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**Exemption for physicians and surgeons.**

(A) Sections 4715.01 to 4715.35 inclusive, of the Revised Code do not apply to the following:

- (1) A physician licensed pursuant to Chapter 4731. of the Revised Code, to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery in Ohio, unless he [or she](#) practices dentistry as a specialty. For purposes of this rule, "Practicing dentistry as a specialty" means that the physician regularly and/or routinely provides treatment in which the procedure or procedures performed are primarily involving teeth, rather than treatment secondary to a medical emergency or medical procedure. It is not required that the practice of dentistry as defined herein be a specific majority percentage of time, but rather that a pattern of practicing dentistry as a specialty is demonstrated by the physician.
- (2) A dentist of the United States armed forces, public health service, or veterans administration.
- (3) A dentist licensed in another state, making a clinical demonstration before a dental society, convention, association of dentists, or dental college.