



# 2023 Exam Calendar

## NATIONAL BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN OPTOMETRY®

PART I ABS	MARCH*	AUGUST**
<b>Applied Basic Science (ABS)</b>	<b>EXAM DATES:</b>	<b>March 20 or 21 or 22 or 23, 2023</b>
Open Registration		August 16, 2022
Registration Deadline		March 6, 2023
Extended Registration w/ \$400.00 non-refundable late fee		March 7 - March 13, 2023
ADA Request Deadline		January 23, 2023
Withdraw Deadline (receives refund less \$150.00)		March 6, 2023
		July 26 - August 1, 2023
		June 8, 2023
		July 25, 2023
* Pearson VUE will hold seats for candidates until January 20, 2023 for the March administration. All seating is on a first-come, first-serve basis. The later a candidate registers, the more likely it is that the candidate will encounter difficulties finding a seat in a convenient location. Candidates have four days to select from, but will test on a single day, not four consecutive days.		
** Pearson VUE will not be holding seats for candidates for the August Part I ABS administration. Candidates are advised to register and select seats early.		
PART II PAM / TMOD	APRIL**	DECEMBER*
<b>Patient Assessment &amp; Management (PAM)</b>	<b>EXAM DATES:</b>	<b>April 4, 2023</b>
		<b>December 5 or 7, 2023</b>
<b>Treatment &amp; Management of Ocular Disease</b>	<b>EXAM DATES:</b>	<b>April 4, 2023</b>
		<b>December 7, 2023</b>
Open Registration		December 22, 2022
Registration Deadline		March 21, 2023
Extended Registration w/ \$400.00 non-refundable late fee		March 22 - March 28, 2023
ADA Request Deadline		February 3, 2023
Withdraw Deadline (receives refund less \$150.00)		March 21, 2023
		November 22 - November 28, 2023
		October 5, 2023
		November 21, 2023
* Pearson VUE will hold seats for candidates until September 5, 2023 for the December Part II and TMOD administrations. All seating is on a first-come, first-serve basis. The later a candidate registers, the more likely it is that the candidate will encounter difficulties finding a seat in a convenient location. Candidates have two days to select from, but will test on a single day, not two separate days.		
** Pearson VUE will not be holding seats for candidates for the April Part II and TMOD administrations. Candidates are advised to register and select seats early.		
PART III CSE / ISE		
<b>Clinical Skills Examination (CSE)</b>	<b>EXAM DATES:</b>	<b>Administration beginning August 2022</b>
<b>Injections Skill Examination</b>	<b>EXAM DATES:</b>	<b>Administration beginning August 2022</b>
Open Registration		May 4, 2022
Registration Deadline		7 days prior to exam
Withdraw Deadline (receives refund less \$150.00)		14 days prior to exam
CPDO	MARCH	SEPTEMBER
<b>Continued Professional Development in Optometry</b>	<b>EXAM DATES:</b>	<b>March 3, 2023</b>
		<b>September 27, 2023</b>
Open Registration		October 5, 2022
Registration Deadline		February 17, 2023
Extended Registration w/ \$400.00 non-refundable late fee		February 18 - February 24, 2023
ADA Request Deadline		January 3, 2023
Withdraw Deadline (receives refund less \$150.00)		February 17, 2023
		September 14 - September 20, 2023
		July 27, 2023
		September 13, 2023
LSPE	Administration beginning August 2022	
<b>Laser and Surgical Procedures Examination</b>	<b>EXAM DATES:</b>	<b>Administration beginning August 2022</b>
Open Registration		May 4, 2022
Registration Deadline		7 days prior to exam
Withdraw Deadline (receives refund less \$150.00)		14 days prior to exam
ACMO	JUNE	
<b>Advanced Competence in Medical Optometry</b>	<b>EXAM DATES:</b>	<b>June 22, 2023</b>
Open Registration		October 26, 2022
Registration Deadline		June 8, 2023
Extended Registration w/ \$400.00 non-refundable late fee		June 9 - June 15, 2023
ADA Request Deadline		April 21, 2023
Withdraw Deadline (receives refund less \$150.00)		June 8, 2023

Note: Dates subject to change at NBE's discretion. Registration opens at 9:00 PM (Eastern Time) on the date indicated.