Review of Guidelines for Inclusion of Qualifications <u>in the List of Registrable/Quotable Additional Qualifications</u>

(*i*) New Guidelines to be effective on 1 July 2024

The Dental Council of Hong Kong ("the Council") has completed the review on the Guidelines for Inclusion of Qualifications in the List of Registrable/Quotable Additional Qualifications ("the Guidelines") and decided that <u>the Guidelines</u> will take effect **on 1 July 2024**. The new Guidelines has been uploaded to the Council's website for advance information.

All applications for inclusion of qualifications in the List of Registrable/Quotable Additional Qualifications ("the List") with provision of all the required information/documents received by the Council **on or after 1 July 2024** will be considered in accordance with the new Guidelines.

(ii) Uplifting of Moratorium with immediate effect

The Council decided to uplift the moratorium on applications for inclusion of new additional qualifications in the List **with immediate effect**. Before the new Guidelines as mentioned in (i) above comes into effect, all applications for inclusion of qualifications in the List with provision of all the required information/documents received by the Council **before 1 July 2024** will continue to be considered in accordance with the <u>prevailing Guidelines</u>.

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