

FIND YOUR CHARGE THROUGH A CAREER IN OPTOMETRY

Live and work with purpose as an eye doctor.



GIVE YOUR BEST

A career in optometry gives you the opportunity to help others and make an impact each day — whether you're helping a child get fitted for their first pair of glasses or detecting a disease.

LIVE YOUR BEST

- Give back to your community or those in need while making time to do the things you love.
- Work toward a salary you feel good about — the average salary for an optometrist is \$168,000/year.
- Enjoy a strong work-life balance.

Here's what it takes to become a Doctor of Optometry

- 1** Take prerequisite courses with a strong background in the sciences
- 2** Take the OAT, GRE, or other entrance exam if necessary for your program
- 3** Apply to one of the 24 optometry schools in the country
- 4** Complete your OD degree and fulfill requirements to acquire your license
- 5** Start working in optometry and enjoy your new career

DISCOVER YOUR PATH IN OPTOMETRY

DIFFERENT CAREER PATHS FOR AN OPTOMETRIST:

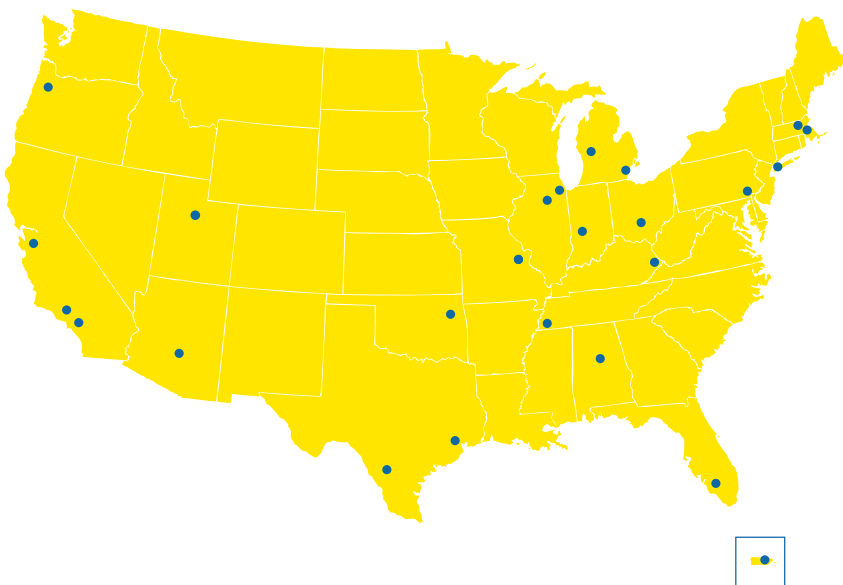
- + Family Practice Optometry
- + Geriatric Optometry
- + Vision Therapy and Rehabilitation
- + Community Health Optometry
- + Primary Eye Care
- + Cornea and Contact Lenses
- + Low Vision Rehabilitation
- + Refractive and Ocular Surgery
- + Pediatric Optometry
- + Ocular Disease
- + Brain Injury Vision Rehabilitation



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One of the other reasons I became a Doctor of Optometry was to decrease the barriers to eyecare in vulnerable and underserved populations.

— Dr. Linda Pham

READY TO GET STARTED?



Start your optometry career at one of the 24 schools and colleges of optometry across the United States.

Get your career in optometry started by visiting:
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Being an optometrist gives me life