



State Board of Optometry

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Place
Application
Photo Here

(Headshot or
passport photo taken
within the last year)

Application for Optometry Examination

1. Personal Data

First Name	Middle Name	Maiden Name	Last Name	Suffix
Mailing Address			City	State Zip
Email Address	Phone Number	Social Security Number	OE Number	
Date of Birth	Place of Birth (City/State)	Sex	Race/Ethnicity	U.S. Citizen (Y/N)

Please Check One of the Following if it Applies to You

- A uniformed service member
- A uniformed service veteran
- The spouse of a uniformed service member or uniformed service veteran

2. Other State Optometry Licenses

State/Jurisdiction	License Number	Date Licensed	Years of Practice

3. Education - Optometry and Undergraduate Schools

School	Degree	Date of Graduation

4. Background History

Have you or are you planning to take the Optometry State Board Examinations in other states? Yes: ___ No: ___

State	Date	Passed (Y/N)

Have you ever had a license to practice optometry revoked or suspended? Yes: ___ No: ___
If yes, give details:

Have you ever been convicted of a crime? Yes: ___ No: ___
If yes, give details:

I am desirous of qualifying to practice Optometry in the State of Arkansas in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. §17-90-101 et. seq. and the Rules duly promulgated by the Board.

I hereby give my permission for the Arkansas Department of Health – State Board of Optometry to secure information concerning myself or any of the statements in this application from any person or source the Board may desire.

I further agree to submit to questions regarding my qualifications as an applicant by the Board or any member thereof, and to substantiate my statements if desired by the Board.

*I have attached a check or money order in the amount of **\$400.00** to cover the examination fee. I understand this fee is nonrefundable. The application and fee must be received **by June 1 for the mid year test and by January 1 for the first quarter examination**. Supporting documentation must be received before the date of the examination except for log book which I will send upon completion of the 100 hours of shadowing.*

I understand that any falsification or misrepresentation of any item or response in this application, or and documentation supporting this application, even if submitted separately, is sufficient grounds for denying, revoking, or otherwise disciplining a license to practice optometry in the State of Arkansas.

Signature of Applicant (signed in presence of Notary Public) _____ Date of Application _____

Subscribed and sworn before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State of _____,
this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

My commission expires: _____

Notary Signature: _____

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Additional Documentation Necessary to Complete File
Forward to the State Board Office

- Check or money order for \$400.00
- Passport sized photograph attached to the application (taken in the last year)
- Official transcripts from undergraduate school(s) – must come directly from the schools
- Official transcripts from Optometry school – must come directly from the school
- Have three letters of recommendation (non relative) mailed or emailed to the Board office.
- Release of National Board of Examiners in Optometry (NBEO) scores – must pass parts I, II and III to sit for examination
- Current CPR Certification
- Log Book for 100 hours Ophthalmologist shadowing – book will be sent to you once the application and fee are received