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LOCAL CERTIFIED DENTAL ASSISTANT SOCIETIES IN BC

CDABC and local CDA societies are independent entities.
This listing is provided as an information service to BC CDAs.

BNW CDA Society Burnaby/New Westminster, BC Ms. Nancy Stermer, President Tel: 604.431.6024 Email: nstermer@shaw.ca <i>Updated January 2013</i>	Central Island CDA Society Nanaimo, BC Jessica St. Onge, President Tel: 250.618.9463 Email: Jess.stonge@gmail.com <i>Updated April 2013</i>
Community Health CDA Society <i>Specifically for CDAs working in Community Health</i> Vancouver, BC Sandy Edmiston, President Tel: 604.675.3988 Email: sandy.edmiston@vch.ca <i>Updated February 2012</i>	Kalamalka CDA & RDH Society Vernon & District Mrs. Gurjit Chung gurjitchung@hotmail.com 250-542-5962 <i>Updated June 2012</i>
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Vancouver Central CDA Society Ms. Sandra Woodrow, President Tel: 604.439.0087 Email: sandraalwoodrow@gmail.com <i>Updated August 2012</i> Click for course listing	Victoria & District CDA Society Angela Bates, President Email: vicladybug@hotmail.com <i>Updated January 2012</i>

Central City CDA Society Surrey, BC Inactive – Looking for new leadership <i>Updated October 4, 2011</i>	West Kootenay CDA Society Inactive <i>Updated: Sept. 9, 2011</i>
Central Okanagan CDA Society Inactive <i>Updated Sept. 1, 2011</i>	Prince George & District CDA Society Inactive <i>Updated: Sept. 7, 2011</i>
Shuswap CDA Society (Salmon Arm) Inactive Contact Alison Hall to revive this society: alison@sunwave.net.	CDA Society of Kamloops & District Inactive Annette Elizabeth Stellato Tel: 250.305.5559 <i>Updated July 31, 2012</i>
Cowichan Valley CDA Society Inactive Linda Lightbody 604.266.9950 <i>Updated July 31, 2012</i>	Inlet Dental Study Seminar for CDAs Inactive
Mount Arrowsmith CDA Society Inactive Donna Seymour Tel: 250.228.0097 <i>Updated July 31 2012</i>	Northern BC CDA Society Inactive

CDAs: Respected Healthcare Professionals.

CDABC supports BC CDAs as practising healthcare professionals by:

- *representing your profession at important dental healthcare committees/meetings/panels;*
- *educating dentists on the benefits of hiring certified;*
- *researching CDA employment climate/wages exclusive to British Columbia;*
- *representing your profession and professional interests with stakeholders;*
- *providing quality continuing education as a benefit of membership*
- *and more value-added services.*



Join CDABC today at www.cdabc.org and strengthen your healthcare profession.

Membership runs for one year from the date you join, and is \$125 plus HST (\$140). It includes 12 CE credits redeemed by taking courses from the CDABC CE Library.

CDABC CE courses include live lectures by telephone, considered live study events.



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Certified Dental Assistants of BC Membership:



Stay current on what is happening with our profession. News from British Columbia and across Canada: the *Certified News* (monthly e-newsletter delivered to your email inbox), and Certified Bytes (email communication between the News).

The *Certified News* includes information on upcoming courses, latest news in dentistry, the board of directors' meeting updates, and other information to keep you current.



12 CE credits **included per membership!* Telephone courses mean that no matter where you are, you can earn *live* CE from the convenience of the phone--no travel, no time off work, no hassle! (valid for live study requirements) Also, the self-study [library](#) contains several great courses. CDABC CE is a convenient way to meet your regulatory requirements. (**Must take CDABC courses to earn these credits; no additional fee. Not redeemable for society courses.*)



Employment research on the CDA profession in BC CDABC conducts the largest survey in BC to find out how the employment climate changes over time. We report on rates of pay based on experience, location, modules, and more. We find out how long it now takes to find a position, how many people are entering the profession, and how many are leaving, plus a lot more important information to educate the membership so that they can make informed decisions.



Job postings and other employment resources Take advantage of our career board, updated daily for your benefit. Also, **post your own ad** to say you are available for work, which dentists can view behind a secure login. Work smart by having your employment conditions and benefits in writing, using the CDA **employment contract**, designed specifically for CDAs. Read articles written explicitly for your profession on **negotiating a raise**.



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