

Comparative table on the integration of oral health in general health under undergraduate dental studies

Countries	Place of study (dental school or medical faculty)	Common curricula/topics of study	Graduation title
Austria	Medical Universities (with Departments of Dental, Oral and Maxillofacial Medicine; University Clinics of dentistry, Department of Dental Medicine and Oral Health)	Yes: first semesters largely identical to the human medicine curriculum	Doctor of Dental Medicine (dr. med. dent.)
Belgium	Faculties of Medicine in public Universities (Dental Faculties incorporated into the Medical Faculties)	Yes (for entrance exam): joint entrance exam for medical, veterinary and dental studies.	Master's degree in Dental Science
Bulgaria	Faculties of Dental Medicine	First two years of study are dedicated to medical and biological training	Physician of Dental Medicine with a master's degree (also Doctor in Dental Medicine)
Croatia	Mixed system: Faculties of Dental Medicine; Faculties of Medicine with programmes in dental medicine	N/A	Doctor of Dental Medicine : " <i>doktor dentalne medicine</i> " (dr. med. dent.)
Cyprus	Dental school at the European University of Cyprus	N/A	Bachelor of Dental Surgery
Czechia	Faculties of Medicine and Dentistry		Doctor of Dental Medicine (Medicinae Dentium Doctor (DDDr.))
Denmark	Dental Schools, part of the Faculties of Health Sciences		
Estonia	Dental School, Institute of Dentistry	N/A	Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS)
Finland	Faculties of Medicine, Departments of Dentistry	Foundational two years in biomedical sciences and general medicine (some shared courses with medical students)	Licentiate of Dentistry (LicDent)
France	Dental schools (integrated under the Research and Training Units "Unité de Formation et de Recherche" of Universities)	Different structure: first year of a Bachelor's degree of the student's choosing with an optional course in health (Licence avec une option Accès Santé (LAS)).	Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS)

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		Common to all health and medical students.	
Germany	Majority of Colleges or Universities of Medicine, with integrated Departments of dentistry	N/A	Dental "Approbation" " <i>Zahnärztliche Approbation</i> " (a state-issued certification)
Greece	Dental School in national Universities	First two years are devoted to medico-biological sciences courses taught in medical school, along with medical students	Doctor of Dental Surgery
Hungary	Mixed: Separate Dental Schools in national universities, under Faculties of Dental Medicine. One exception with the Dental Department of the University of Pécs integrated into its Medical School	Completely separate basic science subjects between dental and medical students (the two first years of study were identical 10/15 years ago)	Doctor of Dental Medicine " <i>Fogorvos Dentist</i> "
Ireland	Dental Schools	N/A	Bachelor of Dental Science/Bachelor of Dental Surgery
Italy	Faculties of Medicine with Departments of Dentistry; sometimes merged Faculties (with dentistry and medicine)	N/A	N/A
Latvia	Dental Schools, Faculties of Dentistry under public universities	N/A	Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS)
Lithuania	Mixed: Faculty of Odontology of the Lithuanian University of Health Sciences in Kaunas, and in the Faculty of Medicine of Vilnius University	N/A	Doctor Odontologist
Luxembourg	N/A		
Malta	Dental school: Faculty of Dental Surgery of the University of Malta	N/A	Dental Surgeons (Master's of Dental Surgery, MDS)
Netherlands	Dental schools: Centres or Faculties of Dentistry, public universities	N/A	Dentist (<i>Tandarts</i>)

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Poland	Mixed, but with a majority of faculties merging dental with medical faculties: Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry, as well as Departments of Dentistry under Medical Universities	N/A	Dentist (<i>lekarz dentysta</i>)
Portugal	Mixed: Faculty of Medicine of Coimbra and the Faculties of Dental Medicine of Porto and Lisbon for public dental courses	N/A	Dental physician (<i>Médico Dentista</i>)
Romania	Universities of Medicine and Pharmacy, with integrated Dental Faculties	N/A	Doctor of Dental Medicine (Diploma de licenta in Medicina Dentara)
Slovakia	Medical Faculties under public universities, with dental courses	N/A	Doctor of Dental Medicine (DDM)
Slovenia	Faculties of Medicine, with Dental Medicine programmes	N/A	Doctor of Dental Medicine (DDM)
Spain	Mixed: Faculties of Dentistry or merged Faculties of Medicine and Dentistry	N/A	Dentist (Bachelor in Dentistry)
Sweden	Dental Schools: Department or Faculty of Odontology under public universities	N/A	Dental Practitioner (<i>Tandläkare</i>)