

### **CPD System**

Pursuant to Republic Act No. 10912 or the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Act of 2016, the State provides as its policy to promote and upgrade the practice of the professions in the country and to institute measures that will continuously improve the competence of the professionals in accordance with the international standards of practice, the CPD is hereby made as a mandatory requirement in the renewal of the Professional Identification Cards (PICs) of all registered and licensed professionals under the regulation of the PRC.

60 CPD credit units are required for the renewal of PICs for Dentistry. During the transitory period of implementation of CPD Act of 2016, licensed dentists shall comply with the following CPD credit units:

<b>PIC RENEWAL PERIOD</b>	<b>MINIMUM CREDIT UNITS REQUIRED</b>
July to December 2017	30%
January to December 2018	60%
January 2019 onwards	100%