**Ophthalmic Dispenser**

Design, verify, and deliver to the intended wearer lenses, frames, and other specially fabricated optical devices upon prescription. Activities include prescription analysis and interpretation; taking measurements to determine the size, shape, and specifications of the spectacle lenses, frames, or lens forms best suited to the wearer’s needs; preparing and delivering of work orders to laboratory technicians to grind lenses and fabricate eyewear; verifying the quality of finished ophthalmic products; adjusting lenses or frames to the intended wearer’s face; delivering ophthalmic products including instruction in hygiene and insertion and removal of contact lenses; and adjustment, replacement, and reproduction of previously prepared products.

### Legislation

**Statute:** NH RSA 327-A  
**Administrative Rules:** Chapter He-P 6000

### Registration Requirements

- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Submit application and pay appropriate fee

### Examination

Not required

### Continuing Education

Completion of eight hours of continuing education during the previous two-year period is required for renewal, with five of those hours obtained through live, didactic courses

### Reciprocity

Not permitted

### Active Licenses

541

### Related Training

Opticianry/Ophthalmic Dispensing Optician

### Regulatory Agency

**New Hampshire Office of Professional Licensure and Certification**  
121 South Fruit Street  
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

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### Fees

- Application: $110.00  
- Biennial renewal: $110.00

### O*Net Codes

29-2081.00 Opticians, Dispensing

### Additional Information Sources

American Board of Opticianry and National Contact Lens Examiners  
[www.abo-ncle.org]