

WEST VIRGINIA BOARD  
OF OPTOMETRY

**ANNUAL REPORT**  
FY 2013

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### ANNUAL REPORT FISCAL YEAR 2013

This report is being submitted by the Board of Optometry to meet the requirements of the State of West Virginia and its various subdivisions. This year was dedicated to compliance with the drug diversion provisions in the code in the form of legislative rule, WV Code of Rules, §14-10. The Board supports the Governor in his efforts to combat prescription abuse.

The Board has a “Highlights” page near the front of this report outlining some of our accomplishments for the 2013 fiscal year.

The sole function of the Board is to ensure excellent eye health care for the citizens of West Virginia, and it is in furtherance of this goal that our efforts are directed. Our mission statement is printed below.

Sincerely yours,

***Gregory Moore, O.D.***

Gregory Moore, O.D.  
Board Secretary-Treasurer

#### MISSION STATEMENT

To ensure that all applicants for licensure and all Doctors of Optometry currently licensed practice their profession in a manner that benefits and protects the public, and to ensure that the highest quality of optometric eye and vision care is provided in a professional, competent, and ethical manner.

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## The Board

The Board was established in 1909 and consists of seven members: five licensed optometrists and two consumer representatives. The members are appointed by the Governor and serve three-year terms.

## The Board's Mission Statement

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## Board Members

<u>Member</u>	<u>County</u>
President - Dr. James Campbell	Wetzel
Secretary-Treasurer - Dr. Gregory Moore	Kanawha
Ms. Lori Gemono, Consumer Representative	Harrison
Mr. Raymond Keener, Consumer Representative	Kanawha
Dr. David Laughlin, Complaint Chairman	Marion
Dr. Steven Odekirk	Kanawha
Dr. Mason "Ed" White, WVAOP Liaison	Logan
Assistant Attorney General Stacy Nowicki, Esq.	Kanawha
Executive Director Pamela Carper	Kanawha



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**Highlights for 2013**

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### **New Continuing Education on Drug Diversion**

The WV Legislature passed a revision of the Board's rule, §14-10, Continuing Education in its 2013 Legislative Session. Legislation was passed in the 2012 Legislative Session that required the boards for practitioners prescribing controlled substances to add a requirement that a licensee must complete three hours of training on drug diversion and best practices prescribing for each renewal cycle or sign a waiver stating that the licensee has not prescribed a controlled substance during the continuing education cycle.

The Board chose to increase the total hours of continuing education by three hours to total 43 hours of continuing education per every even-numbered two-year cycle. The Board also reorganized the rule to make it flow more smoothly and to make it more understandable.

### **Board Members**

James Campbell, O.D., President; Gregory Moore, O.D., Secretary-Treasurer and Continuing Education Chairman; David Laughlin, O.D., Complaint Chairman; Matthew Berardi, Rules Chairman; Mason "Ed" White, O.D., WVAOP Liaison; Lori Gemondo, Consumer Member; Raymond Keener, Esq., Consumer Member.

### **Web Site**

The West Virginia Board of Optometry hosts its web site at [www.wvbo.org](http://www.wvbo.org). License verification, "Locate an Optometrist," news and newsletters as well as the Board's rules are posted on the web site as well as a complete injection packet and CE Booklet.

### **Statistics**

Total Licenses	298
No Drugs	3
DPA and TPA	43
Oral Systemic	220
Injections	32
New Licenses	7
Meetings	9
Complaints	9
Citations	1

### **Fees**

Application \$300, Licensure \$400, License Renewal \$400 per year, Injection Certificate \$200

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## Optometrist List

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## Welcome to the West Virginia Board of Optometry

### The Mission Statement of the WVBO is:

"To ensure that all applicants for licensure and all Doctors of Optometry currently licensed, practice their profession in a manner that benefits and protects the public, and to ensure that the highest quality optometric eye and vision care is provided in a professional, competent, and ethical manner."

This mission serves as the basic tenet from which the Board formulates and carries out its goals, objectives, strategic plans, and articulates its values and beliefs to protect the public and encourage quality optometric eye and vision care.

### Laws and Regulations Governing Optometry

Know about important laws and regulations concerning optometry

### Verify a License

Click here to verify a license with the WVBO Licensee database

### Board of Optometry

View the history and current Members of the Board of Optometry

### Forms

Click here to obtain forms from the WVBO - Forms are provided online for your convenience

### Frequently Asked Questions

Click here to find the answers to some of the commonly asked questions

### Online Name or Address Change

Have you moved or become married? Click here to change your personal info with WVBO

### Online Biennial Renewal

Click here for online biennial license renewal form

### Consumer Issues

The WVBO have jurisdiction only over the States' optometrists - Click here for Complaint form

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### Complaint Report 2013 – Dr. David Laughlin, Chairman

**OPTOM 13-01** John Meyers, O.D. - Optometrist was convicted of a felony. The optometrist indicated that he was willing to relinquish his license. A consent decree was prepared and sent by certified mail. The optometrist was incarcerated at the time. The optometrist has been moved to a nursing home.

**OPTOM 13-02** Prendergast/Rose - The Board sent a letter of reprimand and a consent decree for not providing proper follow up or providing a list of possible new optometrists to a patient when he could no longer serve her. He signed the decree, but also informed the office with signing the decree that the patient's husband had threatened his life.

**OPTOM 13-03** Angotti/Hammond – patient complained his eyeglasses were not satisfactory. The optometrist offered a free glasses prescription re-check which was refused by the patient. The patient was offered a free prescription re-check by another optometrist in the office. The patient refused. The patient offered a prescription from a third optometrist. The complaint committee looked at the prescriptions and determined no difference in the prescriptions.

**OPTOM 13-04** McCartney/Morris - Optometrist closed an optometrist office with no notice to patients on retrieval of patient records. The Board contacted the optometrist who provided the records to the patient. The patient was satisfied.

**OPTOM 13-05** Kissel/Cooper – Patient said her glasses were unsatisfactory. She returned to optometrist's office six months later to complain. Glasses were checked, optometrist felt there was no problem, but gave the patient a refund. He gave her a copy of her eyeglass prescription to be filled by his office or another supplier.

**OPTOM 13-06** King/Barsch – An unlicensed optician was advertising contact lens fittings – a part of the scope of practice for licensed optometrists. The Board issued a cease and desist letter and worked with the state police to cease contact lens fitting. A pre-trial diversion was reached.

**OPTOM 13-07** Kalra - It had been alleged that an optometrist has sanctioned unlicensed practice. A phone complaint was made by a former employee. Providers included optometrists licensed in other states and others. Optometrist worked with payers to refund payments for service. A consent decree for suspension stayed with probation is being negotiated with his attorney.

**OPTOM 13-08** Watson/Brown – A patient was in the phase between a contact lens prescription and a contact lens fitting. Trial contacts were ordered. Dr. Watson left for another practice. The patient did not receive the fitting. The Board connected Dr. Watson with the patient and the patient received her lens fitting in his new office.

West Virginia Board of Optometry						
Budget Performance						
<b>FY 2013</b>						
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<b>Revenue</b>						
150073						
Obj Code	Item Name		Budget		13 Spent	
1	Pers Serv w/Deduc		\$ 64,000.00		\$ 43,452.00	
2	Pers Serv wo/Deduc				\$ 6,450.00	
4	Annual Increment		\$ 540.00		\$ 540.00	
10	Civ Serv/PEIA		\$ 300.00		\$ 50.00	
11	Social Sec Match		\$ 5,050.00		\$ 3,740.50	
12	PEIA Insurance		\$ 3,151.00		\$ 2,652.00	
14	Workers Comp		\$ 400.00		\$ 450.00	
15	Unemployment		\$ -		\$ -	
16	Pension & Retirement		\$ 7,455.00		\$ 6,158.88	
20	Office Expense		\$ 3,000.00		\$ 945.08	
21	Printing & Binding		\$ 1,400.00		\$ 429.40	
22	Rent Expense		\$ 7,340.00		\$ 7,041.88	
24	Telecommunications		\$ 3,900.00		\$ 2,670.01	
25	Contractual/Prof		\$ 14,265.00		\$ 7,842.00	
26	Travel		\$ 15,000.00		\$ 9,663.85	
27	Computer Services		\$ 4,000.00		\$ 1,943.80	
30	Rental (machine)		\$ 2,000.00		\$ -	
31	Association Dues		\$ 1,320.00		\$ 750.00	
32	Fire/Auto/Bond		\$ 2,000.00		\$ 1,892.00	
35	Advertising		\$ 360.00		\$ 253.20	
37	Research Med Suppl		\$ -		\$ -	
38	Routine Maintenance		\$ 3,500.00		\$ 2,757.85	
39	Manufacturing Suppl.		\$ -		\$ -	
41	Cellular Charges		\$ 1,700.00		\$ 1,007.30	
42	Hospitality		\$ 1,200.00		\$ 295.57	
43	Educ. Training		\$ -		\$ -	
51	Miscellaneous		\$ 300.00		\$ -	
52	Training & Dev		\$ 840.00		\$ 1,175.00	
53	Postal & Freight		\$ 840.00		\$ 271.16	
54	Computer Supp/Eq		\$ 4,200.00		\$ 3,188.32	
58	Misc Equip		\$ 360.00		\$ -	
70	Office & Comm Eq		\$ 2,100.00		\$ -	
80	Payment of Taxes		\$ -		\$ -	
89	Bank Costs		\$ 2,000.00		\$ 3,400.22	
96	Other Int and Penalties		\$ 120.00		\$ 11.23	
110	PEIA Reserve		\$ 460.00		\$ 435.00	
160	WV OPEB Contrib		\$ 2,500.00		\$ 2,136.00	
163	OPEB Remain Contr		\$ 400.00		\$ -	
	Total Expenses		\$ 156,001.00		\$ 111,602.25	

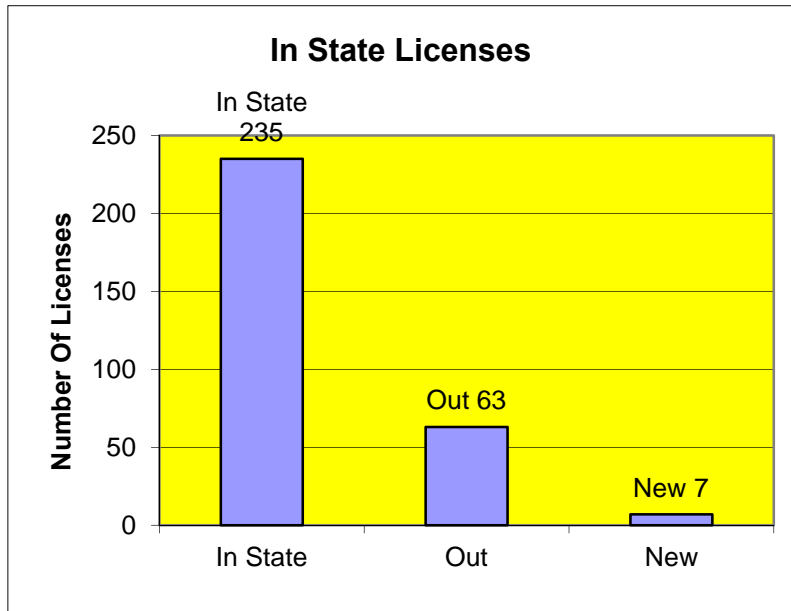


	<b>Cash Balance</b>						
	Cash Balance 7/1/12			\$ 180,634.79			
	2010 PFY Gross Revenue			\$ 150,073.00			
	Revenue Refunds			\$ -			
	13th Month Expenditures			\$ -			
	2013 PFY Expenditures			\$ 111,602.25			
	<b>Cash Balance June, 2013</b>			<b>\$ 219,105.54</b>			

