349 Email: *international.students@mcgill.ca* Website: *mcgill.ca/internationalstudents* 

## 2.5 Facilities

The following facilities are associated with the McGill health sciences.

## 2.5.1 Buildings

For a complete list of FMHS buildings for our six Schools and our Centres and other units, please consult the Building Directory.

## 2.5.2 Hospitals

## 2.5.2.1 McGill University Designated Teaching Hospitals

The teaching hospital network of McGill University is an integral part of the research, teaching, and clinical activities of the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences. By agreement and tradition, the administration, medical staff, and scientific personnel of these institutions are closely integrated with McGill University and form the basis for the clinical departments of the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences. The McGill University Health Centre (MUHC) / Centre universitaire de santé McGill (CUSM) is a merger of seven teaching hospitals affiliated with the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences at McGill University.

The McGill University Health Centre (MUHC) offers specialized and multidisciplinary tertiary and quaternary care of exceptional quality focused on the needs of adult and pediatric patients, in a bilingual environment, making it one of the most comprehensive teaching hospitals in North America. Every year, the MUHC receives more than 539,890 ambulatory visits; admits over 34,280 inpatients; performs more than 28,560 surgeries; and delivers almost 3,000 babies yearly.

Affiliated with the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences of McGill University, the MUHC contributes to the evolution of medicine by attracting clinical and scientific experts from around the world, evaluating cutting-edge medical technologies, and training tomorrow's healthcare professionals.

Our activities are carried out at the following locations:

## Montreal Children's Hospital, Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal Chest Institute, and Cedars Cancer Centre at the Glen Site

1001 Decarie Boulevard Montreal QC H4A 3J1 Telephone: 514-934-1934 Website: *muhc.ca/glen-site* 

## **Montreal General Hospital**

1650 Cedar Avenue Montreal QC H3G 1A4 Telephone: 514-934-1934 Website: *muhc.ca/montreal-general-hospital* 

Montreal Neurological Institute and Hospital

3801 University Street Montreal QC H3A 2B4 Telephone: 514-398-6644 Website: *muhc.ca/The-Neuro* 

Lachine Hospital 650 16th Avenue Lachine QC H8S 3N5 Telephone: 514-934-1934 Website: *muhc.ca/lachine-hospital* 

Centre d'hébergement (CHSLD) Camille-Lefebvre 637, 13e Avenue

Montreal QC H8S 4K4 Telephone: 514-934-1934 Website: *muhc.ca/lachine-hospital* 

The MUHC is a community of more than 17,000 people working within the organization's seven clinical missions: Medicine, Surgery, Neurosciences, Mental Health, Women's Health, Cancer Care and the Montreal Children's Hospital. In 2022–2023, our workforce comprised 3,793 nurses, licensed practical nurses, cardiorespiratory staff, and orderlies; 2,098 health professionals other than physicians and nurses (includes some residents and technicians); 3,493 researchers, investigators, students, postdoctoral fello

Centre for Nursing Research), cardiovascular disease, genetics, emergency medicine, nephrology, and the psychosocial aspects of illness. The outstanding quality of this work has enabled the Lady Davis Institute to rank among the leaders of Quebec's hospital-affiliated research institutions in attracting high levels of funding per researcher.

More information is available at *jgh.ca*.

St. Mary's Hospital Center (Montreal West Island Integrated University Health and Social Services Centre/Centre intégré universitaire de santé et de services sociaux (CIUSSS) de l'Ouest-de-l'Île-de-Montréal

CISSS de l'Outaouais

cisss-outaouais.gouv.qc.ca

CISSS de Laval lavalensante.com

**Shriners Hospitals for Children - Canada** *shrinershospitalsforchildren.org/montreal* 

# 2.5.3 Clinical Facilities for Dentistry

The McGill University Undergraduate Teaching Dental Clinic, previously located in the Montreal General Hospital, is now located at:

Place Mercantile 2001 McGill College Avenue, Suite 100 Montreal QC H3A 1G1 Canada Telephone: 514-398-7203 Fax: 514-398-8900 Website: mcgill.ca/dentistry/undergraduate-teaching-clinic/contact

## 2.5.5.3 Centre for Research in Reproduction and Development

The Research Institute, MUHC Glen Site 1001 Decarie Blvd., E-M0.3509 Montreal QC H4A 3J1 Telephone: 514-207-9887 Email: *crrd@mcgill.ca* For more information, visit *mcgill.ca/crrd* 

# 2.5.5.4 Centre for Research on Brain, Language and Music

3640 rue de la Montagne Montreal QC H3G 2A8 Telephone: 514-398-6962 Email:*info@crblm.ca* For more information, visit *crblm.ca* 

