

**Summer 2010 Exam June 27, 2010 at 9:00 a.m.**

The West Virginia Board of Optometry summer exam will be given on Sunday, June 27 at 9:00 a.m. in the board office at the Peoples Building, 179 Summers Street, Suite 231, Charleston, WV 25301. The deadline to submit applications is May 28, 2010. The regulations that cover the application are posted on the web site, [www.wvbo.org](http://www.wvbo.org), under "Laws and Regulations Governing Optometry" §14-1. An application is available under "Forms".

The exam will be oral. An example of a question would be to look at a slide of an eye condition, and you would diagnose the condition, give the method(s) of treatment and be able to list any possible complications. Some of the subjects covered may be pharmacology, laboratory procedure, ocular manifestations of systemic diseases and ophthalmic science (e.g.: optics).

There is also a jurisprudence exam. You have two methods to choose from to take this exam. The exam is available on line from the National Board of Examiners in Optometry (NBEO) at [www.optometry.org](http://www.optometry.org). This exam could be taken in advance of the oral exam and the cost is \$25. If you choose, you can take the exam in paper form simultaneously with the oral exam. The exam has multiple choice and true/false questions. There is no charge for this form of the exam. You may study for the jurisprudence exam by looking at "Laws and Regulations Governing Optometry" on our web site at [www.wvbo.org](http://www.wvbo.org).

If you have any questions regarding the exam you may contact the board office at 304-558-5901 or by email at [wvbdopt@verizon.net](mailto:wvbdopt@verizon.net).