**20:43:08:02.01.  Dental assistant -- Prohibited duties.** The following list of duties or procedures may not be performed by a dental assistant:

 (1)  Placing sealants;

 (2)  Placing nonsurgical retraction materials for gingival displacement;

 (3)  Fabricating provisional restorations;

 (4)  Using electronic instruments for caries detection;

 (5)  Adjusting dentures or partials;

 (6)  Intraoral use of rotary hand instruments or ultrasonic instruments;

 (7)  Any duty or procedure that falls outside of the relevant education, training, and experience of the dental assistant;

 (8)  Any procedure that cannot be performed by a registered dental assistant; and

 (9)  Other duties or procedures prohibited by the board.

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