

Dental School Application Workshop

May 10, 2017

Preprofessional Advising

Application Timeline

- June 1: AADSAS Opens (\$245, \$99/school)
- July : Secondary Application
- Aug.-Nov.: Interviews
- Dec. 1: Acceptance notifications
 - Jan.- Mar.: Second round of application & interviews

Before application, you can...

- Request LOR (Get business card)
- Create a resume or fill out Predental Planner
- Write a draft of Personal Statement (PS)
- Study for the DAT
- Research about Dental Schools

Create Resume / Fill out Pre dental Planner

- List up all of the activities you have involved since you graduated from HS
- Think about 1) Challenges you faced and 2) lessons you learned from challenges.
- Check with dentists and volunteer organizations about hours.

AADSAS APPLICATION

When you create an account....

- Enter course list
 - Save “Transcript Matching Form”
 - Request transcript online
 - Attach “Transcript Matching Form” & write on the special instruction section that the form needs to be attached to the transcript.
- Enter evaluator’s information

Order Transcripts

- Visit

<http://registrar.utah.edu/transcripts/order-transcript.php>

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

Student Affairs

[Home](#) / [Transcripts & Verifications](#) / Order Your Official Transcript

Order Your Official Transcript

[What's on a Transcript?](#) | [How much will a Transcript cost?](#) | [Should I order an electronic or hard copy?](#)

Order Online

If you have a uNID, you can order your official transcript and have it delivered electronically in as little as 15 minutes! Orders without a uNID and hardcopy transcripts will be processed within 1-3 business days.

[ORDER YOUR TRANSCRIPT ONLINE](#)

[\(Lookup your uNID](#) | [Reset your password](#) | [Don't have a uNID?\)](#)

1. Login or Register


2. Select Documents

3. Order Details

4. Provide Consent

5. Payment

6. Review Order

Where would you like your document(s) sent?

Start by searching for your destination:
Institution Name, Acronym, Location, or Email

 SEARCH

1 Matches Found:

INSTITUTION	EMAIL	LOCATION	
AADSAS		Watertown, MA, US	SELECT

Not finding your destination?

You can enter a destination manually by using a physical address or an Email address

[ENTER YOUR OWN](#)

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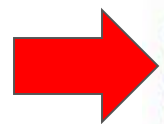
Select Product Type



eTranscript

Order an official, certified PDF of your transcript. Orders are generally processed within a few business days (Allow additional processing time for high volume periods). Please confirm with the...

\$10.00



Paper Transcript - Mailed

Order an official paper copy of your transcript. Orders are generally processed within a few business days (Allow additional processing time for high volume periods). NOTES: Transcripts will not be...

\$10.00



Paper Transcript - Pickup

Order an official paper copy of your transcript. Orders are generally processed within a few business days (Allow additional processing time for high volume periods). NOTES: Transcripts will not be...

\$10.00

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Product Description

Order an official paper copy of your transcript. Orders are generally processed within a few business days (Allow additional processing time for high volume periods).

NOTES:

- Transcripts will not be processed for those with restrictions or holds placed on their account.

Destination:

AADSAS
Watertown, MA 02471-9110

Document Name:

Paper Transcript - Mailed - \$10.00

Address

Mailing Name: *

(Institution, Building, Person, etc.)

Mailing Country: *

Mailing Address 1: *

(Extra information use Mailing Address 2 and 3)

Mailing Address 2:

Mailing Address 3:

Mailing City: *

 **Valid address:** This address has been validated. Please continue. 

Order Options

Processing Time 

Holds are for current term only


Mailing Method

Standard (USPS) 

Attachment (Optional)

No file chosen
Upload supporting document

Purpose for Transcript (Optional)

Graduate/Professional School 

Quantity:

* (Max: 10)

Total \$10.00

How to request LOR

- Contact your professors and dentists
- Provide as much information as possible
- Give at least 3 weeks notice
- Get their business card
- Input their information as soon as you have access to AADSAS
- FOLLOW UP!

Application Coversheet

- Summarizes items on the coversheet include applicant identifying information, GPA calculations for each course subject designation, DAT scores, undergraduate and graduate degree information for schools and up to three pre-selected professional experiences.