# 2.5.5.5 Ludmer Centre for Neuroinformatics & Mental Health

1010, Sherbrooke Street W., suite 1210 Montréal QC H3A 2R7 Telephone: 514-265-3408 Email: *ludmercentre@mcgill.ca* For more information, visit *mcgill.ca/ludmercentre* 

## 2.5.5.6 McGill Centre for Research in Neuroscience

Montreal General Hospital, Livingston Hall, L7 132 Research Institute of the McGill University Health Centre 1650 Cedar Avenue Montreal QC H3G 1A4 Telephone: 514-934-8094 Fax: 514-934-8216 Contact: *yvonne.gardner@mail.mcgill.ca* For more information, visit *mcgill.ca/crn* 

# 2.5.5.7 McGill Centre for Translational Research in Cancer

Lady Davis Institute for Medical Research Jewish General Hospital 3755 Côte Ste-Catherine Road Montreal QC H3T 1E2 Telephone: 514-340-8222 ext. 28873 Contact: *miriam.santos@ladydavis.ca* For more information, visit *mcgill.ca/translational-research-cancer* 

# 2.5.5.8 McGill Centre for Viral Diseases

Lady Davis Institute, Room F-318 Jewish General Hospital 3999 Côte Ste-Catherine Road Montreal QC H3T 1E2 Telephone: 514-340-8260 Email: mcvd\_admin.fmhs@mcgill.ca For more information, visit mcgill.ca/mcvd

# 2.5.5.9 McGill International TB Centre: PAHO / WHO Collaborating Centre for Tuberculosis Research

Research Institute of the McGill University Health Centre 5252 de Maisonneuve West, Room 3D.58 Montreal Quebec H4A 3S5 Telephone: 514-934-1934, ext. 32128 Fax: 514-484-1424 For more information, visit *mcgill.ca/tb* 

# 2.5.5.10 McGill University Research Centre for Studies in Aging (MCSA)

6825 boulevard LaSalle Verdun QC H4H 1R3 Telephone: 514-766-2010 Email: *info.mcsa@mcgill.ca* For more information, visit *mcsa.ca* 

## 2.5.6 Research Institutes

## 2.5.6.1 Institute of Health Sciences Education

Lady Meredith House 1110 Pine Avenue West, Room 205 Montreal QC H3A 1A3 Telephone: 514-398-4987 Fax: 514-398-7246 Email: *ihse.med@mcgill.ca* Further information is available at *mcgill.ca/ihse* 

## 2.5.6.2 Rosalind and Morris Goodman Cancer Institute

1160 Pine Avenue West Montreal QC H3A 1A3 Telephone: 514-398-3535 Fax: 514 398-5769 Email: *info.gci@mcgill.ca* Further information is available at *mcgill.ca/gci* 

## 2.5.6.3 The Neuro (Montreal Neurological Institute-Hospital)

3801 University Street Montreal QC H3A 2B4 Telephone: 514-398-6644 Email: *infoneur* 

## 2.5.7 Libraries

Access to all of the McGill University library branches and to the library's licensed electronic resources is available to all McGill faculty, staff, and students. Information on locations, opening hours, collections, and services can be found at *mcgill.ca/library*. Several of the library branches are likely to be of particular interest to health sciences users.

## Schulich Library of Physical Sciences, Life Sciences, and Engineering

The Schulich Library is located in the Macdonald-Stewart Library Building. PLEASE NOTE: Library entrance is via the Frank Dawson Adams building, west lobby, near the FDA auditorium. Subject-specialized liaison librarians are available to meet research, learning, and teaching needs of students and staff. More details are available on the Library website.

Macdonald-Stewart Library Building 809 Sherbrooke Street West, PLEASE NOTE: entrance is via the Frank Dawson Adams building, west lobby, near the FDA auditorium Montreal QC H3A 0C1 Telephone: 514-398-4769 Email: *schulich.library@mcgill.ca* Website: *mcgill.ca/library/branches/schulich* 

## Osler Library of the History of Medicine

The Osler Library of the History of Medicine has as its nucleus the 8,000 volumes willed to McGill University in 1919 by Sir William Osler, one of its most famous pupils and teachers. More details are available on the library website.

