

Chapter Opt 1

PRACTICE OF OPTOMETRY

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Opt 1.01 Definitions and interpretations. There shall be strict adherence to the definition of the practice of optometry as defined in section 153.01, Wis. Stats. (1) Visual training, orthoptics, etc., shall be considered to be included under the term "mechanical therapy".

(2) The operation of screening devices or devices for remedial or corrective purposes shall be considered as included in the statutory definition of optometry.

(3) The measurement for, and the fitting and adapting of contact lenses and other visual aids shall be considered the practice of optometry.

Opt 1.02 Certificate; names; equipment. Every optometrist engaged in the practice of optometry shall: (1) Conspicuously display his certificate of registration within his office. Section 153.06 (2), Wis. Stats.

(2) Display at the entrance of the office the names of all persons practicing therein. Section 153.06 (2), Wis. Stats.

(3) Have and be capable of proficiently operating adequate equipment as deemed necessary by the board for a satisfactory visual analysis.

Opt 1.03 Fee. Every optometrist shall annually register and pay the required renewal fee in accord with section 153.06 (1), Wis. Stats.

Opt 1.04 Furnish requested information. Information concerning place and mode of practice shall be furnished to the board by any licensed optometrist when such is requested.

Opt 1.05 Change of address. It shall be the responsibility of each licensed optometrist to keep the board informed of his correct address and place of practice.