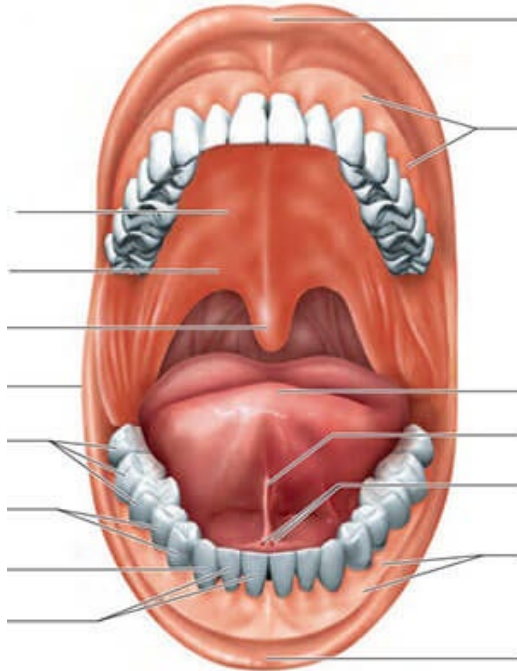


ADOH Practice Examination Questions

Question 1

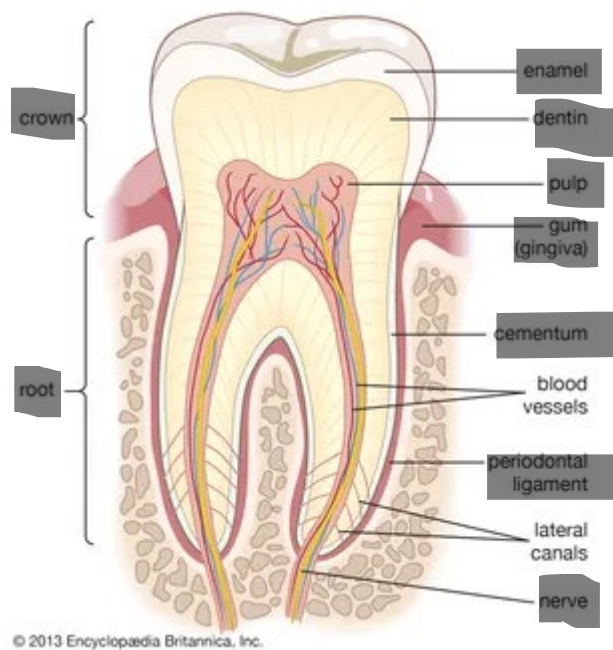
Match each oral structure to its most appropriate anatomical location:



- Upper lip
- Gingivae
- Hard palate
- Soft palate
- Tongue
- Lingual frenum
- Lower lip
- Sublingual caruncles
- Incisors
- Canine
- Premolars
- Molars
- Cheek

Question 2

Using the key provided, select the correct parts of the tooth



- Nerve fibres
- Lateral canals
- Root
- Crown
- Enamel
- Dentine
- Cementum
- Pulp
- Gingiva
- Periodontal ligament
- Frenum
- Mucosa

Question 3

A radiograph is blurred and not diagnostically acceptable.

Describe the actions you would take to manage this situation.

Question 4

Please refer to this image and answer the following questions



1. What surface/s is the cavity present on the 46?
 2. Which tooth/teeth have a composite restoration?
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Question 5

Identify the signs and symptoms of acute gingival inflammation.

- A) May be tender or painful
- B) Lasts for a short period of time
- C) Bleeding on probing
- D) Enlarged and/or fibrotic gingival tissues due to excess collagen fibres
- E) May last for months or years
- F) Dark red or purple in colour
- G) Fluid in the gingival connective tissues
- H) Bright red or purple in colour

Question 6

You accidentally dropped an instrument on the floor while preparing the operatory for the next patient.

Outline the steps you would take to manage this.

