



Board for Barbers and Cosmetology

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Guidance Document: Board Approved Opticianry Program(s)

Interpretation of what may constitute a “board approved two-year course in a school of opticianry” as noted in 18 VAC 80-30-20.5.a.

A Board approved course is a completed two year course in a school of opticianry accredited by the Commission on Opticianry Accreditation (COA).