### License Statistics FY 2013

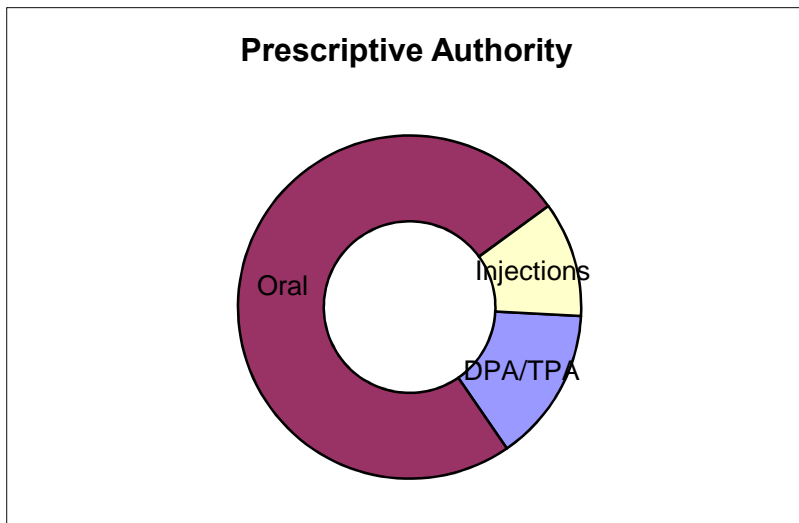
Total Number of Licensees 298

In State	Out	New
235	63	7



### Levels of Prescriptive Authority

None	DPA/TPA	Oral	Injections
3	43	220	32



## West Virginia Optometrist Offices by County 2013

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Based on License Renewal Report Forms

<b>County</b>	<b>Offices</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Offices</b>
Barbour	1	Mercer	10
Berkeley	8	Mineral	3
Boone	1	Mingo	3
Braxton	1	Monongalia	17
Brooke	3	Monroe	0
Cabell	19	Morgan	0
Calhoun	1	Nicholas	2
Clay	0	Ohio	6
Doddridge	1	Pendleton	1
Fayette	5	Pleasants	1
Gilmer	0	Pocahontas	0
Grant	1	Preston	1
Greenbrier	8	Putnam	4
Hampshire	0	Raleigh	12
Hancock	5	Randolph	6
Hardy	2	Ritchie	3
Harrison	13	Roane	1
Jackson	5	Summers	0
Jefferson	3	Taylor	2
Kanawha	42	Tucker	1
Lewis	3	Tyler	2
Lincoln	0	Upshur	3
Logan	5	Wayne	1
McDowell	1	Webster	0
Marion	16	Wetzel	6
Marshall	5	Wirt	0
Mason	0	Wood	20
		Wyoming	3



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### West Virginia Licensing Key

- A. License numbers with 3-4 digits **(000)** are not certified to use any pharmaceutical agents.
- B. License numbers with 3-4 digits and “D” **(0000-D)** are licensed to use diagnostic and therapeutic topical pharmaceutical agents.
- C. License numbers with 3-4 digits and “OD” **(0000-OD)** are licensed to use diagnostic and therapeutic topical pharmaceutical agents and some oral pharmaceuticals according to §14-2.
- D. License Number with 3-4 digits and “IOD” **(0000-IOD)** are licensed to use diagnostic and therapeutic topical pharmaceutical agents, some oral pharmaceuticals according to §14-2 and injection administration according to §14-11.

Addresses are mailing addresses.

All licenses listed are currently active.

All licenses expire July 31, 2013.

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Licensed Optometrists for 2013								
D is DPA, TPA Topical, -OD is DPA, TPA and some oral pharmaceuticals								
IOD is DPA, TPA, Some oral pharmaceuticals and Injection Administration								
Lic No.	Lic Date	Fname	Lname	Add1	Add2	City	ST	Zip
1024-OD	7/31/2005	Burton	Abel	118 Evergreen Drive		Buckhannon	WV	26201
812-OD	9/17/1985	Gino	Abruzzino	207 Buckhannon Pike		Nutter Fort	WV	26301
576-D	9/8/1966	Kyle	Abshire					
1054-OD	2/21/2009	Krista	Adams	257 Henson Road		Clintonville	WV	24931
927-OD	7/1/1993	Michael	Adkins	105 South Lafayette		Lewisburg	WV	24901
1057-OD	1/31/2010	Jenny	Alsop	2915A W. Grace St.		Richmond	VA	23221
680-OD	9/6/1978	Harry	Anderson	P. O. Box 607		Spencer	WV	25276
990-OD	7/9/2000	Lori	Angotti	552 Emily Drive		Clarksburg	WV	26301
781-IOD	8/24/1983	Joseph	Audia	2403 West Main Street		Salem	WV	26426
716-D	8/1/1980	John	Bailes	509 Hull Street		Beckley	WV	25801
717-OD	8/29/1980	Steven	Bailey	6010 US Route 60 East		Barboursville	WV	25504
797-OD	4/8/1985	Joseph	Bannon	211 Greentree Drive		St. Clairsville	OH	43950
1007-OD	7/15/2002	J. William	Barnes, II	107 Doctors Dr.		Bridgeport	WV	26330
770-OD	7/1/1982	Robert	Barnette II	800 Foxcroft Avenue		Martinsburg	WV	25401
984-OD	7/9/2000	Cheryl	Bennett	PO Box 33		Red Creek	WV	26289
830-IOD	7/15/1987	Matthew	Berardi	Rt. 1 Box 261		Farmington	WV	26571
1022-OD	1/12/2005	Emily	Bosley	8 Lee Street, Suite 134		Moorefield	WV	26836
1023-OD	1/12/2005	William	Bosley III	8 Lee Street, Suite 134		Moorefield	WV	26836
662-D	9/11/1978	Norma	Bowyer	P.O. Box 1064		Morgantown	WV	26507
667-OD	8/23/1977	Gregory	Brannon	165 Main Street		Weston	WV	26452
668-OD	2/1/1978	Eileen	Brannon	165 Main St.		Weston	WV	26452
767-IOD	7/12/1982	G. Frank	Britton III	3101 Cumberland Road		Bluefield	WV	24701
740-OD	7/13/1981	Mark	Brown	3333 US Rt 60		Huntington	WV	25705
622-OD	7/15/1975	Gregory	Browning	912 Oak Street		Kenova	WV	25530
1086-OD	7/23/2011	Thomas	Brugnoli	499 High Street		Morgantown	WV	26501
762-D	2/1/1983	Lee	Bryant	1031 Charleston Town C		Charleston	WV	25389
658-OD	6/29/1977	Tasso	Butler Jr.	413 Greenbrier Valley M		Lewisburg	WV	24901
687-IOD	8/14/1978	James	Campbell	700 Kevin Drive, Suite E		New Martinsville	WV	26155
1001-OD	7/9/2001	Scott	Carpenter	310 Locust St, Suite 6		Princeton	WV	24740
1013-IOD	8/6/2003	Martin	Carpenter	PO Box 2618		Fairmont	WV	26555
1063-OD	7/11/2009	Westley	Carr	P.O. Box 313		Shady Spring	WV	25918
723-OD	7/1/1980	Larry	Carr	214 Washington Street		St. Marys	WV	26170
1027-OD	7/31/2005	Adam	Casseday	P.O. Box 247		Mill Creek	WV	26280
1082-OD	8/27/2010	Kimberly	Castellucci	46 Bethany Pike		Wheeling	WV	26003
591-OD	1/25/1970	Norman	Castle	229 Market Road		Beckley	WV	25801
554-OD	7/31/1960	John	Casto	511 6th Avenue		St. Albans	WV	25177
1087-OD	7/23/2011	Chynna	Chandler	3490 Forest Hills Road		Forest Hills	KY	41527
864-OD	8/1/1989	Donna	Chaney	P.O. Box 86/ 300 Madiso		Madison	WV	25130
1095-IOD	7/14/2012	Alyssa	Childers-Pittr	76 Clear Spring Drive		Morgantown	WV	26330

1014-IOD	8/6/2003	Robert	Christen, II	624 Wells Street	Sistersville	WV	26175
714-D	8/28/1980	Paul	Cinalli	440 N. Alvernon Ste.102	Tucson	AZ	85711
759-IOD	7/12/1982	Mark	Cinalli	416 Division Street	Parkersburg	WV	26101
831-OD	7/12/1987	Kathryn	Clark	2101 Jacob Street, Suite	Wheeling	WV	26003
641-D	9/14/1976	Gary	Clarke	308 Silver Bridge Plaza	Gallipolis	OH	45631
827-OD	9/10/1986	David	Clarke	215 North Kanawha Stre	Beckley	WV	25801
810-OD	8/25/1986	John	Cline	200 Wal Street	Summersville	WV	26651
1059-OD	7/12/2009	Jessica	Cochran	Rt. 1, Box 56	Liberty	WV	25124
548	8/21/1959	Donald	Cohen	P. O. Box 468	Charleston	WV	25322
1088-OD	7/23/2011	Mark	Colander	10623 S. St. Louis	Chicago	IL	60655
694-OD	7/1/1979	Cynthia	Colby-Axe	256 N. Woodbridge Aver	Chillicothe	OH	45601
615-OD	8/9/1974	Nancy	Collins	107 East Foster Street	Lewisburg	WV	24901
1053-OD	7/12/2008	William	Conrad	24 Meadow Street	Keyser	WV	26726
610-D	7/15/1974	Mark	Cox	6171 Childers Road	Barboursville	WV	25504
889-OD	1/31/1992	Eric	Crowder	3540 Route 60 East	Barboursville	WV	25504
1051-OD	2/10/2008	Edward	Crum	43 Jenna Way Drive	Wheeling	WV	26003
697-D	7/1/1979	Rex	Cummings	P. O. Box 7	Ravenswood	WV	26164
991-OD	2/12/2001	Krista	Davis	1945 Beechwood Ave	Saint Paul	MN	55116
611-D	7/13/1974	Frank	DeCaria	3065 Main Street	Weirton	WV	26062
961-OD	7/14/1997	D. Duane	Deeds	11139 County Road 1	Chesapeake	OH	45619
804-D	9/11/1985	Daniel	DeMarino	104 East Main Street	Clarksburg	WV	26301
1046-OD	7/14/2007	Peter	Dormas	119 Glenn Avenue	St. Clairsville	OH	43950
599-OD	8/5/1972	Eli	Dragisich	100 Powers Road	Weirton	WV	26062
975-OD	7/11/1999	David	Edmonds	3111 East 1st St. Suite B	Vidalia	GA	30474
661-D	8/29/1977	William	Edmondson	5395 Cohay Drive	Horn Lake	MS	38637
660-D	2/17/1978	Linda	Edmondson	P.O. Box 871	Tahlequah	OK	74465
621	8/20/1975	Jeffrey	Eger	1106 W. University Ste 1	Mesa	AZ	85201
1076-OD	6/27/2010	Meghan	Elkins	16 South Sunset Blvd.	Williamson	WV	25661
985-OD	7/9/2000	Lynn	Engle-LaNeve	172 Majestic Pointe	Elkview	WV	25071
986-OD	7/9/2000	Kimberly	Epling	2841 Lexington Avenue	Ashland	KY	41101
933-OD	7/1/1995	Beth	Esposito	7402 Scottsdale Road	Fairmont	WV	26554
1068-OD	7/12/2009	Stephanie	Farha	1315 Huntington Avenue	Huntington	WV	25701
627-OD	4/10/1976	Monroe	Farmer	82 Cowpasture River Hw	Clifton Forge	VA	24422
823-OD	9/10/1986	Daniel	Farnsworth	P. O. Box 586	Weston	WV	26452
964-OD	7/13/1998	Leon	Favede	100 3rd Street	Bridgeport	OH	43950
1008-OD	7/15/2002	Carrie	Fick	499 High St	Morgantown	WV	26505
1009-OD	7/15/2002	James	Fick	499 High St	Morgantown	WV	26508
582-OD	9/27/1967	Charles	Field	701 South Oakwood Ave	Beckley	WV	25801
1043-OD	7/14/2007	Benjamin	Fisher	1000 Thom Lot 114	Sissonville	WV	25320
833-OD	9/15/1987	Patrick	Fleming	149 Linwood Way	Martinsburg	WV	25403
951-OD	2/10/1997	Malinda	Flores	37 Alexander Drive	Williamstown	WV	26187
596-OD	7/20/1970	Ronald	Frame	416 Division Street	Parkersburg	WV	26101
1003-OD	2/10/2002	Terry	Freeman	77 Norman Morgan Blvd	Logan	WV	25601
956-OD	7/14/1997	Alan	French	P. O. Box 852	Eleanor	WV	25070
930-OD	7/1/1994	Stephen	Gaal	1034 Crestmont Road	Hurricane	WV	25526
566-D	2/15/1965	Robert	Gardner	99 Witherspoon St.	Beckley	WV	25801
903-OD	7/1/1991	Jeffery	Gates	552 Emily Drive	Clarksburg	WV	26301

