

Announcing the Delta Dental Loan Repayment Program!

An extension of the Virginia State Loan Repayment Program (VA-SLRP)



Despite significant dental workforce shortages, oral health remains an essential need in many Virginia communities. The Delta Dental of Virginia Foundation is committed to addressing these shortfalls with a one-year student loan repayment program designed to help Virginia dentists and dental hygienists in exchange for 12 months of service with a safety-net clinic.



Who is eligible?

- A licensed dentist or dental hygienist in good standing;
- Working full-time (32 hours per week minimum);
- Have a valid and unrestricted license to practice in Virginia; and
- Agree to serve at least one additional year in a free or hybrid clinic or a federallyqualified health center in a Health Professional Shortage Area in Virginia (HPSA).



Up to \$10,000 for hygienists

How to apply

Click here to access the application.

Applications are open August 1 to October 15, 2022. For questions, contact Olivette Burroughs at olivette.burroughs@vdh.virginia.gov or 804.864.7435.



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