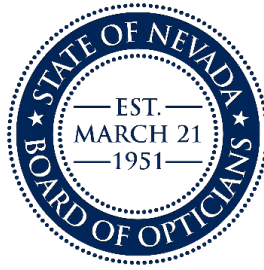


STATE OF NEVADA



BOARD OF DISPENSING OPTICIANS

NOTICE OF WORKSHOP FOR THE ADOPTION OF A PROPOSED REGULATION

LCB FILE NO. R117-26

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Nevada State Board of Dispensing Opticians will hold a public workshop on **Thursday, October 22, 2026 at 5:30 p.m.** The purpose of the workshop is to receive comments from all interested parties regarding the potential adoption of **Proposed Regulation R117-26**, which would amend Chapter 637 of the Nevada Administrative Code. The workshop will be held in person at: **NVBDO Board Office, Conference Room; 4747 Caughlin Parkway; Reno, Nevada, 89519**, and via teleconference at: **(617) 829-6755**.

The proposed regulation would establish, without limitation: 1) specific standards of practice and a duty of care for opticians, 2) requirements for optical establishments regarding record-keeping and confidentiality, storage of optical devices, and the provision of specific services to patients, 3) specific requirements for patient care related to the type of optical business, whether in-person or remote, 4) requirements for apprentice education programs approved by the Board and the method of approval, 5) requirements for management of an optical business and standards for determining whether an unlicensed person is managing an optical business, and 6) administrative fines for violations of certain provisions.

The proposed regulation would also increase or create fees for: 1) an application for an initial license as a dispensing optician or apprentice dispensing optician, 2) the annual renewal of a license as an optician or apprentice dispensing optician, and 3) the Laws and Ethics Examination administered by the Board pursuant to NAC 637.160.

Persons wishing to comment on the adoption of the proposed regulations may attend the scheduled public workshop or may address their comments, data, views, or arguments, in written form, to: **Nevada State Board of Dispensing Opticians; 4790 Caughlin Parkway PMB 241; Reno, Nevada 89519-0907**, or by email to: **info@nvopticians.org**. Written submissions must be received **on or before October 20, 2026**. If no interested parties attend the workshop in-person or by phone to make presentations, the Board may proceed immediately to act upon any written submissions.

This notice will be posted at the following locations:

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