McIntyre Medical Sciences Building 3655 Promenade Sir William Osler, 3rd Floor Montreal QC H3G 1Y6 T

- Be a graduate of a non-accredited dental program.
- Be a recognized resident of Quebec, Canadian citizen, or permanent resident of Canada.
- Must have successfully completed the Advanced Dental Admission Test (ADAT) between March 1 and August 31, 2024. Please note that results from 2022 and 2023 will also be accepted.
- Have successfully completed the CASPer test by the required deadline. Please refer to *mcgill.ca/dentistry/international-degree-completion/requirements* for more information.
- Demonstrate proficiency in English if the language of instruction was not English (minimum required scores: TOEFL [iBT] 90; IELTS [academic version] 6.5). Your official results must be sent directly by the Board by the deadline.

All candidates applying to our DMD Advanced Standing for Foreign Trained Dentists Pathway must complete the *section 5.2: Compulsory Immunization Program* prior to being permitted to treat patients.

Applications to the DMD Advanced Standing for Foreign Trained Dentists Pathway must be submitted by **September 15**. More information on this program is available at *mcgill.ca/dentistry/dmd-advanced-standing*.

## **Students Enrolled in a Graduate Program**

Students enrolled in the D.M.D. program are not allowed to be registered simultaneously in any other program of study. Thus, students currently enrolled

# 4.3 Dental Regulatory Authorities in Other Provinces

Students are advised to write to the addresses listed below for information whenever they are in doubt as to the regulations of any province in Canada.

## Alberta

Registrar, College of Dental Surgeons of Alberta, Suite 402, 7609 – 109 Street NW, Edmonton AB T6G 1C3 Website: *cdsab.ca* 

## **British Columbia**

Registrar, College of Dental Surgeons of British Columbia, Suite 500 - 1765 West 8th Avenue, Vancouver BC V6J 5C6 Website: *cdsbc.org* 

# Manitoba

Registrar, Manitoba Dental Association, Suite 202-1735 Corydon Avenue, W

Certification must be granted, or fully recognized, by any of the following organizations:

- The Canadian Heart and Stroke Foundation
- The Quebec Heart and Stroke Foundation
- The Canadian Red Cross
- St. John Ambulance Canada
- The American Heart Association
- The American Red Cross

Upload a copy of your certificate to the item on your checklist.

# 5.2 Compulsory Immunization Program

You are required to complete the immunization form for review by McGill's Student Wellness Hub as soon as possible and by no later than July 31 of the year in which you are commencing the undergraduate dental education program. For the purposes of verification of compliance with the immunization requirements, you grant permission to the Admissions Office to securely share your student health information with the Student Wellness Hub.

Locate the Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences tab at the bottom of the *Student Wellness Hub's Vaccines page* to download your immunization form. Upload your completed, signed, and verified form, with all supporting documentation, to the Student Wellness Hub's portal. Once it is reviewed and approved, the Student Wellness Hub will send an email confirming completion of the Immunization Program. You may be required to meet with a Student Wellness Hub representative if follow-up or additional information is required.

Further details are available at mcgill.ca/dentistry/programs/immunization.

## 5.3 Instruments

All Dentistry students must purchase a complete McGill Instrument Kit from the Faculty. See the eCalendar website: *Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences* (Undergraduate) > Health Sciences: General Information > section 2.3: Fees: Health Sciences.

# 6 Registration

## 6.1 New Students

Newly accepted students will be probpvie

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of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences, who has demonstrated common sense, compassion, and excellence in restorative dentistry. Preference will be given to students who are entering the fourth year of the D.M.D. program.

## Dr. Janet Griffin-Merth Scholarship in Dentistry

Established in 2002 through gifts from McGill Dentistry graduates in British Columbia, family and friends, to honour the memory of Janet Griffin-Merth, B.Sc.'67, D.D.S.'72. Janet inspired many with her contributions to McGill and her dedication and compassion toward her patients, staff, and colleagues. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement by the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences to a student who has completed at least one year of the D.M.D. program. Preference shall be given to students from British Columbia.

## Dr. James E.G. Harrison Scholarship in Dentistry

Established in 2001 by James E.G. Harrison, D.D.S.'51. This scholarship will be awarded by the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences Scholarships Committee to a meritorious undergraduate student in the D.M.D. program who demonstrates a firm commitment to the ethical practice of dentistry in interactions with patients and colleagues or in essays on professional conduct and responsibilities. Preference will be given to students who are entering the third or fourth year of the D.M.D. program.

## Dr. Howard S. Katz Scholarship in Dentistry

Established in 2001 through gifts from family, friends and colleagues, to honour the memory of Howard S. Katz, B.Sc.'67, M.Sc.'70, Ph.D.'73, D.D.S.'77, a distinguished graduate of the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences and Associate Dean (Academic) at the time of his death December 11, 1999. The Dr. Howard S. Katz Scholarship commemorates his many contributions to McGill and to the community and, in particular, his dedication to the well-being of students, patients, and colleagues. This scholarship will be awarded by the Faculty of Dentistry to a student who has completed at least one year of the D.M.D. program, on the basis of academic achievement.

