

## Dental Technician - Senior

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### Role Details

<b>Role Title</b>	Dental Technician	<b>Classification</b>	HP3
<b>Status</b>	Permanent Part Time (Up to 44 hours per fortnight)	<b>Salary</b>	\$42.40 - \$56.89 p.h.
<b>Unit/Facility</b>	Oral Health Services	<b>Total Package</b>	Up to \$74,514 p.a.
<b>Location</b>	Gladstone	<b>Contact</b>	Shelda Holman (07) 4920 7552
<b>Job Ad Reference</b>	GL4G575808	<b>Closing Date</b>	Tuesday, 23 July 2024

\*Please note: there may be a requirement to work at other facilities located across Central Queensland Hospital and Health Service

### Oral Health

We provide a range of free dental services to eligible people living in Central Queensland. We provide services for adults in community dental clinics and children in mobile dental vans or school clinics.

### The Opportunity

To perform complex and diverse technical tasks with minimal supervision in the provision of quality technical oral health services to clients to CQHHS Oral Health Services.

### Total Package

- 12.75% employer superannuation contribution
- Annual leave loading 17.5%
- Salary packaging
- Work/life balance, variety, and flexibility
- Employee Assistance Program

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Living our values

<b>Care</b>	We are attentive to individual needs and circumstance	<b>Integrity</b>	We are consistently true, act diligently and lead by example
<b>Respect</b>	We will behave with courtesy, dignity and fairness in all we do	<b>Commitment</b>	We will always do the best we can all of the time

## The Role

- Perform a diverse range of complex technical tasks, in a multidisciplinary team, performed to a consistently high standard while contributing to the day-to-day service requirements of their technical sphere of responsibility.
- Independently solve more complex technical issues with minimal supervision and take responsibility for work within their given technical domain without regular supervision.
- Contribute to the maintenance of clean and hygienic laboratory conditions, including the individual work area and participate in daily laboratory cleaning duties.
- Prioritise work to meet daily work requirements as directed by Dental Technicians Team Leader.
- Maintain effective communication with staff of all levels to achieve organisational goals.
- Actively contribute to a positive Oral Health team environment, working cooperatively including the acceptance of changes in procedures, processes, organisational goals, and changes in technologies.
- Participate in the development of procedures and technical practice initiatives, including quality and service improvement activities to continually improve patient care.

## Mandatory Qualifications / Professional Registration / Other Requirements

- **Mandatory qualification/s:** Diploma of Dental Technology through Southbank TAFE or relevant recognised equivalent qualification.
- **Proof of identity documents:** Candidates must provide certified copies of requested proof of identity documents for the purposes of General Criminal History and National Police Certificate checks.
- **Proof of qualification:** Appointment to this position requires proof of qualification and if applicable registration or membership with the appropriate registration authority or association. Certified copies of the required information must be provided to the appropriate supervisor/manager, prior to the commencement of clinical duties.
- **Aged care criminal history clearance:** Potential applicants are advised that the *Aged Care Act 1997* requires Queensland Health employees and volunteers of aged care services (applicable areas only) to have a current National Police Certificate. Queensland Health will facilitate the applicants obtaining the above check.
- **Disclosure of Serious Disciplinary History:** Under the [Public Sector Act 2022](#), applicants are required to disclose any previous serious disciplinary action taken against them.
- **Shift work:** Appointees will be required to work all shifts in accordance with the unit roster.
- **Licence to operate vehicle:** This position requires the incumbent to operate a class C motor vehicle and an appropriate licence endorsement to operate this vehicle is required. Proof of this endorsement must be provided prior to the commencement of duty.
- **Travel:** Travel throughout the health service may be required as part of this position.
- **Vaccine Preventable Diseases:** It is a condition of employment for this role for the employee to be, and remain, vaccinated against the following vaccine preventable diseases during their employment [Health Employment Directive No. 01/16](#):
  - Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)
  - Varicella (chicken pox)
  - Pertussis (whooping cough)
  - Hepatitis B
  - All new employees who will be working in clinical areas must be assessed for their risk of tuberculosis and screening undertaken if required.Further vaccinations may be required due to risks for a role; examples include:
  - Hepatitis A – Workers in regular contact with untreated sewerage
  - Q Fever – Research or Laboratory staff regularly handling specimens

- Influenza

### How you will be Assessed

You will be assessed on your ability to demonstrate the best fit for the role. Within the context of the responsibilities described under 'The Role', the ideal applicant will be someone who can demonstrate the following:

- Demonstrated knowledge and experience in the provision of high-quality dental technician services.
- Demonstrated ability to attain and continually develop technical knowledge and skills in dental prosthetics.
- Proven high level oral and written communication skills including the ability to liaise and work within a multidisciplinary team.
- Well-developed ability to identify opportunities for improvement and a demonstrated commitment to continuous quality improvement.

### Organisational Chart

