

ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

JURISPRUDENCE BY CORRESPONDENCE

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1. Regarding a contact lens prescription, what is the difference between the examination date and the issue date of the prescription?
  
2. As of December 1, 2010, retired status for license renewal applications is a permanent category. What does this mean and how does it pertain to the doctor's license?
  
3. What does the regulation state so that the public is properly informed as to who is responsible for the services provided at a particular location for a specific day?
  
4. Explain the 24 hour access rule.
  
5. If a licensed optometrist is filling in for an ophthalmologist, he must have a Branch office license.

True or False

6. If an optometrist is late on his or her license renewal, their liability insurance may be invalidated. How do you rectify this problem?
  
7. What entity may sell contact lenses in the state of Arkansas?
  - A. Optometrists
  - B. Ophthalmologists
  - C. Firms/Corporations located outside the state in conjunction with and OD or MD licensed in the state
  - D. All of the above
  
8. Under the Impaired Optometrist Program, impairment shall mean the presence of one of what three diseases?

- A.
- B.
- C.

9. The fee for a duplicate license for each branch office is \$100.00 renewed annually.

True or False

10. Plano colored contact lenses sold for purely cosmetic purposes do not require a contact lens prescription

True or False

11. Access to patient records are not available to:

- A. Employees under the direct personal supervision of the O.D. who created the record
- B. The licensed optician at the adjacent dispensary
- C. The doctor who employs the O. D. who created the record
- D. The doctor who created the record

12. A record may be destroyed by the examining optometrist without notifying the patient if the patient has not been examined by that optometrist after how long?

13. Any optometrist who is the custodian of a patient record and ceases to practice at that location:

- A. May leave the record at that location
- B. Must notify the patient where his or her record may be obtained
- C. May destroy the records after 14 days
- D. May sell the records to the highest bidder

14. How many days do you as an optometrist have to notify the State Board if you receive notification of the filing of a claim or lawsuit alleging malpractice against you?

15. Failure to comply with the Optometry law and/or rules and regulations may lead to

- A. Suspension of the license
- B. Revocation of the license
- C. Fines
- D. A and C
- E. All of the above

16. An examining optometrist, who is not employed, but is temporarily filling in at a location and creates a patient record, must leave the record created at the office where the examination occurred.

True or False

17. If question #16 is true, explain why. If question #16 is false, explain under what circumstances the record can remain at the office it was created.

18. Which Schedule does Vicodin fall under?

19. Should a licensee's physical address change, how soon does he/she have to notify the Board of the new address?

20. With whom can an optometrist enter into an employment agreement to practice optometry?

21. How soon after the completion of a contact lens fitting does a contact lens prescription expire?

22. A record may be destroyed by the examining optometrist without notifying the patient if the patient has not been examined by that optometrist after how long?

23. How soon after the completion of a vision examination does a spectacle prescription expire?

24. OxyContin is a DEA Schedule III substance.

True or False

25. For license renewal, all fees, educational requirement verifications, and CPR certification must be received in the office of the State Board of Optometry by what date each year?

26. Write a prescription for James Hetfield for open angle glaucoma. Use your own office format for your written prescription using all the required information.