



2025 Continuing Education Requirements

A total of twenty (20) hours of Continuing Education credits are required annually. Twelve (12) hours of non-face-to-face Continuing Education credits will be accepted in any category except CPR. Eight (8) hours of Continuing Education credits must be in-person. Refer to Rules 4.1 and 4.2 for additional information.

CE CATEGORIES	LICENSED OPTOMETRIST BUT NOT PEP-CERTIFIED	PEP-CERTIFIED OPTOMETRIST *
CPR/AED (AED is required for PEP-certified optometrists)	Hands-on, in-person (Licensee may use one (1) hour of this two- (2-) hour credit course for two (2) consecutive years)	Hands-on, in-person (Licensee may use one (1) hour of this two- (2-) hour credit course for two (2) consecutive years)
DEA	Licensee may use one (1) hour of this two- (2-) hour credit course for two (2) consecutive years	Licensee may use one (1) hour of this two- (2-) hour credit course for two (2) consecutive years
Practice Management	Maximum of four (4) hours	Maximum of four (4) hours
Therapeutic Treatment	Minimum of ten (10) hours	Minimum of ten (10) hours
Performance of Primary Eyecare Procedures	N/A	Six (6) hours

EXAMPLE

CE CATEGORIES	LICENSED OPTOMETRIST BUT NOT PEP-CERTIFIED	PEP-CERTIFIED OPTOMETRIST *
CPR	1	1
DEA	1	1
Practice Management	4	2
Therapeutic Treatment	14	10
Performance of Primary Eyecare Procedures	0	6
Total	20	20

* All PEP certified optometrists must file a YAG Performance Report by January of each year. All primary eyecare procedures must be performed inside the office location on file with the Board of Optometry office.