## **Dr. Earl Lerner Faculty Scholarship**

Established in 2000 by a generous gift from Dr. Earl Lerner, D.D.S.'63, for an undergraduate student currently enrolled in the D.M.D. program. This Scholarship will be awarded on the basis of high academic achievement, by the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences. Preference will be given to a student entering the second year of the D.M.D. program.

# Dr. William Boroff Scholarship in Dentistry

Established in 2004 through generous gifts from family and the McGill Dentistry Class of 1973 on their 30th Anniversary of graduation to honour the memory of their classmate, Dr. William Boroff. This Scholarship will be awarded by the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences Scholarships Committee to a meritorious undergraduate student in the D.M.D. program who has demonstrated outstanding qualities of character, perseverance, and sportsmanship. Preference will be given to a student who is entering the fourth year of the D.M.D. program.

## Dr. Harry Rosen Scholarship in Dentistry

Established in 2004 by A. Bram Appel, B.Com.'35, and Bluma Appel, in honour of Harry Rosen, D.D.S.'53, a distinguished graduate and Professor Emeritus of the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences. Awarded by the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences Scholarships Committee on the basis of high academic standing to an undergraduate student who has completed at least one year of the D.M.D. program. Preference will be given to a student entering the fourth year of studies in the D.M.D. program.

## **Carol David Scholarship**

Established in 2019 by Lesley A. David, DDS 1993, in honour of her mother, Carol David, for one or more outstanding undergraduate students who have completed at least two years of the D.M.D. Program. Awarded by the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences on the basis of high academic standing and exceptional pre-clinical skills. Renewable provided the holder maintains an academic standing established by the Faculty.

## Rena and Mervyn Gornitsky Scholarship in Dentistry

Established in 2005 by Rena Gornitsky, B.Com.'53, and Mervyn Gornitsky, B.Sc.'51, D.D.S.'53, a distinguished graduate and Professor Emeritus of the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences. This Scholarship will be awarded by the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences Scholarships Committee to an undergraduate student in the D.M.D. program who has demonstrated exceptional academic performance and initiative in the area of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. Preference will be given to a student who is entering the fourth year of the D.M.D. program.

## Dr. Robert Axelrad Award

Established in 2022 by family and friends of Dr. Robert Axelrad. Awarded by the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences on recommendation from faculty and students to one or two students in good academic standing who have demonstrated exceptional warmth and empathy toward patients.

# 7.3.1 First Year

# James Q. Bliss Annual Book Award

Awarded to the student who obtains the highest standing in the Renal Block E.

## Dr. K.I. Melville Award

Awarded to an undergraduate student who has obtained the highest overall standing in the Foundations of Dentistry course in the second year of the dental curriculum.

## Dr. D.P. Mowry Award

Presented to the student attaining the highest overall standing in the second year of the dental curriculum.

## **Mark Nickerson Prize**

Established in 1990 by the Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics in honour of Professor Mark Nickerson, a renowned McGill pharmacologist. Awarded to the student in the Basis of Medicine, who has achieved excellence in the unit on Pathobiology, Treatment and Prevention of Disease and has demonstrated, on the basis of interviews, an understanding of the role of pharmacology and therapeutics in contemporary society. Recipients will also receive a scroll.

## Dr. Arthur S. Solomon Award

Presented to the student attaining the second highest standing in the FMD component of the curriculum.

#### **Sutherland Prize**

Founded in 1878 by the late Mrs. Sutherland in memory of her husband, William Sutherland, M.D., formerly Professor of Chemistry in the Faculty. Awarded to the student who obtains the highest standing in the Basis of Medicine component of the medical undergraduate curriculum.

## 7.3.3 Third Year

## Dr. L.A. Cohn Prize

Awarded to the student attaining the highest standing in Prosthetic Dentistry in the third year of the dental undergraduate program.

### **Pierre Fauchard Academy Prize**

Awarded to the junior Canadian Dental Association Student Governor for demonstrating leadership in the profession.

## Dr. Lyman E. Francis Prize

Awarded to the student in the third year of the program who has obtained the highest standing in the subjects of Dental Pharmacology

## Dr. W.G. Leahy Prize

Awarded to a student in the final year for meritorious achievement in Clinical Dentistry throughout the clinical undergraduate program.