1030-OD	2/24/2006	Alvin	Ginier	576 Moores Lane	New Cumberland	WV	26047
857-OD	7/9/1989	Richard	Goellner	3121 North Greystone D	Morgantown	WV	26508
926-OD	7/1/1993	David	Gomez	P.O. Box 569	Crab Orchard	WV	25827
938-OD	7/1/1995	Jenna	Gongola	P. O. Box 1489	Elkins	WV	26241
682-D	9/10/1978	Douglas	Graebe	515 Cabela Drive	Triadelphia	WV	26059
835-OD	7/12/1987	Mark	Greer	127 E. Division Road	Oak Ridge	TN	37830
748-IOD	8/2/1981	Martin	Gresak	918 Chestnut Ridge Rd S	Morgantown	WV	26505
608-OD	10/1/1974	Thomas	Griffith	205 Fourth Street	St. Albans	WV	25177
722-OD	8/1/1980	Gregory	Groves	P. O. Box 370	Bridgeport	WV	26330
1012-OD	8/5/2003	Molly	Guzic	632 Shannon Dr N	Greencastle	PA	17225
992-OD	7/11/2001	Nicholas	Guzic	910 Foxcroft Avenue	Martinsburg	WV	25401
1070-OD	1/24/2010	John	Gwin	5180 East Main Street	Columbus	OH	43213
816-D	2/15/1986	Kent	Hall	3840 Pennsylvania Ave.	Charleston	WV	25302
894-D	2/1/1992	Alicia	Hanna	15 Greentree Drive	Morgantown	WV	26508
973-OD	2/15/1999	Christophe	Hansen	700 Oakvale Rd	Princeton	WV	24740
824-D	6/17/1987	Edward	Happe	505 Deerfield Road	Washington	PA	15301
602-OD	8/1/1973	John	Harman	P. O. Box 640	Franklin	WV	26807
731-OD	6/30/1980	Kathlene	Harrington	213 Gateway Blvd, Suite	Lewisburg	WV	24901
735-IOD	7/13/1981	David	Harshberger	1142 S. Bridge St.	New Martinsville	WV	26155
897-OD	2/1/1993	Jack	Harvey II	Route 3, Box 3300	Keyser	WV	26726
634-OD	9/7/1976	Arabel	Hatfield	315 White & Browning	Logan	WV	25601
698-OD	8/6/1979	R. Mark	Hatfield	P. O. Box 3970	Charleston	WV	25339
870-OD	7/1/1990	Dennis	Hedrick	806 Greenbrier Street	Charleston	WV	25311
920-OD	2/1/1993	John	Hendrix Jr.	332 North Street	Bluefield	WV	24701
936-OD	7/1/1995	Scott	Henry	132 Willowood Circle	Hurricane	WV	25526
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817-OD	7/1/1986	Mark	Holliday	1928 Harper Road	Beckley	WV	25801
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1044-OD	7/14/2007	Steven	Hosman	1301 Lee Street, East	Charleston	WV	25301
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993-OD	7/9/2001	Cynthia	Inman	261 Mercer Mall Road S	Bluefield	WV	24701
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1074-OD	2/21/2010	Sona	Kalra	15019 Seneca Knoll Way	Haymarket	VA	20169
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637-OD	4/4/1977	Donald	King	600 S. Church Street	Ripley	WV	25271
704-D	8/2/1979	R. Keith	King	P. O. Box 469	Ripley	WV	25271
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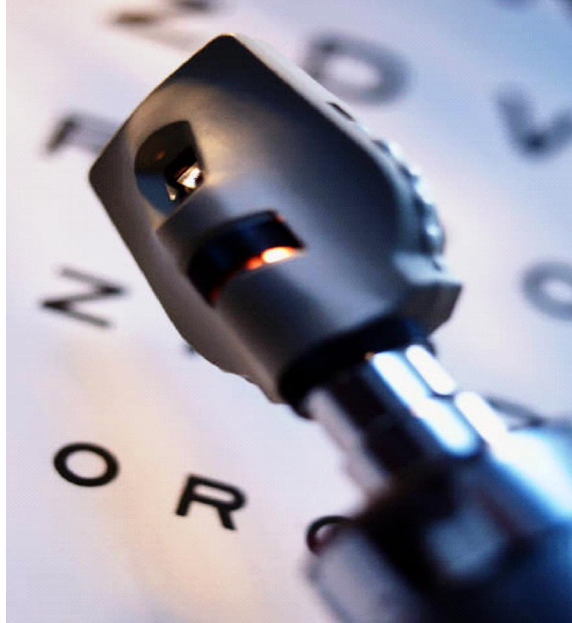
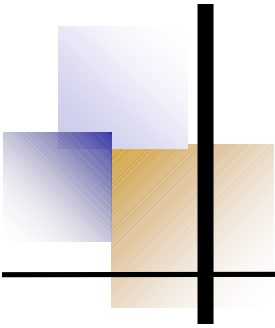
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998-IOD	7/9/2001	Sherry	Knotts	216 Lincoln Street	Grafton	WV	26354
937-OD	7/1/1995	Mitchell	Koerber	442 Highland Ave.	Williamstown	WV	26187
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586-OD	8/1/1968	Neill	Marshall	903 Third St./P.O.Box 21	New Martinsville	WV	26155
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782-OD	7/17/1983	David Barry	Morrison	299 Aikens Center	Martinsburg	WV	25404
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567-D	2/15/1965	Joseph	Myers	511 Fifth Street	Moundsville	WV	26041
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737-OD	9/16/1981	Byron	Nibert	140 Main St.	Oak Hill	WV	25901
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989-IOD	7/9/2000	Rebecca	St.Jean	4030 MacCorkle Ave SW	South Charleston	WV	25309	
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806-D	9/11/1985	Richard	Stewart	HC 61 Box 178	New Martinsville	WV	26155	
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979-OD	7/11/1999	Charles	Teaters	615 Dee Dee Drive	Christiansburg	VA	24073	
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1015-OD	7/30/2003	Stacy	Trego	1605 Copperplate Rd	Charlotte	NC	28262	
1081-OD	6/27/2010	Jeremiah	Troyer		P.O. Box 821	Lewisburg	WV	24901
601-OD	7/10/1972	Joseph	Trupo	1506 Harrison Avenue	Elkins	WV	26241	
839-D	10/20/1988	Charles	Twigg	33 West Main Street	Berryville	VA	22611	
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853-OD	7/1/1988	Cheryl	Van Horn	717 Fairmont Avenue	Fairmont	WV	26554	
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701-OD	7/28/1979	Montgome	Vickers	P.O. Box 48	St. Albans	WV	25177	
1056-OD	2/21/2009	Robert	Wade	33 Crestview Drive	Princeton	WV	24740	
729-IOD	8/3/1980	J. Keith	Wade	405 Locust Avenue	Fairmont	WV	26554	

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669-D	4/25/1978	David	Watson	1330 North Eisenhower	Beckley	WV	25801
790-D	7/1/1984	Otis	Weatherholt	142 Mill Acres Drive	Lynchburg	VA	24503
821-OD	11/19/1986	R. Joe	Weaver	1600 Grand Central Ave	Vienna	WV	26105
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838-OD	9/1/1987	C. Robert	Welshans	2653 Grand Central Ave	Vienna	WV	26105
1098-IOD	11/8/2012	Austin	White	1891 Court Street	Fayetteville	WV	25840
665-IOD	8/1/1977	Mason	White	113 LBT Way	Logan	WV	25601
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708-OD	8/1/1979	Shirley	Willis	510 Old Farm Rd.	Daniels	WV	25832
787-OD	7/1/1984	Philip	Wilmoth	P. O. Box 2618	Fairmont	WV	26554
758-OD	7/12/1982	Steven	Wilson	126 West Second Avenu	Williamson	WV	25661
1006-OD	7/15/2002	Gregory	Wolfe	12320 N. Sunrise Shadov	Marana	AZ	85658
950-OD	7/13/1996	Kevin	Wolford	821 Weaber Ave.	Palmyra	PA	17078
742-D	8/1/1981	Carleton	Wood	P. O. Box 1630	Chapmanville	WV	25508
1084-OD	2/19/2011	Dona	Wratchford	1803 NW 23rd Street	Lawton	OK	73505
675-OD	9/1/1978	Patricia	Wylie	1589 Wheeling Avenue	Glen Dale	WV	26038
902-OD	7/1/1991	Joseph	Yearego	721 Beverly Pike	Elkins	WV	26241
856-OD	7/15/1988	Randal	Zink	273 N. State Rt. 2	New Martinsville	WV	26155
1035-OD	7/15/2006	Cynthia	Zwolensky	405 Sunrise Drive	Bridgeport	WV	26330



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### ANNUAL REPORT FISCAL YEAR 2012

This report is being submitted by the Board of Optometry to meet the requirements of the State of West Virginia and its various subdivisions. The Board formulated its new Continuing Education rule, §14-10. It also formulated a new Expanded Therapeutic Procedures rule, §14-12 in 2012. The Board also wrote its guidelines for training and practice of injection administration.

The Board has a "Highlights" page near the front of this report outlining some of our accomplishments for the 2012 fiscal year.

The sole function of the Board is to ensure excellent eye health care for the citizens of West Virginia, and it is in furtherance of this goal that our efforts are directed. Our mission statement is printed below.

Sincerely yours,

***James Campbell, O.D.***

James Campbell, O.D.  
Board Secretary-Treasurer

#### MISSION STATEMENT

To ensure that all applicants for licensure and all Doctors of Optometry currently licensed practice their profession in a manner that benefits and protects the public, and to ensure that the highest quality of optometric eye and vision care is provided in a professional, competent, and ethical manner.

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## The Board

The Board was established in 1909 and consists of seven members: five licensed optometrists and two consumer representatives. The members are appointed by the Governor and serve three-year terms.

