

Checklist upkeep of amalgam separator



AT LEAST EVERY QUARTER (PERFORMED BY DENTAL PRACTICE)	DATE	SIGNATURE	DEVIATIONS/OTHER
Dry suction system: the filling degree of the amalgam separator must be monitored			
AT LEAST ONCE A YEAR (PERFORMED BY DENTAL PRACTICE)	DATE	SIGNATURE	DEVIATIONS/OTHER
Wet suction system: replacement of filter if required			

AT LEAST ONCE A YEAR (PERFORMED BY MAINTENANCE SERVICE COMPANY)	DATE	PERFORMED BY (NAME OF COMPANY)	SIGNATURE	DEVIATIONS/OTHER
Wet suction system: Replacement of amalgam separators				
Dry suction system: Collection of receptacles for amalgam separators				
Function checks of amalgam separators (centrifugal separators) and suction system				
Replacement of amalgam separators connected to sinks				
Cleaning of the surge tank beneath sink fitted with amalgam separators connected to sinks				
Replacement of particle traps, where such traps are present				
Emptying and cleaning of floor drains into which a tube from an amalgam separator (where present) runs				
Replacement of suction tubes				
Sampling of water from amalgam separators if municipalities requires for the purpose of analysis of emitted mercury content				
Transportation of other hazardous amalgam waste beyond amalgam separators				



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Emptying of the water lock on a washbasin in a treatment room and in patient toilets				
EVERY THIRD YEAR (PERFORMED BY MAINTENANCE SERVICE COMPANY)	DATE	PERFORMED BY (NAME OF COMPANY)	SIGNATURE	DEVIATIONS/OTHER
Inspection, emptying and cleaning of buffer tanks assuming no system faults have occurred				



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