AADSAS Applicant Coversheet

ADEA AADSAS 2015 Application Coversheet

				Review Full Application on Following Pages			
AADSAS ID: [redacted] [redacted]				Mini Resume (up to 3 entries selected by applicant)			
DENTPIN: 96877674 Preferred phone: [redacted]				Awards, Honors, Scholarships			
Applic. Submitted: 02/02/2016 Re-applicant? No				Cal Opportunity Scholarship 09/2003			
Personal				John Hensli Scholarship 05/2012			
Gender: Female	DOB: 02/21/1984	Age: 30		Co-Author, Journal Article 06/2013			
Citizenship: United States	Birth Country: China			Dentistry Experience			
High School: Abraham Lincoln High				Hours	total hours	678	
US Visa Status:	H.S. City: San Francisco			Volunteer Dr. Luis Diaz, General Dentist	100	07/2011-12/2011	
State Legal Res.: California	Years State Leg. Res.: 14			Lead Volunteer, Dental Hygiene Educator Jason Pokorny, General Dentist	200	02/2010-10/2010	
Ethnicity: Hispanic?	Race:			Director of Dental Programming, Outreach Brittany Derieg	300	01/2014-12/2014	
Languages: Cantonese, Mandarin				Other			
Parents: highest educational level attained/occupation				Extrascholastic/Volunteer/Community Service			
parent/guardian 1: High School Graduate or Less	Home Parent			total hours	1648		
parent/guardian 2: Associate's Degree or Certificate	Not Reported			Co-Chair, CORPORATE ASIAN AMERICAN EMPLOYEE NETWORK		01/2014-	
Relatives in dental profession? No				Scholarship Committee Member, Secretary, Kaiser Permanente Asian Association		04/2012-	
Wish to be considered disadvantaged? Yes	Military Experience: No			Marketing Consulting Project Manager, Asian Liver Center-Stanford University		01/2014-04/2014	
GPA, cumulative, all Undergrad coursework				Work Experience			
	credits	inc ++	w/o ++	credits	GPA	total hours	8200
BCP	200.00	3.29	3.30	Bo	146.00	3.34	
				Sr. Research Assistant, Kaiser Permanente		03/2009-09/2014	
				Medical Interpreter, Kaiser Permanente		09/2014-	

Professional Experience

- This section allows applicants to report their experiences in lieu of a physical resume. Applicants should update their resumes for personal use. Applicants should record only experiences obtained during college.
- Each section has 600 character limit.
- Applicants should only list each experience in one category. The categories of information applicants can provide are:

Professional Experience (Cont.)

- Academic Enrichment Programs: Programs sponsored by colleges, universities or other not-for-profit organizations (e.g., Summer Medical and Dental Education Program (SMDEP)).
- Awards, Honors, Scholarship (Limit of 4): College accomplishments are given priority by many admissions committees.

Professional Experience (Cont.)

- Dentistry Experience (Limit of 10): Applicants need to provide a brief description of the activity, including start and end dates, and indicate whether the position was paid, volunteer, job shadowing, or other.
- Extracurricular/volunteer/Community Service (Limit of 10)

Professional Experience (Cont.)

- Research Experience (Limit of 5): Formal research programs, including those sponsored by universities.
- Work Experience (Including Military Service) (Limit of 5): Current military experiences should include anticipated discharge date and type of discharge.

- Tip: Applicants are responsible for selecting up to 6 professional experience to be displayed on the ADEA AADSASA application coversheet. All experiences will be displayed in the body of the application, regardless of selection.

Professional Experience Section

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- Academic Enrichment Programs
- Awards, Honors, and Scholarships (limit 5)
- Dentistry/Shadowing Experience (limit 10)
- Extracurricular/Volunteer/Community Service (limit 10)
- Research Experience (limit 5)
- Work Experience (including Military Service) (limit 5)

+ ADD NEW ENTRY

Academic Enrichment Programs

Name Of Program	Brief Description	Total Number Of Hours	Month Of Start Date	Year Of Start Date	Month Of End Date	Year Of End Date	Update/Delete	Flag For PDF Coversheet?
AADSAS	test	25	January	2009	February	2009	 	 Remove from Coversheet

Awards, Honors, Scholarships

Name Of Award, Honor Or Scholarship	Sponsoring Organization	Date Received Or Awarded: Month	Date Received Or Awarded: Year	Update/Delete	Flag For PDF Coversheet?
Johnson Scholarship	JDE	May	2011	 	Include on Coversheet

Dentistry / Shadowing Experience

Name Of Supervisor	Position Title	Type Of Dentistry Observed	Brief Description Of Activities	Total Number Of Hours	Position Type	Month Of Start Date	Year Of Start Date	Month Of End Date	Year Of End Date	Update/Delete	Flag For PDF Coversheet?
Parcie Johnson	Director of Finance	Other	test	56	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer • Job Shadowing 	August	2012	November	2012	 	Include on Coversheet

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Write PS draft (4500 characters w/space)

- WHY do you want to be a dentist?
- HOW do you want to help people through dentistry in the future?
- WHY do you have to be a dentist?
- Do you have any evidence that can support your argument?