## The Board's Mission Statement

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## Board Members

<u>Member</u>	<u>County</u>
President - Dr. Matthew Berardi	Marion
Secretary-Treasurer - Dr. James Campbell	Wetzel
Ms. Lori Gemono, Consumer Representative	Harrison
Mr. Raymond Keener, Consumer Representative	Kanawha
Dr. David Laughlin, Complaint Chairman	Marion
Dr. Glenn Bailey, Rules Chairman	Cabell
Dr. Gregory Moore, Legislative Liaison	Kanawha
Assistant Attorney General Stacy Nowicki, Esq.	Kanawha
Executive Director Pamela Carper	Kanawha



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### Annual Report 2012 Highlights

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## Injection Rule Guidelines Released

The Board developed its injection guidelines as required by West Virginia Code of Rules §14-11, Injectable Pharmaceuticals Certificate. The rule became effective on November 1, 2011. The types of injections approved are intramuscular, intravenous, subcutaneous, and subconjunctival injections. All applicants who graduate in 2011 or thereafter and who pass the Injection Portion of the National Board Exam will automatically be qualified to administer intramuscular and intravenous injections. Those who have graduated prior to 2011 or who wish to perform all authorized types of injection must complete a Board approved course in injection administration that includes supervised hands-on training with written and injection proficiency examinations.

All of the Board's rules, §14-1 through 14-8, were revised and became effective on August 15, 2011 along with new rules §14-9, Contacts That Deliver Pharmaceutical Agents Certificate, and §14-10, Continuing Education, which includes a new pre-approval procedure.

## Board Members

Matthew Berardi, O.D., President; James Campbell, O.D., Secretary-Treasurer; Glenn Bailey, O.D., Rules Officer; David Laughlin, O.D., Complaint Chairman; Gregory Moore, O.D., Legislative Liaison; Lori Gemono, Consumer Member; Raymond Keener, Esq., Consumer Member.

## Web Site

The West Virginia Board of Optometry hosts its web site at [www.wvbo.org](http://www.wvbo.org). License verification, "Locate an Optometrist", news and newsletters as well as the Board's rules are posted on the web site as well as a complete injection packet. This report has been prepared by Dr. Matthew Berardi and Pamela Carper.

## Statistics

Total Licenses	299
No Drugs	3
DPA and TPA	47
Oral Systemic	233
Injections	16
New Licenses	9
Meetings	9
Complaints	9
Citations	1

## Fees

Application \$300, Licensure \$400, License Renewal \$400 per year, Injection Certificate \$200

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## Welcome to the West Virginia Board of Optometry

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This mission serves as the basic tenet from which the Board formulates and carries out its goals, objectives, strategic plans, and articulates its values and beliefs to protect the public and encourage quality optometric eye and vision care.

### Laws and Regulations Governing Optometry

Know about important laws and regulations concerning optometry

### Verify a License

Click here to verify a license with the WVBO Licensee database

### Board of Optometry

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**West Virginia Board of Optometry**

**AR 3**

**Annual Report 2012**

**2012 Complaint Report  
Dr. David Laughlin, Complaint Committee Chairman**

**OPTOM 12-01** Moore/Sowders Patient says her records were not transferred to her surgeon in a timely manner. The doctor says the records have been forwarded. Both the patient and the optometrist have confirmed that her surgeon has received her records.

**OPTOM 12-02** Ritchie/Gerenday Patient asked for two pairs of glasses, one for distance and one for close up. These pairs did not suit his needs for driving. Patient was given a refund.

**OPTOM 12-03** Myers/Laughlin Dr. John Myers violated a domestic protection order. Dr. Laughlin, Complaint Chairman, filed a complaint against Dr. Myers. A consent decree was negotiated, and Dr. Myers agreed to suspension of his license.

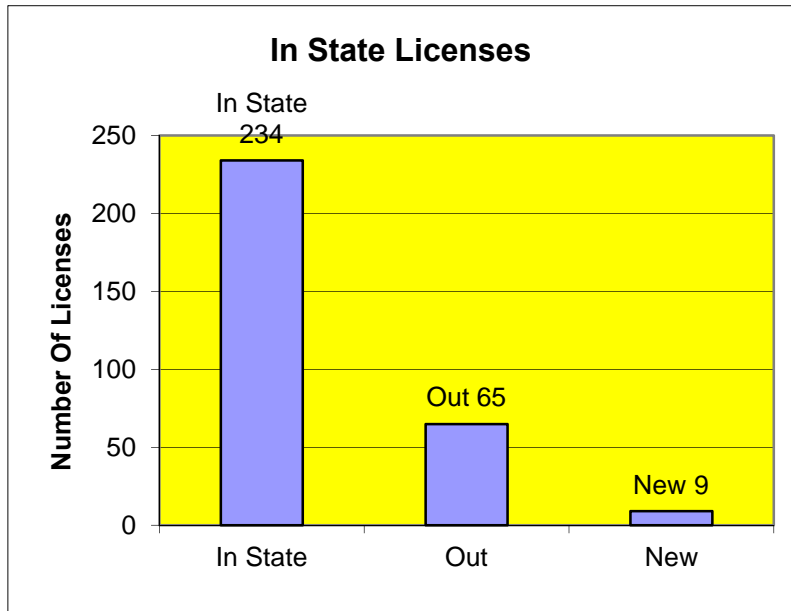
West Virginia Board of Optometry						
Budget Performance						
FY2012						
						AR4
Revenue						
74500						
Obj Code	Item Name		Budget		12 Actual	
1	Pers Serv w/Deduc		\$ 64,000.00		\$ 43,416.50	
2	Pers Serv wo/Deduc				\$ 12,150.00	
4	Annual Increment		\$ 480.00		\$ 480.00	
10	Civ Serv/PEIA		\$ 300.00		\$ 185.00	
11	Social Sec Match		\$ 3,810.00		\$ 4,176.94	
12	PEIA Insurance		\$ 2,971.00		\$ 2,616.00	
14	Workers Comp		\$ 400.00		\$ 297.00	
15	Unemployment		\$ 500.00		\$ -	
16	Pension & Retirement		\$ 5,600.00		\$ 6,364.94	
20	Office Expense		\$ 2,400.00		\$ 1,393.01	
21	Printing & Binding		\$ 900.00		\$ 2,478.05	
22	Rent Expense		\$ 7,340.00		\$ 5,203.58	
24	Telecommunications		\$ 2,400.00		\$ 3,116.43	
25	Contractual/Prof		\$ 19,285.00		\$ 3,272.50	
26	Travel		\$ 15,000.00		\$ 6,071.79	
27	Computer Services		\$ 3,600.00		\$ 1,868.06	
30	Rental (machine)		\$ 2,000.00		\$ -	
31	Association Dues		\$ 1,320.00		\$ 750.00	
32	Fire/Auto/Bond		\$ 1,896.00		\$ 1,896.00	
35	Advertising		\$ 360.00		\$ 300.00	
37	Research Med Suppl		\$ 50.00		\$ 950.00	
38	Routine Maintenance		\$ 3,300.00		\$ 3,518.00	
39	Manufacturing Suppl.		\$ 1,000.00		\$ -	
41	Cellular Charges		\$ 1,000.00		\$ 416.42	
42	Hospitality		\$ 1,200.00		\$ 559.94	
43	Educ. Training		\$ -		\$ -	
51	Miscellaneous		\$ 300.00		\$ 59.98	
52	Training & Dev		\$ 840.00		\$ 749.00	
53	Postal & Freight		\$ 840.00		\$ 226.74	
54	Computer Supp/Eq		\$ 3,200.00		\$ 3,369.86	
58	Misc Equip		\$ 360.00		\$ -	
70	Office & Comm Eq		\$ 600.00		\$ 1,131.67	
80	Payment of Taxes		\$ -			
89	Bank Costs		\$ 5,600.00		\$ 990.77	
96	Other Int and Penalties		\$ 120.00		\$ 19.49	
110	PEIA Reserve		\$ 489.00		\$ 435.00	
160	WV OPEB Contrib		\$ 2,004.00		\$ 2,004.00	
163	OPEB Remain Contr		\$ 396.00		\$ -	
	Total Expenses		\$ 155,861.00		\$ 110,466.67	

	<b>Cash Balance</b>							
	Cash Balance 7/1/11		\$ 161,561.04					
	2010 PFY Gross Revenue		\$ 129,540.42					
	Revenue Refunds		\$ -					
	13th Month Expenditures		\$ -					
	2012 PFY Expenditures		\$ 110,466.67					
	Cash Balance June 2012		\$ 180,634.79					
	<b>Footnotes</b>							
	The Board underspent its budget by \$45,394.33 for FY 2012							
	<b>Line item 2</b>	Pers Serv w.o Deductions It shows over \$12150, but the funds are placed in line						
	line item 1.	Line item 1 is underspent by \$20,583.50 so we are actually underspent by						
	\$8433.50.							
	<b>Line 21</b>	Printing and Binding There was extra cost for printing the injection packets and						
	law books							

### License Statistics FY 2012

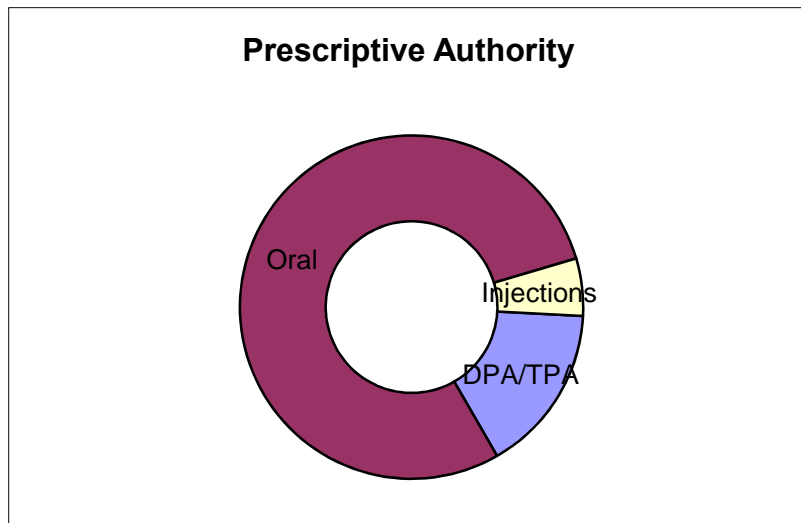
Total Number of Licensees 299

<b>In State</b>	<b>Out</b>	<b>New</b>
234	65	9



### Levels of Prescriptive Authority

<b>None</b>	<b>DPA/TPA</b>	<b>Oral</b>	<b>Injections</b>
3	47	233	16



## West Virginia Optometrist Offices by County 2012

AR7

Based on License Renewal Report Forms

<b>County</b>	<b>Offices</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Offices</b>
Barbour	1	Mercer	10
Berkeley	7	Mineral	4
Boone	1	Mingo	3
Braxton	0	Monongalia	16
Brooke	3	Monroe	0
Cabell	18	Morgan	0
Calhoun	0	Nicholas	2
Clay	0	Ohio	5
Doddridge	1	Pendleton	1
Fayette	4	Pleasants	1
Gilmer	0	Pocahontas	0
Grant	0	Preston	1
Greenbrier	8	Putnam	3
Hampshire	0	Raleigh	11
Hancock	1	Randolph	6
Hardy	2	Ritchie	0
Harrison	16	Roane	1
Jackson	8	Summers	0
Jefferson	2	Taylor	1
Kanawha	38	Tucker	1
Lewis	0	Tyler	1
Lincoln	0	Upshur	3
Logan	5	Wayne	1
McDowell	1	Webster	0
Marion	13	Wetzel	10
Marshall	5	Wirt	0
Mason	0	Wood	23
		Wyoming	3



## WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

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### West Virginia Licensing Key

- A. License numbers with 3-4 digits **(000)** are not certified to use any pharmaceutical agents.
- B. License numbers with 3-4 digits and "D" **(0000-D)** are licensed to use diagnostic and therapeutic topical pharmaceutical agents.
- C. License numbers with 3-4 digits and "OD" **(0000-OD)** are licensed to use diagnostic and therapeutic topical pharmaceutical agents and some oral pharmaceuticals according to §14-2.
- D. License Number with 3-4 digits and "IOD" **(0000-IOD)** are licensed to use diagnostic and therapeutic topical pharmaceutical agents, some oral pharmaceuticals according to §14-2 and injection administration according to §14-11.