Question 7

Using the Federation Dentaire Internationale (FDI) notation system, identify:

- a) Upper left canine
- b) Lower right first molar
- c) Upper right second premolar
- d) Lower left d
- e) Upper right c

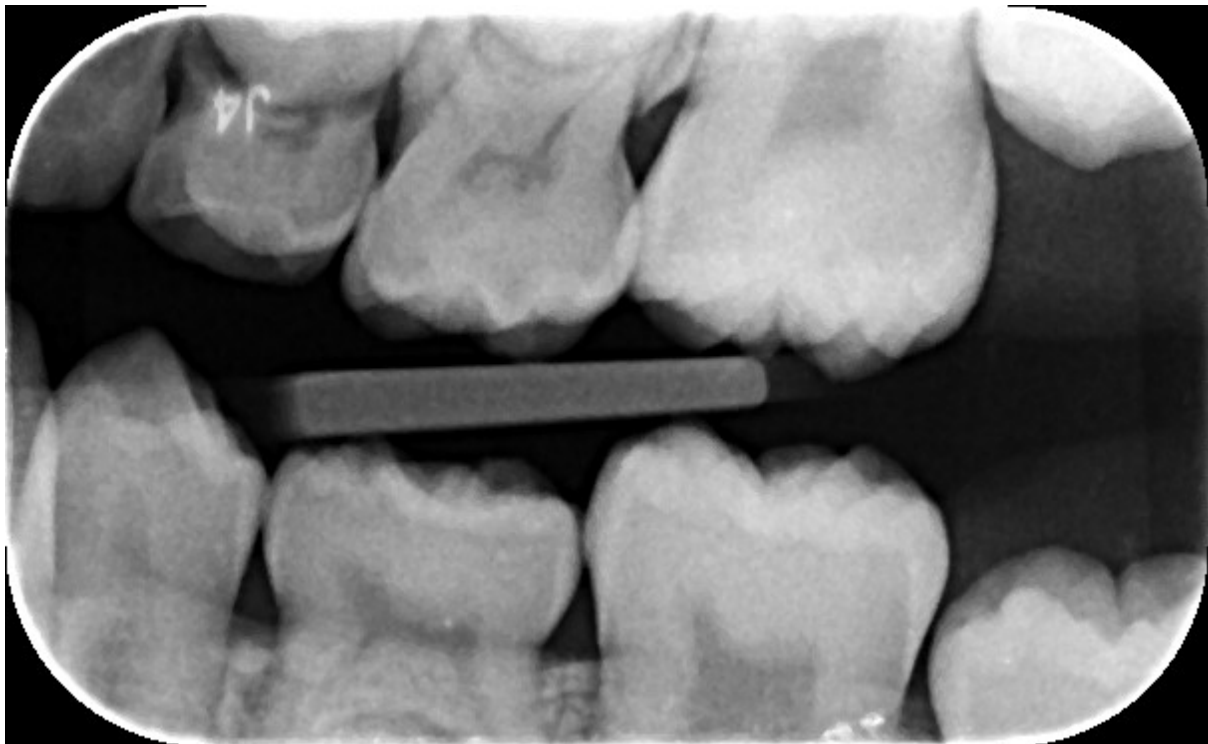
Question 8

A patient tells you they do not see the value in regular dental visits because they have no pain.

How would you explain the importance of preventive oral healthcare?

Question 9

Using Federation Dentaire Internationale (FDI) charting system, identify **all** teeth present on the radiograph.



Question 10

You are applying for a place in the Advanced Diploma of Oral Health (Dental Hygiene) Program (ADOH). Please address the following:

A. Program Knowledge

What is your understanding of the ADOH program? Describe what you know about the curriculum, the main areas of study, and the knowledge and practical skills students develop throughout the course.

B. Relevant Background and Experience

Tell us about any experiences, employment, volunteering, study, or other activities in healthcare or related fields that have influenced your decision to pursue this program.

C. Interest and Career Aspirations

What attracts you to the field of oral health? Explain how completing the ADOH program will support your professional goals and future career plans.

D. Understanding of the Profession

What do you believe are the key responsibilities of a Dental Hygienist, and how do you see yourself contributing to patient care in this role?

Question 11

A patient who has English as a second language appears anxious and repeatedly interrupts your oral health education session.

Describe how you would adapt your communication to support the patient while ensuring they understand the information provided.

Question 12

A patient tells you they do not see the value in regular dental visits because they have no pain.

How would you explain the importance of preventive oral healthcare?

Question 13

Why is obtaining an accurate medical history important before commencing treatment?

Provide at least three reasons.

Question 14

While preparing for an important exam, you are given the opportunity to view materials that appear to be from the actual assessment. How would you handle this situation? Explain your decision-making process and the principles that guide your actions.

Question 15

Which of the following activities are typically within the scope of practice of a registered dental hygienist?

Select all that apply:

- Oral health education
- Fluoride application
- Periodontal assessment
- Prescribing antibiotics
- Fissure sealant placement

Question 16

After reading a health-related article, you will be required to answer questions about the article using your own words. Here you will be assessed on your ability to understand and interpret information.