

Dentist

CAREER STEPS

Licensure

6-8 weeks

Education

7-8 years
past high school

Start

Dental Programs in Michigan

- University of Detroit Mercy
- University of Michigan

ABOUT THIS JOB

Dentists are doctors who keep mouths (and bodies) healthy through evaluation, diagnosis and treatment of disease. This may include filling cavities, removing damaged teeth, performing root canals, prescribing medications and more.

MICHIGAN WORKFORCE DATA

Job openings in 2025:

5,431

What most dentists make:

\$117.39/hour



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