Addresses are mailing addresses.

All licenses listed are currently active.

All licenses expire July 31, 2012.

## West Virginia Board of Optometry

## Licensed Optometrists 2012

D is DPA TPA; OD is DPA TPA and some oral pharmaceuticals

IOD is DPA TPA some oral pharmaceuticals and Injection Administration

								AR9
Lic No	Lic Date	Fname	Lname	Add1	Add2	City	ST	Zip
1024-OD	7/31/2005	Burton	Abel	118 Evergreen Drive		Buckhannon	WV	26201
812-OD	9/17/1985	Gino	Abruzzino	207 Buckhannon Pike		Nutter Fort	WV	26301
576-D	9/8/1966	Kyle	Abshire	905 Park Ave. Ste. 100		Orange Park	FL	32073
1054-OD	2/21/2009	Krista	Adams	257 Henson Road		Clintonville	WV	24931
927-OD	7/1/1993	Michael	Adkins	105 South Lafayette		Lewisburg	WV	24901
1057-OD	1/31/2010	Jenny	Alsop	3204 Hano	3204 Hanover Ave.	Richmond	VA	23221
680-OD	9/6/1978	Harry	Anderson	P. O. Box 607		Spencer	WV	25276
990-OD	7/9/2000	Lori	Angotti	552 Emily Drive		Clarksburg	WV	26301
781-OD	8/24/1983	Joseph	Audia	Rt. 1, Box 75-4		Salem	WV	26426
716-D	8/1/1980	John	Bailes	1816 Harper Road		Beckley	WV	25801
717-OD	8/29/1980	Steven	Bailey	6010 US Route 60 East		Barboursville	WV	25504
797-OD	4/8/1985	Joseph	Bannon	211 Greentree Drive		St. Clairsville	OH	43950
1007-OD	7/15/2002	J. William	Barnes, II	107 Doctors Dr.		Bridgeport	WV	26330
770-OD	7/1/1982	Robert	Barnette II	800 Foxcroft Avenue		Martinsburg	WV	25401
984-OD	7/9/2000	Cheryl	Bennett	PO Box 33		Red Creek	WV	26289
830-OD	7/15/1987	Matthew	Berardi	Rt. 1 Box 261		Farmington	WV	26571
495	9/1/1953	Harry	Boggs	8 North Main Street		Keyser	WV	26726
1022-OD	1/12/2005	Emily	Bosley	8 Lee Street, Suite 134		Moorefield	WV	26836
1023-OD	1/12/2005	William	Bosley III	8 Lee Street, Suite 134		Moorefield	WV	26836
662-D	9/11/1978	Norma	Bowyer	P.O. Box 1064		Morgantown	WV	26507
667-OD	8/23/1977	Gregory	Brannon	165 Main Street		Weston	WV	26452
668-OD	2/1/1978	Eileen	Brannon	165 Main St.		Weston	WV	26452
767-IOD	7/12/1982	G. Frank	Britton III	3101 Cumberland Road		Bluefield	WV	24701
740-OD	7/13/1981	Mark	Brown	3333 US Rt 60		Huntington	WV	25701
622-OD	7/15/1975	Gregory	Browning	912 Oak Street		Kenova	WV	25530
1086-OD	7/23/2011	Thomas	Brugnoli	2331 Stonewood Lane		Lexigton	KY	40509
762-D	2/1/1983	Lee	Bryant	1031 Charleston Town Center		Charleston	WV	25389
658-OD	6/29/1977	Tasso	Butler Jr.	Seneca Trail; Greenbrier Valley		Lewisburg	WV	24901
687-IOD	8/14/1978	James	Campbell	700 Kevin Drive, Suite E		New Martinsville	WV	26155
1001-OD	7/9/2001	Scott	Carpenter	310 Locust St, Suite 6		Princeton	WV	24740
1013-IOD	8/6/2003	Martin	Carpenter	PO Box 2618		Fairmont	WV	26555
1063-OD	7/12/2009	Westley	Carr	2609 Sweeneysburg Rd.		Beckley	WV	25801
723-OD	7/1/1980	Larry	Carr	214 Washington Street		St. Marys	WV	26170
954-D	2/9/1997	Ohlen	Cartmell	316 Second Street		Marietta	OH	45750
1027-OD	7/31/2005	Adam	Casseday	P.O. Box 247		Mill Creek	WV	26280
1082-OD	8/27/2010	Kimberly	Castellucci	207 Robin Road		Portsmouth Rd.	VA	23701
591-OD	1/25/1970	Norman	Castle	229 Market Road		Beckley	WV	25801
554-OD	7/31/1960	John	Casto	511 6th Avenue		St. Albans	WV	25177
1087-OD	7/23/2011	Chynna	Chandler	3490 Forest Hills Road		Forest Hills	KY	41527
864-OD	8/1/1989	Donna	Chaney	P.O. Box 86/ 300 Madison Ave		Madison	WV	25130
1014-IOD	8/6/2003	Robert	Christen, II	624 Wells Street		Sistersville	WV	26175



714-D	8/29/1980	Paul	Cinalli	440 N. Alvernon Ste.102	Tucson	AZ	85711
759-IOD	7/12/1982	Mark	Cinalli	416 Division Street	Parkersburg	WV	26101
831-OD	7/12/1987	Kathryn	Clark	2101 Jacob Street, Suite 201	Wheeling	WV	26003
641-D	9/14/1976	Gary	Clarke	308 Silver Bridge Plaza	Gallipolis	OH	45631
827-OD	9/10/1986	David	Clarke	215 North Kanawha Street	Beckley	WV	25801
810-OD	8/25/1986	John	Cline	200 Wal Street	Summersville	WV	26651
1059-OD	7/12/2009	Jessica	Cochran	Rt. 1, Box 56	Liberty	WV	25124
548	8/21/1959	Donald	Cohen	P. O. Box 468	Charleston	WV	25322
1088-OD	7/23/2011	Mark	Colander	10623 S. St. Louis	Chicago	IL	60655
694-OD	7/1/1979	Cynthia	Colby-Axe	256 N. Woodbridge Avenue	Chillicothe	OH	45601
615-OD	8/9/1974	Nancy	Collins	107 East Foster Street	Lewisburg	WV	24901
1053-OD	7/12/2008	William	Conrad	24 Meadow Street	Keyser	WV	26726
574-D	8/31/1966	Douglas	Conrath	220 Plantation Drive	Mineral Wells	WV	26150
610-D	7/15/1974	Mark	Cox	6171 Childers Road	Barboursville	WV	25504
889-OD	2/1/1992	Eric	Crowder	3540 Route 60 East	Barboursville	WV	25504
1051-OD	2/10/2008	Edward	Crum	43 Jenna Way Drive	Wheeling	WV	26003
697-D	7/1/1979	Rex	Cummings	P. O. Box 7	Ravenswood	WV	26164
991-OD	2/12/2001	Krista	Davis	1945 Beechwood Ave	Saint Paul	MN	55116
611-D	7/13/1974	Frank	DeCaria	3065 Main Street	Weirton	WV	26062
961-OD	7/14/1997	D. Duane	Deeds	11139 County Road 1	Chesapeake	OH	45619
804-D	9/11/1985	Daniel	DeMarino	104 East Main Street	Clarksburg	WV	26301
1075-OD	6/27/2010	Michelle	DePeau	4115 Gravel Pit Road	New Franklin	WI	54299
1046-OD	7/15/2007	Peter	Dormas	119 Glenn Avenue	St. Clairsville	OH	43950
599-OD	8/5/1972	Eli	Dragisich	100 Powers Road	Weirton	WV	26062
940-D	7/1/1995	Jennifer	Eaddy	1228 Shaker Dr.	Herndon	VA	20170
975-OD	7/11/1999	David	Edmonds	3111 East 1st St. Suite B	Vidalia	GA	30474
660-D	2/17/1978	Linda	Edmondson	P.O. Box 871	Tahlequah	OK	74465
661-D	8/29/1977	William	Edmondson	5395 Cohay Drive	Horn Lake	MS	38637
621	8/20/1975	Jeffrey	Eger	1106 W. University Ste 1	Mesa	AZ	85201
1076-OD	6/27/2010	Meghan	Elkins	16 South Sunset Blvd.	Williamson	WV	25661
985-OD	7/9/2000	Lynn	Engle-LaNeve	806 Greenbrier St.	Charleston	WV	25311
986-OD	7/9/2000	Kimberly	Epling	613 23rd Street Suite 140	Ashland	KY	41101
933-OD	7/1/1995	Beth	Esposito	7402 Scottsdale Road	Fairmont	WV	26554
1068-OD	7/12/2009	Stephanie	Farha	1315 Huntington Avenue	Huntington	WV	25701
627-OD	4/10/1976	Monroe	Farmer	82 Cowpasture River Hwy	Clifton Forge	VA	24422
823-OD	9/10/1986	Daniel	Farnsworth	P. O. Box 586	Weston	WV	26452
964-OD	7/13/1998	Leon	Favede	100 3rd Street	Bridgeport	OH	43950
1008-OD	7/15/2002	Carrie	Fick	499 High St	Morgantown	WV	26505
1009-OD	7/15/2002	James	Fick	499 High St	Morgantown	WV	26508
582-OD	9/27/1967	Charles	Field	701 South Oakwood Avenue	Beckley	WV	25801
1043-OD	7/14/2007	Benjamin	Fisher	1000 Thorn Lot 114	Sissonville	WV	25320
833-OD	9/15/1987	Patrick	Fleming	149 Linwood Way	Martinsburg	WV	25403
951-OD	2/10/1997	Malinda	Flores	37 Alexander Drive	Williamstown	WV	26187
596-OD	7/20/1970	Ronald	Frame	416 Division Street	Parkersburg	WV	26101
1003-OD	2/10/2002	Terry	Freeman	77 Norman Morgan Blvd.	Logan	WV	25601
956-OD	7/14/1997	Alan	French	P. O. Box 852	Eleanor	WV	25070
930-OD	7/1/1994	Stephen	Gaal	1034 Crestmont Road	Hurricane	WV	25526