## Dr. Paul A. Marchand and Maurine McNeil Marchand Prize

Awarded to the student in the final year who has demonstrated the highest degree of professionalism and patient management.

## **Dr. James McCutcheon Medal**

Awarded to the member of the graduating class who has demonstrated outstanding qualities of leadership, scholarship, and professional achievement throughout the four years of the program in Dentistry.

## McGill Alumnae Society Prize

Presented upon graduation to a distinguished student for excellence and high academic standing. Preference given to women students.

## Prix Micheline-Blain – ACDQ

Donated by the Quebec Dental Surgeons Association, awarded to a student in the graduating year who has best served the interests of their colleagues throughout the university years.

## Dr. A. Gerald Racey Prize

Awarded to the student in the final year who has excelled in the objective structured clinical examination portion of the final oral and maxillofacial examination.

## Dr. A.W. Thornton Medal

Donated by the Montreal Dental Club, awarded to the student in the final year attaining the highest overall standing in the four years of the dental undergraduate program.

## Prix d'excellence Jean-Robert Vincent

Donated by the Quebec Association for Special Care Dentistry, awarded to a graduating student who attains the highest grade in Geriatric Dentistry.

To be eligible, a student must be able to meet the Canadian F

health-related research and academics, organized dentistry, dental practice, and government, all with a view to addressing the enormous disparities in oral and general health that exist in society today.

## section 9.1.4: Doctor of Dental Medicine (D.M.D.) Dentistry (Four-Year Program) (221 credits)

During the first 16 months of the program, the Fundamentals of Medicine and Dentistry are taught in conjunction with the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences. Students then complete seven months of intense preclinical training followed by two years of clinical training in our brand new state-of-the-art undergraduate teaching clinic. Students rotate through various hospital departments including Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (at the Montreal General Hospital), Paediatric Dentistry (at the Montreal Children's Hospital), the Jim Lund Dental Clinic (at the Welcome Hall Mission in St. Henri), the Alan Edwards Pain Management Unit (at the Montreal General Hospital), and the McGill Pain Centre.

## section 9.1.5: Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) - Dental Preparatory (Dent-P) (30 credits)

The Dent-P Year combines a preparatory year in the Faculty of Science followed by the four-year D.M.D. program in the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences. The objective of the Dent-P Year is to offer students the opportunity to adapt to university-level academics before entering the rigorous curriculum of the D.M.D. program. The Dent-P Year consists of two consecutive semesters of a Bachelor of Science-style curriculum. Students are officially registered in the Faculty of Science during their preparatory year and must complete the required courses and maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average (CGPA) of 3.5 to continue on to the D.M.D. program.

## 9.1.3 Dentistry Admission Requirements and Application Procedures

### 9.1.3.1 Admissions – Undergraduate Program

Application for admission to the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences for the Fall semester (beginning in September) will be available online as of September 1 of the previous year at *mcgill.ca/applying*. Please consult the Faculty's website at *mcgill.ca/dentistry/programs* for the most recent application procedures. All documents, including transcripts and curriculum vitae, must be submitted by the deadlines given below. Each application to the D.M.D. program (four years) or the DENT-P Year (one preparatory year + four-year D.M.D. program) must be accompanied by a non-refundable application fee; please refer to the *Student Accounts* website for fee details.

The Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences encourages students from various backgrounds to apply. Prospective applicants are advised to pursue courses of study—whether in the humanities, the social sciences, or the natural sciences—that appeal to them. The Faculty aims to graduate socially aw

Candidates who have experienced any serious medical or personal difficulty(ies) that had a significant impact on their academic performance may claim "Extenuating Circumstances (EXTC)" on their application. For more instructions: *mcgill.ca/dentistry/4-year-dmd-program/how-apply*.

## Students Enrolled in a Graduate Program

Students enrolled in the D.M.D. program are not allowed to be registered simultaneously in any other program of study. Thus, students currently enrolled in graduate programs are normally expected to apply only when they are in the final year of that program. To be eligible for admission, graduate students applying to the four-year D.M.D. program must hav

The CASPer test is comprised of 12 sections of video and written scenarios. Following each scenario, you will be required to answer a set of probing questions under a time contract. Each response is graded by a dif

The Admissions Committee has decided to remove the Dental Aptitude Test (DAT) as a requirement for entry in the undergraduate dental programs (DMD and DENT-P) for Fall 2023 and Fall 2024. The use of the DAT for future cycles is currently under review. Please refer to *mcgill.ca/dentistry/dent-p-program/requirements* for further information.

