

NOTICE: CE Audit Update & Final Deadlines

The South Carolina Board of Dentistry thanks the many licensees who completed their continuing education (CE) requirements by March 1, 2025. Your timely response supports patient safety and upholds South Carolina's professional licensure standards.

As part of the Board's statutory responsibility to ensure ongoing competency, a routine CE audit was conducted using CE Broker, the system required for CE tracking. Some licensees remain non-compliant with this audit. Those licensees must act immediately to avoid license suspension.

Final Opportunity for Non-Compliant Licensees

Non-compliant licensees have previously been offered a non-disciplinary consent agreement, which requires payment of a \$500 administrative sanction, and completion of all missing CE hours within 30 days of signing.

The Board has now issued one final extension.

Required Actions for Non-Compliant Licensees by December 17, 2025

1. Submit your signed consent agreement and \$500 administrative sanction to the Board office.
2. Complete any missing CE hours.
3. Upload all CE documentation into CE Broker.

Increased Sanctions After December 17, 2025

At its October 31, 2025 meeting, the Board voted to impose increased disciplinary sanctions for any licensee who fails to comply with the audit requirements by December 17, 2025. These sanctions include:

- Public reprimand (reportable to the NPDB and posted on the Board's website)
- \$5,000 monetary sanction for dentists or \$1,500 for dental hygienists and technicians
- Completion of all missing or incomplete CE within 30 days of signing the new consent agreement

License Suspension or Cancellation after January 16, 2026

Beginning January 16, 2026, any licensee who remains non-compliant may face license suspension or cancellation. Reinstatement may require a Board appearance.

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