566-D	2/15/1965	Robert	Gardner	99 Witherspoon St.	Beckley	WV	25801
903-OD	7/1/1991	Jeffery	Gates	552 Emily Drive	Clarksburg	WV	26301
1030-OD	2/24/2006	Alvin	Genier	576 Moores Lane	New Cumberland	WV	26047
857-OD	7/9/1989	Richard	Goellner	3121 North Greystone Dr.	Morgantown	WV	26508
926-OD	7/1/1993	David	Gomez	P.O. Box 569	Crab Orchard	WV	25827
938-OD	7/1/1995	Jenna	Gongola	P. O. Box 1489	Elkins	WV	26241
682-D	9/10/1978	Douglas	Graebe	50 Washington Avenue	Wheeling	WV	26003
835-OD	7/12/1987	Mark	Greer	127 E. Division Road	Oak Ridge	TN	37830
748-OD	8/2/1981	Martin	Gresak	918 Chestnut Ridge Rd Ste. #7	Morgantown	WV	26505
608-OD	10/1/1974	Thomas	Griffith	205 Fourth Street	St. Albans	WV	25177
722-OD	8/1/1980	Gregory	Groves	P. O. Box 370	Bridgeport	WV	26330
1012-OD	8/5/2003	Molly	Guzic	632 Shannon Dr N	Greencastle	PA	17225
992-OD	7/11/2001	Nicholas	Guzic	910 Foxcroft Avenue	Martinsburg	WV	25401
1070-OD	1/25/2010	John	Gwin	15507 TR 424	Frazeyburg	OH	43822
816-D	2/15/1986	Kent	Hall	3840 Pennsylvania Ave.	Charleston	WV	25302
894-D	2/1/1992	Alicia	Hanna	15 Greentree Drive	Morgantown	WV	26508
973-OD	2/15/1999	Christophe	Hansen	700 Oakvale Rd	Princeton	WV	24740
824-D	6/17/1987	Edward	Happe	505 Deerfield Road	Washington	PA	15301
602-OD	8/1/1973	John	Harman	P. O. Box 640	Franklin	WV	26807
731-OD	7/1/1980	Kathlene	Harrington	213 Gateway Blvd, Suite #4	Lewisburg	WV	24901
735-IOD	7/13/1981	David	Harshberger	1142 S. Bridge St.	New Martinsville	WV	26155
897-OD	2/1/1993	Jack	Harvey II	Route 3, Box 3300	Keyser	WV	26726
634-OD	9/7/1976	Arabel	Hatfield	315 White & Browning	Logan	WV	25601
698-OD	8/6/1979	R. Mark	Hatfield	P. O. Box 3970	Charleston	WV	25339
870-OD	7/1/1990	Dennis	Hedrick	806 Greenbrier Street	Charleston	WV	25311
920-OD	2/1/1993	John	Hendrix Jr.	332 North Street	Bluefield	WV	24701
936-OD	7/1/1995	Scott	Henry	331 Laidley St. Ste. 102	Charleston	WV	25301
826-OD	10/2/1986	James	Herman	3709 Teays Valley Road	Hurricane	WV	25526
749-OD	7/13/1981	Stephen	Hilton	425 E. Main Street #417	Kingwood	WV	26537
707-OD	7/30/1979	David	Holliday	1928 Harper Road	Beckley	WV	25801
817-OD	7/1/1986	Mark	Holliday	1928 Harper Road	Beckley	WV	25801
925-OD	7/1/1993	Annette	Hoover	607 Foxcroft Ave. Apt. 3B	Martinsburg	WV	25401
1044-OD	7/14/2007	Steven	Hosman	1301 Lee Street, East	Charleston	WV	25301
565-OD	2/20/1964	Edward	Hyre	115 Wilton Avenue	Elkins	WV	26241
867-IOD	2/1/1990	Craig	Hyre	1500 Harrison Avenue	Elkins	WV	26241
966-OD	7/13/1998	Lance	Inman	2900 Pike Street Suite A	Parkersburg	WV	26101
993-OD	7/9/2001	Cynthia	Inman	PO Box 7202	Bluefield	WV	24701
1090-OD	7/23/2011	Deanna	Jackson	150 Marie Street	Parkersburg	WV	26104
876-OD	6/30/1990	Edward	Jagela	627 North 4th Street	Steubenville	OH	43952
808-OD	9/11/1985	Gordon	Jennings	310 E. Main Street	Wytheville	VA	24382
712-OD	2/14/1982	James	Jones	888 Memorial Drive	Oakland	MD	21550
1074-OD	2/21/2010	Sona	Kalra	520 Colston Apt 302	Winchester	VA	22601
1078-OD	6/27/2010	Nagaraju	Kemidi	47 Manor Drive Apt 101	Hagerstown	MD	21740
542-D	7/14/1958	Claud	Kendall	1626 Otlahurst Drive	Fairmont	WV	26554
637-OD	4/4/1977	Donald	King	600 S. Church Street	Ripley	WV	25271
704-D	8/2/1979	R. Keith	King	P. O. Box 469	Ripley	WV	25271
944-D	7/15/1996	Joy	Kissel	PO Box 585	Oceana	WV	24870

945-D	7/15/1996	Kevin	Kissel	66 Main Ave.	Pineville	WV	24874
598-D	3/7/1972	Howard	Klapper	Route 2, Box 243N	Ripley	WV	25035
1093-OD	2/4/2012	Kylee	Kleppinger	5693 Kilbury Lane	Hilliard	OH	43026
965-OD	7/13/1998	Joanna	Knapp	416 Division Avenue	Parkersburg	WV	26101
761-OD	7/12/1982	John	Knight	2010 Thundering Herd Drive	Barboursville	WV	25504
998-IOD	7/9/2001	Sherry	Knotts	216 Lincoln Street	Grafton	WV	26354
937-OD	7/1/1995	Mitchell	Koerber	442 Highland Ave.	Williamstown	WV	26187
1037-OD	7/8/2006	Elizabeth	Koski	215 Woodcock Ave	Shepherdstown	WV	25443
958-OD	7/14/1997	Theodore	Kress	920 W. Main St	Bridgeport	WV	26330
703-OD	7/1/1979	Michael	Kucher	117 Three Springs Drive #3	Weirton	WV	26062
980-OD	2/13/2000	Wing	Lam	730 Venture Drive	Morgantown	WV	26508
1073-OD	2/26/2010	Timothy	Landis	110 Hall St	Clarksburg	WV	26301
1047-OD	7/15/2007	Bradley	Lane	111 Ridge Way Dr	Princeton	WV	24740
779-OD	7/12/1983	Jerry	Lantz	2905 Emerson Avenue	Parkersburg	WV	26104
968-OD	7/13/1998	Vicki	Lauer	402 Avery Street	Parkersburg	WV	26101
969-OD	7/13/1998	Scott	Lauer	402 Avery Street	Parkersburg	WV	26104
646-OD	8/8/1976	C. David	Laughlin	405 Locust Avenue	Fairmont	WV	26554
807-D	9/1/1985	Zane	Lawhorn	310 Locust Street, Ste 6	Princeton	WV	24740
1032-OD	7/31/2005	Melissa	Leoni	6010 Route 60 East	Barboursville	WV	25504
550-OD	7/31/1959	William	Lewis	350 Norway Avenue	Huntington	WV	25705
743-OD	9/16/1981	Craig	Liebig	538 B Emily Drive	Clarksburg	WV	26301
766-OD	7/12/1982	Dale	Lilly	2823 3rd Avenue	Huntington	WV	25702
1011-OD	3/15/2003	Brian	Looney	P.O. Box 607	Welch	WV	24801
727-OD	9/1/1980	Michael	Looper	827 Fairmont Road Suite 105	Morgantown	WV	26501
1019-OD	8/23/2004	Anthony	Lowe	2 Commer Apt A	Charleston	SC	29412
1038-OD	7/8/2006	Lonnie	Lucas	HC74 Box 3034	Chapmanville	WV	25508
718-OD	8/30/1980	Terry	Mangold	1405 Chandell Street	Keyser	WV	26726
690-OD	9/6/1978	Melvin	Mann	4008 MacCorkle Ave. S.W.	South Charleston	WV	25309
588-OD	7/1/1968	Donald	Manzo	1600 Grand Central Avenue	Vienna	WV	26105
586-OD	8/1/1968	Neill	Marshall	903 Third St./P.O.Box 219	New Martinsville	WV	26155
866-D	2/15/1991	Hilda	Maxwell	130 Goff Mtn Rd. Ste. 12	Cross Lanes	WV	25313
1077-OD	10/28/2010	Kelly	Mccartney	1476 Lawrence Street	Fairmont	WV	26554
630-D	9/13/1976	Donald	McCoy	BRWCOVAOPC , 9800 W. Comr	Sunrise	FL	33351
988-OD	8/16/2000	Edward	McDonald	12 Wheeling Ave	Glen Dale	WV	26038
1060-OD	6/11/2009	Greg	McGrew	12 Fairfax Street, SE	Leesburg	VA	20175
768-OD	8/12/1983	Adrienne	Melgary	99 Seventh Street	Wellsburg	WV	26070
793-OD	9/11/1985	David	Melgary	99 Seventh Street	Wellsburg	WV	26070
1045-OD	7/15/2007	Elicia	Miller	614 Cross Lanes Drive	Nitro	WV	25143
931-OD	7/1/1994	Christine	Mize	706 Washington Street	Ravenswood	WV	26164
924-OD	7/1/1993	Jesse	Mize III	706 Washington Street	Ravenswood	WV	26164
849-OD	7/1/1988	Lana	Mohr	1600 Grand Central Avenue	Vienna	WV	26105
783-D	7/9/1984	Stephen	Moon	1715 Mary Lous Retton Dr. AM	Fairmont	WV	26554
1058-OD	7/12/2009	Brian	Moore	9970 Mountain View Dr.	West Mifflin	PA	15122
1061-OD	7/12/2009	Thomas	Moore	1214 Grosscup Avenue	Dunbar	WV	25064
1064-OD	7/12/2009	Marty	Moore	382 Ferrell Drive	Julien	WV	25529
843-OD	3/1/1987	Gregory	Moore	50 Riverwalk Mall	South Charleston	WV	25303

728-OD	8/1/1980	Lee	Moore, Jr.	P. O. Box 116	Charles Town	WV	25414
782-OD	7/17/1983	David Barr	Morrison	299 Aikens Center	Martinsburg	WV	25404
739-D	7/16/1981	Daniel	Mosser	608 W. Addition Street	Martinsburg	WV	25401
820-OD	10/15/1986	Marlene	Mowery	1306 Kanawha Blvd.	Charleston	WV	25301
700-OD	8/1/1979	Harry	Murray, III	P. O. Box 370	Bridgeport	WV	26330
567-D	2/15/1965	Joseph	Myers	511 Fifth Street	Moundsville	WV	26041
862-OD	7/1/1989	John	Myers	511 5th Street	Moundsville	WV	26041
737-OD	9/16/1981	Byron	Nibert	408 4th Avenue	Montgomery	WV	25136
619-OD	2/1/1975	Jon	Oberly	965 Stewart Street	Morgantown	WV	26505
837-OD	4/12/1988	Steven	Odekirk	1214 Grosscup Avenue	Dunbar	WV	25064
852-OD	9/19/1988	Nancy	Odekirk	1214 Grosscup Avenue	Dunbar	WV	25064
1048-OD	2/10/2008	Carolyn	Ormes	16930 Twin Maple Lane	Leesburg	VA	20176
1067-OD	7/12/2009	Cassandra	Ortiz	1001 1/2 Elizabeth Street	Oak Hill	WV	25901
1052-OD	7/12/2008	Erica	Owen	134 Top of the Rock Drive	Morgantown	WV	26505
720-OD	2/14/1982	James	Pasinski	1257 Pineview Drive	Morgantown	WV	26505
899-D	7/1/1991	Robert	Pate	2700 Mountaineer Blvd.	South Charleston	WV	25309
632-OD	7/1/1976	Leon	Pendracky	1045 Old Ridge Road	Avella	PA	15312
1069-OD	2/21/2010	Rachel	Penney	P.O. Box 3001	Elkins	WV	26241
850-D	10/11/1988	Michael	Peters	14460 New Falls of Neuse, Ste.	Raleigh	NC	27614
1021-OD	3/16/2005	Barbara	Pittaras	100 Hoke Pl	Frederick	MD	21703
904-OD	7/1/1991	John	Pockl	2106 Lumber Avenue	Wheeling	WV	26003
763-OD	7/12/1982	Robert	Powelson	401 Pike Street	Shinnston	WV	26431
666-D	8/1/1977	Eddie	Prendergast	651 Water Street	Summersville	WV	26651
1042-OD	7/15/2007	William	Pugh, III	209 Highland Avenue	Oak Hill	WV	25901
706-OD	2/11/1980	Laurie	Raab	117 Three Springs Dr, Suite 3	Weirton	WV	26062
774-OD	2/13/1984	William	Rada	4202 MacCorkle Avenue	Charleston	WV	25304
730-IOD	7/13/1980	Brett	Radow	2700 E. Dupont Avenue	Belle	WV	25015
593-OD	9/1/1969	Walter	Ramsey	1301 Lee Street E.	Charleston	WV	25301
715-OD	3/1/1981	Dennis	Randolph	1714 Washington Blvd.	Belpre	OH	45714
695-IOD	6/13/1979	William	Ratcliff	919 Fifth Avenue #100	Huntington	WV	25701
879-OD	7/1/1990	Chris	Ratcliff	919 Fifth Avenue	Huntington	WV	25701
971-OD	7/12/1998	Richard	Rebuck	800 Foxcroft Ave, Ste 914	Martinsburg	WV	25401
756-D	7/12/1982	Timothy	Reese	Route 6, Box 309	Buckhannon	WV	26201
585-OD	8/15/1968	Martin	Reichenbech	8192 National Pike	Addison	PA	15411
636-OD	9/13/1976	Douglas	Ritchie	1500 Grand Central Ave, STE 1	Vienna	WV	26105
584-D	4/15/1968	Stanley	Robertson	RR 02 Box 524E	Princeton	WV	24740
663-OD	5/5/1995	Mark	Robinson	187 Fairmont Rd Ste 105-106	Morgantown	WV	26501
791-D	8/29/1984	Susan	Rodgin	16 Lincoln Street	Natick	MA	1760
1092-OD	7/23/2011	Meredith	Rogers	P.O. Box 962	Versailles	KY	40383
672-OD	2/1/1979	John	Romans	PO Box 4129	Barboursville	WV	25504
480-D	4/1/1953	Harold	Rose	2819 Fifth Avenue	Huntington	WV	25702
1085-OD	2/19/2011	Tracy	Rosiek	3133 Tri Park Court #6	Appleton	WI	54914
772-OD	7/12/1983	Patricia	Ross	HC 89 Box 421	McGraws	WV	25875
1025-OD	7/31/2005	Belinda	Russell	222 Township Road 1535	Proctorville	OH	45669
978-OD	7/11/1999	Scott	Sanders	4600 Buffalo Road	Erie	PA	16510
1055-OD	2/21/2009	Tracy	Scott	1 White Oak Ddrive	Culloden	WV	25510
928-OD	9/1/1993	H. James	Seese	105 Nelson Dr	Morgantgown	WV	26508

