

## Voluntary Invitation to Self Identify Applicants

### EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY/AFFIRMATIVE ACTION DATA

Keating Dental Arts is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer, and as such, is required by federal law to maintain and report certain information regarding its applicants and employees. These guidelines will be applied by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission in the enforcement of title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (hereinafter "Title VII")

It is the policy of Keating Dental Arts to seek and employ qualified personnel, to provide equal employment opportunities for all applicants and employees in recruiting, hiring, placement, training, compensation and benefits, promotion, transfer, and termination. To achieve this Keating Dental Arts will administer all personnel actions without regard to race, color, religion, religious dress practice, religious grooming practice, creed, sex, national origin, age, disability, marital status, pregnancy, sexual orientation, citizenship, gender identity, veteran status or any other protected class and base all such decisions on valid job requirements.

In order to comply with the law(s), you are **invited** to provide the following information **voluntarily**. This information will remain **CONFIDENTIAL** and will be used only for purposes allowed by law. Refusal to supply this information will not jeopardize or adversely affect any consideration you may receive for employment. When reported to the government, this data will not identify any specific individual.

If you believe you belong to any of the categories of qualified veterans listed on page two, please indicate by checking the appropriate box below. As a Government contractor subject to VEVRAA, we request this information in order to measure the effectiveness of the outreach and positive recruitment efforts we undertake pursuant to VEVRAA.

**Section 1: General Information**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Date</b> ____/____/____
<b>Position Title:</b>	

**Section 2: Please check ( ) all that apply (See second page for definitions)**

Race or Ethnic Identity	Gender	**Veteran Status
<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> White (not Hispanic or Latino) <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American (not Hispanic or Latino) <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander (not Hispanic or Latino) <input type="checkbox"/> Asian (not Hispanic or Latino) <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaskan Native (not Hispanic or Latino) <input type="checkbox"/> Two or More Races (not Hispanic or Latino)	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> I identify as a qualified veteran. <input type="checkbox"/> I am not a qualified veteran  <input type="checkbox"/> <b>I choose not to Self-Identify.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> How did you hear about the job?		
<input type="checkbox"/> If you need assistance with completion of this form and/or the application process assistance will be provided upon request.		
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to request a reasonable accommodation. Contact me at: _____		
<b>Signature:</b> _____		
<i>For Human Resources Use Only:</i>		

*[\*\*Editors note: According to 41 CFR 60-741.42, there are only two circumstances when an employer may ask a disabled applicant to self-identify on a pre-offer basis:*

*(1) The invitation is made when the contractor actually is undertaking affirmative action for individuals with disabilities at the pre-offer stage; or (2) The invitation is made pursuant to a Federal, state or local law requiring affirmative action for individuals with disabilities.*

*According to 41 CFR 60-250.42, there are only two circumstances under which an employer may ask applicants who are Special Disabled Veterans to self-identify on a pre-offer basis:*

*1) The invitation is made when the contractor actually is undertaking affirmative action for special disabled veterans at the pre-offer stage; or (2) The invitation is made pursuant to a Federal, state or local law requiring affirmative action for special disabled veterans. ]*

## **EEOC RACE/ETHNIC IDENTIFICATION CATEGORIES**

### **Hispanic or Latino**

A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin regardless of race.

### **White (Not Hispanic or Latino)**

A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

### **Black or African American (Not Hispanic or Latino)**

A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

### **Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (Not Hispanic or Latino )**

A person having origins in any of the peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

### **Asian (Not Hispanic or Latino)**

A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian Subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

### **American Indian or Alaska Native (Not Hispanic or Latino)**

A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.

### **Two or More Races (Not Hispanic or Latino)**

All persons who identify with more than one of the above five races.

## **QUALIFIED VETERAN:**

**A “disabled veteran” is one of the following:** a veteran of the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service who is entitled to compensation (or who but for the receipt of military retired pay would be entitled to compensation) under laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs; or show citation box or a person who was discharged or released from active duty because of a service-connected disability.

**A “recently separated veteran”** means any veteran during the three-year period beginning on the date of such veteran's discharge or release from active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval, or air service.

**An “active duty wartime or campaign badge veteran”** means a veteran who served on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service during a war, or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge has been authorized under the laws administered by the Department of Defense.

**An “Armed forces service medal veteran”** means a veteran who, while serving on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service, participated in a United States military operation for which an Armed Forces service medal was awarded pursuant to Executive Order 12985.

**“Other protected veteran”** means veterans who served on active duty in the U.S. military during a war or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge is awarded.

Protected veterans may have additional rights under USERRA—the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act. In particular, if you were absent from employment in order to perform service in the uniformed service, you may be entitled to be reemployed by your employer in the position you would have obtained with reasonable certainty if not for the absence due to service. For more information, call the U.S. Department of Labor's Veterans Employment and Training Service (VETS), toll-free, at 1-866-4-USA-DOL.