## Applicants not Admissible to the Dent-P Year:

- Applicants who are completing a Diploma of Collegial Studies (DEC) in more than two years (with the exception of certain students taking a "double DEC" or those enrolled in an approved *Sports Études* program);
- Applicants who have already obtained a Diploma of Collegial Studies, who are or have registered in an undergraduate degree program, or who have completed an undergraduate degree are not eligible.
- Applicants who have an IB Diploma from LCC or Grade 12 from Stanstead College.

## Exceptions are made for:

- Students entering a remedial program before their first DEC program.
- Students who, from the onset of collegial studies, were enrolled in another pre-university DEC program for up to 1 year and, without interruption, transferred into one of the approved Science DEC programs. The total duration of DEC studies must not exceed 3 years. All other eligibility requirements apply. The final determination of eligibility will be made by the Admissions Office only once the official application and all supporting documents are submitted.
- Students enrolled in a Sport-études program. Such applicants must submit the designated Sport-études form which describes in detail all relevant sport activities. A sub-committee will determine the eligibility of these students.
- Students who completed a DEC in Dental Hygiene (in Quebec), and after completion, enrolled into one of the approved Science DEC programs. The completion of both programs must not exceed 5 years. The final determination of eligibility will be made by the Admissions Office only once the official application and all supporting documents are submitted.

You may be eligible to apply for the DMD program. Please refer to mcgill.ca/dentistry/4-year-dmd-program/requirements for more information.

## 9.1.4 Doctor of Dental Medicine (D.M.D.) Dentistry (Four-Year Program) (221 credits)

IPEA 501	(0)	Communication in Interprofessional Teams
Year 2 DMD		
DENT 213D1	(.5)	Community Oral Health Services 2
DENT 213D2	(.5)	Community Oral Health Services 2
DENT 222D1	(1.5)	Radiology
DENT 222D2	(1.5)	Radiology
DENT 225D1	(1)	Oral Health Research 2
DENT 225D2	(1)	Oral Health Research 2
DENT 231	(2)	Professional Identity Development
DENT 232	(3)	Dental Public Health A
DENT 240	(3)	Dental Anatomy and Occlusion
DENT 241	(3)	Cariology
DENT 242J1	(2)	Restorative Dentistry (Operative)
DENT 242J2	(2)	Restorative Dentistry (Operative)
DENT 242J3	(2)	Restorative Dentistry (Operative)
DENT 243	(4)	Endodontics A
DENT 244D1	(2)	Pediatric Dentistry A
DENT 244D2	(2)	Pediatric Dentistry A
DENT 245D1	(2)	Restorative Dentistry (Fixed Prosthodontics)
DENT 245D2	(2)	Restorative Dentistry (Fixed Prosthodontics)
DENT 246D1	(1.5)	Management of Partial Edentulism
DENT 246D2	(1.5)	Management of Partial Edentulism
DENT 247D1	(1.5)	Management of Complete Edentulism
DENT 247D2	(1.5)	Management of Complete Edentulism
DENT 248	0	
DENT 249D1	(2)	Introduction to Development and Orthodontics
DENT 249D2	(2)	Introduction to Development and Orthodontics
DENT 250D1	(3)	Introduction to Clinical Care
DENT 250D2	(3)	Introduction to Clinical Care
Year 3 DMD		
DENT 307D1	(1)	Business Aspects of Dentistry
DENT 307D2	(1)	Business Aspects of Dentistry
DENT 309J1	(1.67)	Implantology
DENT 309J2	(1.67)	Implantology
DENT 309J3	(1.66)	Implantology
DENT 313D1	(1.5)	Community Oral Health Services 3
DENT 313D2	(1.5)	Community Oral Health Services 3
DENT 315J1	(2)	Orthodontics 1
DENT 315J2	(2)	Orthodontics 1
DENT 315J3	(2)	Orthodontics 1

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DENT 415D2	(3.5)	Orthodontics 2
DENT 418D1	(1)	Periodontology Seminar
DENT 418D2	(1)	Periodontology Seminar
DENT 420	(3)	Restorative Dentistry Seminars
DENT 423D1	(2)	Oral Maxillofacial Surgery and Pathology
DENT 423D2	(2)	Oral Maxillofacial Surgery and Pathology
DENT 437	(3)	Clinical Decision Making
DENT 438D1	(1.5)	Management of Orofacial Pain
DENT 438D2	(1.5)	Management of Orofacial Pain
DENT 443D1	(.5)	Endodontics C
DENT 443D2	(.5)	Endodontics C
DENT 444D1	(.5)	Pediatric Dentistry C
DENT 444D2	(.5)	Pediatric Dentistry C
DENT 446D1	(.5)	Ethics and Jurisprudence A
DENT 446D2	(.5)	Ethics and Jurisprudence A
DENT 450D1	(3.5)	Clinical Practice 2
DENT 450D2	(3.5)	Clinical Practice 2
DENT 451D1	(.5)	Focused Clinical Training
DENT 451D2	(.5)	Focused Clinical Training