898-OD	7/1/1991	Donald	Seibert	1540 Spring Valley Drive	Huntington	WV	25704	
644-OD	9/19/1976	James	Selario	126 South Chestnut St.	Clarksburg	WV	26301	
1083-OD	10/28/2010	Minu	Shah	520 Colston Place #302	Winchester	VA	22601	
1091-OD	7/23/2011	Angrisha	Sharma	406 Wharton Circle, Apt 304	Winchester	VA	22601	
726-OD	9/1/1980	Barbara	Sharps	7122 Scottsdale Road	Fairmont	WV	26554	
939-OD	7/10/1995	Jill	Showalter	1500 Grand Central Plaza, Suite	Vienna	WV	26105	
994-D	7/8/2001	Rory	Simpson	258 Summers School Road	Morgantown	WV	26508	
1018-OD	8/8/2003	Kelly	Slater	223 County Rd. 410	South Point	OH	45680	
873-OD	7/31/1990	Gary	Smith	Southside Prof. Bldg. Ste. A	South Williamson	KY	41503	
995-OD	7/9/2001	William	Smith III	1400 Locust Street, Suite 3103	Pittsburgh	PA	15219	
1029-OD	7/31/2005	Holly	Sprout	3025 City View Dr.	Parkersburg	WV	26101	
989-OD	7/9/2000	Rebecca	St.Jean	4030 MacCorkle Ave SW	South Charleston	WV	25309	
851-OD	9/1/1988	Michele	Stanley	1542 Thomas Circle	Charleston	WV	25314	
859-OD	2/1/1990	Louis	Stanley	1542 Thomas Circle	Charleston	WV	25314	
1017-OD	12/30/2009	Christophe	Stansbury	1411 Woodmere Drive	Charleston	WV	25314	
875-OD	7/1/1990	John	Stavrakis	701 Grand Central Ave.	Vienna	WV	26105	
887-OD	6/13/1991	Laura	Steiner Chris	1180 Parkview Drive	Morgantown	WV	26505	
607-OD	7/16/1974	Richard	Stender	Rt. 2, Box 427	New Martinsville	WV	26155	
1004-OD	2/9/2002	T. Shawn	Stephens	P.O. Box 6018 Suite 244 Grand	Vienna	WV	26105	
905-OD	6/30/1991	L. DeRosa	Stephens	P O BOX 308	MCMINNVILLE	TN	37111	
960-OD	7/14/1997	Carrie	Stephens	P.O. Box 6018 Suite 244 Grand	Vienna	WV	26105	
1079-OD	6/27/2010	Jennifer	Stevens	94 Fairfax Drive	Huntington	WV	25705	
1080-OD	6/27/2010	Nathaniel	Stevens	94 Fairfax Drive	Huntington	WV	25705	
541-D	7/15/1958	Thomas	Stewart	P. O. Box 359	Clifton Forge	VA	24422	
806-D	9/11/1985	Richard	Stewart	HC 61 Box 178	New Martinsville	WV	26155	
719-OD	8/31/1980	Thomas	Stout	3000 Hampton Ctr Ste. A	Morgantown	WV	26505	
921-OD	2/1/1993	Arnold	Tanguilig	3333 US Rt 60	Huntington	WV	25705	
594-OD	7/10/1978	Donald	Taylor	17 Oak Park Avenue	Wheeling	WV	26003	
689-OD	6/1/1979	Donald	Taylor	332 North Street	Bluefield	WV	24701	
949-OD	7/15/1996	Travis	Taylor	P. O. Box 8397	South Charleston	WV	25303	
972-OD	7/13/1998	Sarah	Taylor	415 D St. P. O. Box 8397	South Charleston	WV	25303	
979-OD	7/11/1999	Charles	Teaters	615 Dee Dee Drive	Christiansburg	VA	24073	
915-OD	7/1/1992	Thomas	Tekavec	2690 Whitehall blvd.	Fairmont	WV	26554	
1071-OD	2/21/2010	Caleb	Tennant	3494 Crossroads Road	Fairview	WV	26570	
577	8/31/1966	William	Thomas	346 Third Avenue PO Box 152	Gallipolis	OH	45631	
745-D	8/2/1981	Bill	Tomasik	136 West Main Street	Bridgeport	WV	26330	
771-OD	8/24/1983	Stanley	Toompas	P. O. Box 781	Philippi	WV	26416	
711-OD	2/1/1980	John	Townsend	3868 Woodville Lane	Ellicott City	MD	21042	
1015-OD	7/30/2003	Stacy	Trego	1605 Copperplate Rd	Charlotte	NC	28262	
1081-OD	6/27/2010	Jeremiah	Troyer		P.O. Box 821	Lewisburg	WV	24901
601-OD	7/10/1972	Joseph	Trupo	1506 Harrison Avenue	Elkins	WV	26241	
839-D	10/20/1988	Charles	Twigg	33 West Main Street	Berryville	VA	22611	
853-OD	7/1/1988	Cheryl	Van Horn	717 Fairmont Avenue	Fairmont	WV	26554	
744-D	7/13/1981	Karen	Veronneau	520 N. Jefferson Street	Lewisburg	WV	24901	
753-OD	7/13/1981	Gary	Veronneau	1102 Main Street	Rainelle	WV	25962	
701-OD	7/28/1979	Montgome	Vickers	P.O. Box 48	St. Albans	WV	25177	
1056-OD	2/21/2009	Robert	Wade	107 Guard Drive	Princeton	WV	24740	

729-OD	8/3/1980	J. Keith	Wade	405 Locust Avenue	Fairmont	WV	26554
934-IOD	7/1/1995	Charles	Waitkus	624 Neville Street	Beckley	WV	25801
669-D	4/25/1978	David	Watson	1330 North Eisenhower Dr.	Beckley	WV	25801
790-D	7/1/1984	Otis	Weatherholt	142 Mill Acres Drive	Lynchburg	VA	24503
821-OD	11/19/1986	R. Joe	Weaver	1600 Grand Central Ave PO Bo	Vienna	WV	26105
883-OD	7/1/1990	J. Matthew	Weaver	2404 Nash Street	Parkersburg	WV	26101
1072-OD	2/21/2010	Alison	Webb	P.O. 725	Macclenny	FL	32063
838-OD	9/1/1987	C. Robert	Welshans	2653 Grand Central Avenue	Vienna	WV	26105
665-OD	8/1/1977	Mason	White	113 LBT Way	Logan	WV	25601
765-OD	7/12/1982	Jeffery	Whittington	3840 Pennsylvania Avenue	Charleston	WV	25302
775-OD	8/1/1983	Sandra	Whittington	3840 Pennsylvania Avenue	Charleston	WV	25302
913-OD	7/1/1992	Michelle	Wickline	339 Braxton Street	Clarksburg	WV	26301
815-IOD	10/14/1985	John	Wiles	215 5th Avenue	St. Albans	WV	25177
645-D	2/24/1977	Terry	Williams	12 Wheeling Avenue	Glen Dale	WV	26038
683-IOD	7/1/1978	Larry	Williams	10 Amalia Drive Ste. C-1	Buckhannon	WV	26201
708-OD	8/1/1979	Shirley	Willis	510 Old Farm Rd.	Daniels	WV	25832
787-OD	7/1/1984	Philip	Wilmoth	P. O. Box 2618	Fairmont	WV	26554
758-OD	7/12/1982	Steven	Wilson	126 West Second Avenue	Williamson	WV	25661
1006-OD	7/15/2002	Gregory	Wolfe	12320 N. Sunrise Shadow Dr.	Marana	AZ	85658
950-OD	7/13/1996	Kevin	Wolford	821 Weaber Ave.	Palmyra	PA	17078
742-D	8/1/1981	Carleton	Wood	P. O. Box 1630	Chapmanville	WV	25508
1084-OD	2/19/2011	Dona	Wratchford	1803 NW 23rd Street	Lawton	OK	73505
675-OD	9/1/1978	Patricia	Wylie	1589 Wheeling Avenue	Glen Dale	WV	26038
902-OD	7/1/1991	Joseph	Yearego	721 Beverly Pike	Elkins	WV	26241
856-OD	7/15/1988	Randal	Zink	273 N. State Rt. 2	New Martinsville	WV	26155
1035-OD	7/15/2006	Cynthia	Zwolensky	405 Sunrise Drive	Bridgeport	WV	26330

# West Virginia Board of Optometry Visionary



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*The Board congratulates its new licensees, Donna Wratchford, Tracy Rosiek, Thomas Brugnoli, Chynna Chandler, Mark Colander, Deanna Jackson, Angri-sha Sharma, Meredith Rogers and Kylee Kleppinger*



## A Word from the President, Matthew Berardi, O.D.

The West Virginia Board of Optometry has undergone some changes. On June 11, 2010, the newly revised Chapter 30, Article 8 of the W.Va. Code went into effect. It gave this Board the ability to promulgate legislative rules that change your scope of practice. These new abilities come with new responsibilities. The Board of Optometry is now responsible for keeping all licensees aware of changes in scope as well as education requirements for scope expansion.

