



Commission on Opticianry Accreditation

STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Institution: _____ Date: _____

Program: _____ Year: 1st _____ 2nd _____

Please answer the following questions based on your experience and/or opinion:

Yes	No	Question
		Is there enough equipment for students to use during laboratory or clinical classes?
		Is the equipment up-to-date?
		Were the safety rules for the laboratories made known to you?
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		Are there enough supplies available to students working in the laboratories?
		Does the school library contain (or provide access to) up-to-date ophthalmic texts, reference books and magazines?
		Is the library's hours of operation sufficient during the day and evening?
		Were you adequately prepared to begin the clinical practicum portion?
		Are you receiving adequate individual attention by a faculty member during laboratory periods?
		Are you receiving sufficient hands-on experience in off campus dispensing of eyewear?
		Are you receiving sufficient hands-on experience in off campus dispensing of contact lenses?
		Do you know how your instructor determines your grade in each course?
		At the start of each course, do you know what topics will be covered by course completion?
		Are you assigned research papers or projects? If so, how many? _____
		Are you aware of licensing requirements of your state?

Yes	No	Question
		Are you aware of licensing requirements of other states?
		Are the classes normally held as scheduled?
		Is there emergency medical care available when needed?
		Is the faculty available for academic advising or student guidance and counseling?
		Are job placement services available to students?
		Do you feel that your educational program is preparing you to become a qualified optician?
		Did the college catalog or any printed material advertising the opticianry program describe the program in any way other than how you have actually found it to be?" If so, please explain.

2. What are the greatest strengths of the program? _____

3. What are the greatest weaknesses of the program? _____

4. Why did you choose this program? _____

5. Would you recommend this program to others? _____ Yes _____ No Why or why not?

6. What are your plans after graduation? _____

7. Has career guidance been given to help formulate these? _____ Yes _____ No
If yes, by whom? If no, would you like to have it?

8. Additional comments:

THANK YOU! ~ COA Evaluation Team