

OSCE Blueprint

The content of the College's registration exam is largely determined by the [National Competency Profile for Denturists](#) and the nationwide survey of denturists shortly after. The survey provided weightings of importance to each of the six core competencies. Candidates are encouraged to review the National Competency Profile and the breakdown of each category. In addition, the global rating scale is applied.






BLUEPRINT

The Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) component of the Alberta registration exam reflects those competencies in content and importance, and are as follows:

Objectively Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) - ~16 stations	
Competency Area	# of Stations
Clinical Practice	7
Laboratory Procedures	5
Professional Collaboration	1
Practice Management	1
Jurisprudence, Ethics, and professional responsibility	1
Communication	1
TOTAL	~16

GLOBAL RATING SCALE

In all interactions of an exam candidate during the OSCE, the global rating scale is applied. This scale refers to your overall performance and includes:

-  empathy
-  coherence
-  verbal communication
-  non-verbal communication
-  overall knowledge and skill