Find the Best Dental School for You!

- What are you looking for?
 - Early Patient Exposure
 - Smaller vs. Large Class Size
 - Urban vs. Suburbs
 - Newer vs. Traditional
 - Research Opportunity

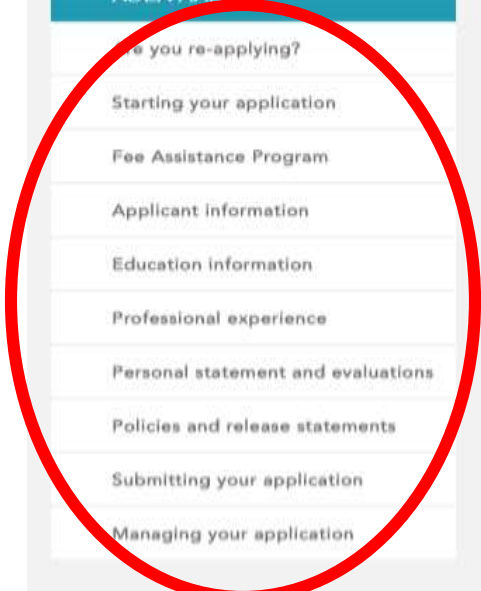
GPA and DAT Score

- All courses will count towards GPA calculation
- You can take DAT up to 3 times in your LIFE TIME
- Average vs. Minimum GPA and DAT Score

AADSAS (www.adea.org)



- Preparing for dental school
- The admissions process
- The application to dental school: ADEA AADSAS**



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THE APPLICATION TO DENTAL SCHOOL: ADEA AADSAS

The ADEA Associated American Dental Schools Application Service (ADEA AADSAS®) is the centralized application service for U.S. dental schools. ADEA AADSAS simplifies the application process, allowing you to save time and energy by completing just one application for multiple dental schools.

ADEA AADSAS 2017 APPLICATION CYCLE OPENS JUNE 1, 2016

Time left until ADEA AADSAS OPENS

8	:	04	:	27	:	44
DAYS		HOURS		MINUTES		SECONDS

All U.S. dental schools participate in ADEA AADSAS and require it as the primary application. **Texas residents applying to Texas dental schools**, though, will need to apply through the [Texas Medical & Dental Schools Application Service \(TMDSAS\)](#).

Foreign-educated dental graduates interested in completing an advanced standing program at a U.S. dental school will need to apply through the [ADEA Centralized Application for Advanced Placement for International Dentists \(CAAPID\)](#).

REMEMBER:

- Read all of the [ADEA AADSAS application instructions](#) carefully before you apply. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to

Virtual Fair (May 21 & June 15)

2017 ADEA GoDental Virtual
Fairs

Exhibitors

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2017 ADEA GODENTAL VIRTUAL FAIRS

2017 ADEA GoDental Virtual Fairs

May 21, 2017, 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. ET and June 15, 2017, 2:00 - 8:00 p.m. ET

ONLINE EVENT

[Register for Virtual Fairs](#)

Thinking about applying to dental school? Want to learn more about dentistry? The 2017 ADEA GoDental Virtual Fairs are two days of FREE, LIVE, ONLINE events where prospective applicants can visit multiple virtual dental school booths—without travel or registration fees.

On Sunday, May 21, login for **ADEA AADSAS® Prep Day Live** which includes:

- Presentations about the ADEA Associated American Dental Schools Application Service (ADEA AADSAS), the Dental Admission Test (DAT) and the dental school application process;
- Live chat sessions with a loan repayment strategist and representatives from ADEA AADSAS customer service and the Fee Assistance Program (FAP);
- Opportunities to browse and download brochures, videos and dental school information.

On Thursday, June 15, login for **Dental School Chat Day Live** which includes:

- Admissions representatives from over 45 U.S. dental schools;
- Presentations about financing a dental education, the psychology of the dental school interview, letters of recommendation,

Email your questions to
ppa@uc.utah.edu