

1 Board of Optometry

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3 Adopted Permanent Rules Relating to Certification to Dispense

4 Topical Legend Drugs

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6 Rules as Adopted

7 6500.1900 LICENSE CERTIFICATE ISSUANCE FEE.

8 Each applicant who meets all applicable requirements for  
9 licensure under the act and these rules shall be issued a  
10 license certificate by the board. The fee for this license  
11 certificate shall be \$12. Upon proof of loss or damage of an  
12 original license certificate and payment of an additional \$12  
13 fee, a replacement certificate may be issued by the board.

14 Each applicant who meets all applicable requirements for  
15 use of drugs in patient care shall be issued a certificate by  
16 the board. The fee for this certificate is \$10. A replacement  
17 certificate may be issued by the board.

18 Each applicant who meets all requirements for the use of  
19 topical legend drugs as set forth in Minnesota Statutes, section  
20 148.575, shall be issued a certificate by the board. The fee  
21 for this certificate is \$50. Duplicate or replacement  
22 certificates shall be issued by the board for a fee of \$20 per  
23 certificate.

24 ~~6500.3000-CERTIFICATION-REQUIREMENTS-FOR-TOPICAL-LEGEND-DRUGS-~~

25 ~~Subpart 1.--Requirements.--To-become-board-certified, as~~  
26 ~~required-by-Minnesota-Statutes, section 148.575, subdivision 1,~~  
27 ~~an applicant must be an optometrist licensed in Minnesota and~~  
28 ~~must:~~

29 ~~A.--meet-the-requirements-of-Minnesota-Statutes,~~  
30 ~~section 148.575, subdivision 2, clauses (1) to (4);~~

31 ~~B.--within-the-12-months-preceding-the-application,~~  
32 ~~successfully-complete-a-certified-cardiopulmonary-resuscitation~~  
33 ~~(CPR)-course-or-update-offered-or-approved-by-the-Red-Cross,~~  
34 ~~American-Heart-Association, an accredited hospital, or a~~  
35 ~~comparable organization or institution; and~~

~~C.---successfully-complete-a-didactic-and-clinical  
practical-topical-legend-drugs-refresher/update-course-and  
examination-given-by-an-institution-that-is-accredited-by-a  
regional-or-professional-accrediting-organization-recognized-by  
the-Council-on-Post-Secondary-Accreditation, the-United-States  
Department-of-Education, or-a-successor, unless-the-optometrist:~~

~~(1)-has-graduated-after-May-1, 1993, from-an  
optometric-institution-accredited-by-a-regional-or-professional  
accrediting-organization-recognized-by-the-Council-on  
Post-Secondary-Accreditation, the-United-States-Department-of  
Education, or-a-successor;~~

~~(2)-has-met, on-or-after-August-1, 1993, the-100  
hours-of-study-requirement-in-Minnesota-Statutes, section  
148.575, subdivision-2, clause-(2), or~~

~~(3)-is-certified-to-use-topical-legend-drugs-in  
another-state-that-the-board-determines-to-have-substantially  
the-same-or-more-extensive-therapeutic-license-privileges, and  
has-successfully-used-topical-legend-drugs-for-at-least-the-two  
years-immediately-preceding-the-application.~~

~~Subp. 2.---Course-required.---The-course-required-in-subpart  
1, item-C, must-also-meet-the-requirements-in-items-A-to-D.~~

~~A.---It-must-receive-prior-approval-by-the-board.~~

~~B.---It-must-use-materials-and-highly-qualified  
instructors-that-are-likely-to-contribute-to-the-advancement,  
extension, review, and-update-of-professional-skills-and  
knowledge-in-the-therapeutic-practice-of-optometry.~~

~~C.---It-must-offer, and-the-optometrist-must-show-proof  
of-attendance-at, at-least-24-hours-of-study-in-the-examination,  
diagnosis, and-treatment-of-conditions-of-the-human-eyes-that  
may-require-the-use-of-topical-legend-drugs.---Eight-of-those-24  
hours-must-be-in-the-diagnosis-and-treatment-of-glaucoma.---The  
course-must-include-the-possible-complications,  
contraindications, adverse-reactions, systemic-effects, and  
considerations-of-the-treatment.~~

~~D.---It-must-include-instruction-and-discussion-on  
appropriate-consultation-and-collaboration-with-a-physician, and~~

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1 ~~emergency-management-for-any-adverse-reactions-that-may-occur.~~