# 9.1.5 Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) - Dental Preparatory (Dent-P) (30 credits)

The five-year program consists of a Dental Preparatory (Dent-P) year followed by the regular four-year dental program. During the Dent-P year

## 9.2.1.1 About General Practice Residency Program

The GPR program offers advanced postgraduate training in all aspects of general practice dentistry. Residents are exposed to a wide variety of dental and related medical specialties. The program also includes practical training in oral conscious sedation and certification in Basic Life Support (BLS) and Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS).

section 9.2.3: Certificate (Cert.) General Practice Residency Program (Dentistry) (52 credits)

McGill University has been training leaders in dentistry in Canada, the United States, and other countries for over 100 years. The Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences' General Practice Residency Program is the largest in the country with a current enrolment of 23. Throughout this one-year training program, residents will be e

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## Please be sure to include your McGill I.D. number on ALL supporting documents.

## 1. Official Transcripts of all previous university education

If offered admission, at that time, students must make arrangements with their college and/or university to send official transcripts to McGill.

Official copies of transcripts can be sent to the McGill Documentation Centre:

McGill University – Enrolment Services Student Records 3415 McTavish Street Room MS 13 Montreal QC H3A 0C8 CANADA

Important: Official transcripts sent to McGill University become the property of the University and will not be returned or forwarded to other institutions.

Current McGill University students are **not** required to send transcripts by mail. McGill's admitting office obtains these directly. All other applicants must make arrangements with their college and/or university to send official transcripts to McGill.

## 2. Three Reference Letters

- One from the Dean of your school
- Two letters of reference from the dental professors (referees) who are familiar with your academic ability and who have agreed to provide references

## 3. Personal Statement

If applying to multiple sites, an additional personal statement is required for the MUHC Montreal Children's Hospital and should be addressed to: Program Director (Department of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences), 1040 Atwater Street, Montreal, QC, H3Z 1X3. Upload this additional personal statement on the submission platform.



Note: All documents submitted to McGill University in support of an application to be admitted—including, but not limited to transcripts, diplomas, letters of reference, and test scores—become the property of McGill University and will not be returned to the applicant or forwarded to another institution.

Make sure to include your name and McGill ID number with each submission.

## 9.2.2.3 Application Dates and Deadlines

All applications to the GPR program must be completed online. The application period starts on **August 1** and ends **September 15**; for more information, see *mcgill.ca/dentistry/general-residency-program/apply-now*.

## 9.2.3 Certificate (Cert.) General Practice Residency Program (Dentistry) (52 credits)

The General Practice Residency (GPR) program offers advanced postgraduate training in all aspects of general practice dentistry. Residents are exposed to a wide variety of dental and related medical specialties. The program also includes practical training in oral conscious sedation and certification in Basic Life Support (BLS) and in Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS).

Selection of residents is based on academic standing and personal interviews. Applicants must be graduates of an accredited Canadian or U.S. dental school and be eligible for licensure in Quebec.

Candidates who have not graduated from high school in the province of Quebec must have successfully fulfilled the French language requirements of the Office québécois de la langue française before applying. For more information, please consult the following website: www.mcgill.ca/dentistry/general-residency-program.

## **Required Courses**

DENT 575	(18)	Dental Residency Training 1
DENT 576	(17)	Dental Residency Training 2
DENT 577	(17)	Dental Residency Training 3
DENT 578	(0)	Community Practice Rotations

# 9.3 Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

## 9.3.1 Location

Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Montreal General Hospital 1650 Cedar Avenue, Room B3.119 Montreal QC H3G 1A4 Canada Email: *omfs.dentistry@mcgill.ca* Website: *mcgill.ca/dentistry* 

# 9.3.2 About Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

The Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery offers the following programs:

- Certificate in Oral Surgery Internship
- Certificate in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
- Integrated MDCM-OMFS Residency Program
- An ad hoc Fellowship in Maxillofacial Oncology and Microvascular Reconstruction.

For more details about the Fellowship in Maxillofacial Oncology and Microvascular Reconstruction, please contact the division's Student Affairs Administrator, *omfsprogram.dentistry@mcgill.ca* directly.