We have created three new officer positions in an effort to accomplish our new duties. Dr. James Campbell was appointed as Education Officer. He will advise the Board on what new procedures are being taught in Optometry and will work with our association on future education needs. Dr. Glenn Bailey was appointed as Rules Officer. He will lead our efforts in legislative rule writing. He will be working with our Executive Director, Pamela Carper, who has previous experience in this area. Dr. Greg Moore was appointed as Legisla-

tive Liaison, and he will represent the Board before the Legislative Rule Making Review Committee.

Promulgating rules has created a new financial obligation; as a result, we increased the license renewal fee. Dr. Moore and Pam Carper were able to reduce our spending in many areas last year and we will continue to make efforts to control our budget. Rules must be reviewed by legal staff in order to meet all requirements. This increased financial obligation required an increase in fees.

A doctor recently asked this board if his license allowed him to remove skin tags from eyelids with chemical cauterization. The doctor was told that his license allowed him to administer any drug for topical application to treat conditions of the human eye and its appendages. In Review of Optometry, May 2010, page 87, Dr. Jeff Yunker, OD, describes this procedure. I must admit, I did not realize I could offer my patients this procedure. I believe a list of procedures that



reflects our scope of practice will help us to practice optometry that best serves the needs of our patients.

On behalf of the Board of Optometry, I want to thank those members of the West Virginia Association of Optometric Physicians for the many hours they spent at the capitol building to ensure passage of Senate Bill 230 and our legislative rules. Your efforts will impact your profession forever. This board will work to reward your efforts and expand our scope of practice. Our first class for injection administration had 50 optometrists

## New Annual Renewal Period Begins on July 1, 2012

Optometric law was changed to reduce the biennial renewal period to an annual renewal. This new change is listed in our rules, §14-1. The fee for annual renewal is \$400. The current license period ends on June 30.

The continuing education requirements were left on a two

year cycle for the convenience of the optometrists.

The rules now state that CE requirements are that 40 hours of continuing education are to be obtained during any even numbered two year cycle. As before, a minimum of 12 hours of CE must be taken in pharmacology or therapeutics, a maxi-

imum of 6 hours may be taken in practice management, and a maximum of 10 hours of CE may be taken by correspondence or via the Internet.

License renewal is conducted on line on our web site, [www.wvbo.org](http://www.wvbo.org) under "Licensees," then "Online Annual Renewal."





**"I will forever reflect on my time as President ...as one of, if not the, highlight of my career." - Dr. Gregory Moore**

First, I want to thank the WVOAP that was very successful in passing legislation that is considered groundbreaking for the government oversight of physician level providers who do not hold a M.D. degree. In addition, its support for our new legislative rules was invaluable.

## Gregory Moore, O.D., Past President's, Parting Remarks

I want to thank Dr. Glenn Bailey, Dr. Matt Berardi, Dr. Jim Campbell, Dr. David Laughlin, Ms. Lori Gemondo, and Mr. Ray Kenner, Esq., our AG attorney Nicole Cofer, Esq. and last but certainly not least our Executive Director Pam Carper.

I have no doubt that each of these board members and especially Pam went well above and beyond what is normally expected in these rolls.

As for the other optometrists on the Board, I can't even begin to express how honored and humbled I am to serve on a board with each of them. Although we have various backgrounds and practice modalities, each one of them is with out a doubt the very embodiment of the best our profession has to offer.

The past two years were an amazing experience. I will forever reflect on my time as President of the West Virginia Board of Optometry as one of, if not the, highlight of my career." In the final analysis, I am confident that the Board was an integral and

effective part of one of the most significant changes in the history of optometry and perhaps the entire health care industry. I am proud we all have finally lived up to the legacy left by those who effected change in the landmark 1976 legislation.

West Virginia Code, 30-8, will be remembered as the legislation that laid the groundwork for removing from the legislative code specific scope issues yet maintaining legislative oversight through the state Board.

Make no mistake, our law caught national attention. In fact I was invited to address this issue in Washington DC by the Citizens Advocacy Council.

My talk was titled "Intellectual Bigotry" and in it I quoted Thomas Jefferson who said "I am not an advocate for frequent changes in laws and constitutions, but laws and institutions must go hand in hand with the progress of the human mind. As that becomes

more developed, more enlightened, as new discoveries are made, new truths discovered and manners and opinions change, with the change of circumstances, institutions must advance also to keep pace with the times. We might as well require a man to wear still the coat which fitted him when a boy as civilized society to remain ever under the regimen of their barbarous ancestors."

To my colleagues throughout the state, some who will be privileged enough to one day sit on this board, know that by being a WV OD you have been given an awesome responsibility.

We live in uncertain times in the medical community. I submit that if you maintain your practice at the fullest potential allowed by WV law, and support efforts to keep pace with advances in eye care you will not only have a rewarding and fulfilling career, but you will pave the way for others in our profession throughout the world to have those same rights and privileges.

## Annual Renewal Online is Quick and Easy

Optometrists actively engaged in the profession of optometry in this state must renew their license annually on or before June 30, 2012. The fee for renewal is \$400. There is a late renewal fee of \$200 for those renewals not received by June 30, 2012.

License renewal will be conducted using the Board's web site, [www.wvbo.org](http://www.wvbo.org). Payment may be made by credit card, using the numbers from the bottom of your check or check by mail postmarked within 48 hours of license renewal on the web site.

You may click on "Licensees" in the left column of the home

page. This leads you to a new menu. Please select "Online Annual Renewal." The next action will be to click your mouse on "Account Manager".

If you have established an encrypted user account with the web site you may enter your user name and password. If you are a new licensee who has not registered on the web site you may establish a new account.

Review your personal information including all addresses, e-mail address and phone numbers. Please be sure to list the address of all of your office locations then mark "yes" or "no" to the licensee

assurances at the end of your listing. The process will take approximately five minutes.

Annual notification of renewal is a courtesy of the Board, and failure to receive a notice does not exempt anyone from the penalties of failing to meet the requirements of renewal by the West Virginia Code.

The Board no longer maintains proof of all CE hours. Maintaining proof of at least 40 hours of continuing education credits per each even numbered 2 year period is your responsibility.

You should retain records for the current and previous re-

newal periods.

The Board begins its CE audit by checking your listing in OE Tracker through the ARBO web site at [www.arbo.org](http://www.arbo.org). If you have enough hours accumulated in this database you will not be audited further. If enough hours are not listed there you will be asked to provide paper copies of CE proof of attendance.

If you hold an and Injectable Pharmaceuticals Certificate you must obtain at least 2 additional hours of CE in injections in addition to the 40 hours required annually. You must also maintain current CPR certification.



## West Virginia Board of Optometry License Interview Date is July 14, 2012

The West Virginia Board of Optometry will hold its Summer, 2011 license exam on July 14 beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the board office at 179 Summers Street, Suite 231, Charleston, WV 25301. The deadline for applications to be received in the Board office is June 14, 2012.

The interview includes questions on pharmacology, laboratory procedures, ocular manifestations of systemic diseases and ophthalmic science (e.g.: optics). There is a written multiple choice exam on jurisprudence administered simultaneously. You may also choose to take the jurispru-

dence exam through the National Board of Examiners in Optometry on its website at [www.optometry.org](http://www.optometry.org). The fee is \$25. Go to "Laws and Regulations Governing Optometry" on our website at [www.wvbo.org](http://www.wvbo.org) to study for the jurisprudence exam.

The requirements for an application are listed in West Virginia Code, §14-1-3. Some important requirements to remember are:

- A certified, sealed transcript from the applicant's undergraduate and optometry school must be sent directly to

the Board office.

- The applicant must take and successfully pass the exam from the National Board of Examiners in Optometry (NBEO) parts I, II, and III including the examination on injections. A copy of the exam results must be sent to the Board office.

- A copy of your birth certificate is to be enclosed.

- Two 2" x 2" color photographs must accompany the application.

- The fee for the applica-

tion is \$300.00.

The application may be requested from the board office at 1-800-250-4150, downloaded from the board's web site at [www.wvbo.org](http://www.wvbo.org) or requested by postal mail.

§14-1 on the application process is posted on the web site under "Laws and Regulations."

The requirement that all new applicants take and pass the NBEO exam on injections is a new requirement for our rule, §14-11 Injectable Pharmaceuticals Certificate.

## The Board's New Legislative Rules

The Board's enabling statute, §30-8, was completely rewritten by Senate Bill 230 effective on June 11, 2010. All of the Board's legislative rules were re-written to comply with the bill. Some changes were minor, such as re-labeling sections of the rules to match the new legislation.

The Board has added three new rules, §14-9 on Contacts That Contain and Deliver Pharmaceutical Agents, §14-10 on Continuing Education and §14-11 on Injectable Pharmaceutical Agents.

§14-9 sets up a certificate to allow optometrists to prescribe and dispense contact lenses that deliver pharmaceutical agents for a reasonable and customary fee. An optometrist

may not dispense these contacts based on an outside prescription.

§14-10 on Continuing Education takes CE out of §14-1, Rules of the Board. This will allow the Board to make adjustments to continuing education requirements as the scope of practice increases. It also modernizes the pre-approved sponsor list, and makes the CE approval process and documentation required more clear. A two year period to acquire the required hours in continuing education is retained.

§14-11 sets up requirements to obtain the privilege of administering injectable pharmaceuticals. The Board will keep a list of approved courses for training in injection techniques

and the pharmaceuticals approved for administration. The Board will also maintain a list of approved injection sites and pharmaceuticals permissible for inspection by the public. Those optometrists who gain the privilege must obtain certification from the American Heart Association or American Red Cross in basic life support.

The Board has re-written §14-2 on oral pharmaceutical agents. It now includes the statutory categories of oral antibiotics, oral nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs and oral carbonic anhydrase inhibitors so all oral pharmaceutical categories will be listed in the rule together. It also outlines criteria for the Board to approve new oral drugs. A list of approved new drugs will be maintained by

the

Board for public inspection.

§14-1 Rules of the WV Board of Optometry changes the license renewal period from two years to one year beginning on July 1, 2012. The two year period for acquiring required continuing education hours is retained in the new §14-10, Continuing Education. The rule adds the new forms of permits and licensure required in the new law. A temporary permit is added for new graduates who have not had their Board interview to practice under supervision. The temporary permit is in effect for 90 days.

§14-5, Fees, adds new fees for the new permits.

The rules are posted on the web site under "Rules and Regulations Governing Optometry."

## The WV Health Information Network for Electronic Health Records

The West Virginia Health Information Network was formed under the oversight of the Health Care Authority to facilitate exchange of health records

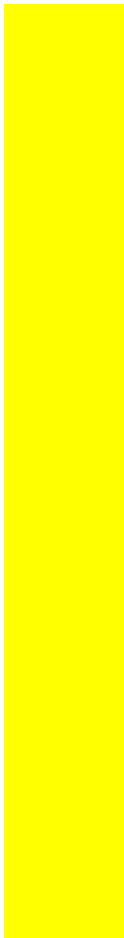
through the use of Electronic Health Records.

You may contact Amber Nary, MS at the network at 304-558-4503 or go to the web site at

[www.wwhin.org](http://www.wwhin.org).

Incentives for optometrists who use or want to implement electronic health records are available through a Medicare Incentive

Program. You may contact the WV Regional Health Information Technology Extension Center at 304-951-8716, or go to its web site at [www.wvrhitec.org](http://www.wvrhitec.org).



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### CHANGE OF ADDRESS and/or CHANGE OF NAME FORM

NAME OF LICENSEE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF CHANGE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 WV LICENSE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_  
 NAME CHANGED TO: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check only one preferred mailing address:

(The preferred mailing address is your address of record and is public information. Telephone numbers are not public information.)

Principal Office Address

Home Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ (Original Signature of Licensee is Required)

Fee for Address Change: \$10.00

Fee for Name Change: \$10.00

