



State Boards of Opticianry Approvals  
**International Vision Expo & Conference East 2010**  
March 18 – 21, 2010

**As of March 9, 2010**

**Alaska:** Vision Expo is approved as a key provider of continuing education provided by ABO/NCLE.

**Arizona:** Arizona State Board of Dispensing Opticians will accept ABO or NCLE approved courses.

**Arkansas:** Status is pending.

**California:** Status is pending.

**Connecticut:** Status is pending.

**Florida:** Please see separate listing for the Florida Board of Opticianry.

**Georgia:** The Board has been disapproved.

**Hawaii:** Hawaii Revised Statutes Chapter 458 does not require continuing education for dispensing opticians.

**Kentucky:** The Board has approved the requested continuing education for one full credit to Kentucky licensees.

**Massachusetts:** The Board accepts courses approved by ABO and NCLE. *Please contact the MA Board directly to clarify any special conditions attached to acceptance.*

**Nevada:** The Board has approved the CE classes at Vision Expo.

**New Jersey:** The Board has approved the following courses: 1103, 1104, 1111, 1114, 1202, 1203, 1302, 1311, 2209, 2302, 2308, 2402, 2403, 3102, 3203, 3204, 3302, 3303, 3308, 3408, 4112, 4114, 4207, 4212, 4214, 4307, 4310, 4312

**New York:** New York State Board of Opticianry / the New York State Education Department for Ophthalmic Dispensing – ID # 012002012005.0007. International Vision Expo is an approved provider of continuing education.

**North Carolina:** The Board has approved the CE hours that are ABO and/or NCLE approved and applicable for spectacles, contact lenses and management education with the exception of Social Networking # 2202.

**Ohio:** This offering has been approved by the Ohio Optical Dispensers Board for 42 – Spectacle Hours, 25 – Contact Lens Hours and 51 – Management Hours of continuing education. (ODB). Approval for this Program expires December 31, 2010.

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**Rhode Island:** The Board accepts ABO approved courses. *Please contact the RI Board directly to clarify any special conditions attached to acceptance.*

**South Carolina:** Courses and speakers must be ABO/NCLE approved. ABO/NCLE certificates of attendance must be awarded. *Please contact the SC Board directly to clarify any special conditions attached to acceptance.*

**Texas:** The Texas Department of Health Optician's Registry will only accept ABO or NCLE approved courses.

**Tennessee:** The Board accepts ABO/NCLE approved courses. *Please contact the TN Board directly to clarify any special conditions attached to acceptance.*

**Vermont:** Status is pending

**Virginia:** Status is pending. *Please contact the VA Board directly to clarify any special conditions attached to acceptance.*

**Washington:** Status is pending. *Please contact the WA Board directly to clarify any special conditions attached to acceptance.*

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