## section 9.3.4: Certificate (Cert.) Oral Surgery Internship (52 credits)

The Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery offers a one-year Internship in Oral Surgery and a two-year Internship in Oral Surgery. The program is designed to allow dental graduates a chance to gain greater experience in dentoalveolar surgery and other oral surgical activities. The intern works closely with the OMFS residents throughout the year, sharing responsibilities with the junior OMFS residents. The one-year Internship in Oral Surgery is offered to Canadian citizens or permanent residents who have graduated from an accredited North American dental School. The two-year Internship in Oral Surgery is a non-funded program and is offered to candidates who are graduates of programs that have a contractual sponsorship agreement through the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences, and is not open to all candidates.

section 9.3.5: Certificate (Cert.) Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (4-year program) (144 credits)

The four-year Certificate in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery is a non-funded program and is only offered to candidates who are graduates of programs that have a contractual sponsorship agreement through the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences, McGill University, and is not open to all candidates.

## section 9.3.6: Certificate (Cert.) Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery (Integrated O.M.F.S. & M.D., C.M.)

McGill University, through the faculties of Medicine and Health Sciences and Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences, offers a joint M.D.,C.M./OMFS Program. Upon successful completion of this six-year program, students will receive an M.D.,C.M. degree from the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences and a Certificate in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery from the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences. The program is fully-accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of Canada. The M.D.,C.M. degree is fully accredited by the Liaison Committee for Medical Education and the Council on Accreditation of Canadian Medical Schools.

# 9.3.3 Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Admission Requirements and Application Procedures

## 9.3.3.1 Admissions Requirements

Please visit *mcgill.ca/dentistry/programs* or contact the division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery of the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences at *omfsprogram.dentistry@mcgill.ca* for admission requirements.

## 9.3.3.2 Application Procedures

McGill's online application for Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery program candidates are available at mcgill.ca/omfs/academic-programs.

**Note:** All applications for OMFS programs must be completed *online*.

# **Required Documents**

1. Transcripts of all previous university education;

Applicants must upload copies of their unofficial transcripts.

Our Admissions Office reserves the right to require official academic records at any time during the admissions process, and rescind any offer of admission made if discrepancies between unofficial and official record(s) are found. Official transcripts uploaded or sent to McGill University become property of the University and will not be returned or forwarded to other institutions.

2. A minimum of three reference reports or letters;

**3.** CV;

4. Letter of intent/personal statement; and

5.

DENT 585J2	(4)	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Clinical and Seminars
DENT 585J3	(4)	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Clinical and Seminars

\* DENT 583J1, DENT 583J2 and DENT 583J3 together are equivalent to DENT 583.

## 9.3.6 Certificate (Cert.) Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery (Integrated O.M.F.S. & M.D.,C.M.)

McGill University, through the Faculty of Dental Medicine and Oral Health Sciences, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, and the McGill University Health Centre, offers an advanced education program in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. The program is fully accredited by the Canadian Dental Association Accreditation Committee. It is a six-year program and commences on July 1 of each year.

It is the intent of the program to develop both well-trained, practising oral and maxillofacial surgeons, and surgeons who pursue academic careers and research. All residents will also complete an M.D.,C.M. degree through the McGill School of Medicine. For the full M.D.,C.M. curriculum please refer to www.mcgill.ca/study/faculties/medicine/undergraduate/programs/mdcm-doctor-medicine-and-master-surgery

Currently the six-year M.D.,C.M. & OMFS program is only open to dentists who are Canadian citizens or permanent residents of Canada, and have graduated from an accredited North American dental school. Candidates for this program must possess a D.D.S. or D.M.D. degree or the equivalent and be eligible to obtain a limited dental license from the Ordre des dentistes du Québec. (A limited license can be issued by the Ordre des dentistes du Québec without prior testing of French language competency.)

## 9.4 Graduate and Postgraduate Programs

Some **postgraduate** programs are listed in the Professional section, under:

- section 9.2: General Practice Residency Program
- section 9.3: Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

For information regarding other Graduate and Postgraduate programs, refer to the Faculty of Dental Medicine & Oral Health Sciences' *Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies* section.

## 9.5 Continuing Dental Education

The Faculty sponsors courses in Continuing Dental Education, which are recognized for Continuing Dental Education credits by dental licensing bodies.

Generally, the Faculty offers a series of courses in various clinical and basic sciences related to dentistry. These are provided in both small and larger group sessions to enhance the learning process. The courses are designed to meet the needs of dental practitioners and researchers, to keep them abreast of current concepts and practices, and to make them aware of recent advances in dental science.

A list of such courses and events is updated regularly; please consult mcgill.ca/dentistry/continuing-education.