



Optometric Assistant

Course Overview

This 48-hour course will prepare students in conducting diagnostic tests, recording and measuring vision, testing eye function, instructing patients in inserting and caring for contact lenses, preparing examination rooms, cleaning and arranging equipment, answering phones, making appointments, handling bookkeeping and other tasks as needed. Student will be trained to work in eye and vision care clinics, and other facilities that provide vision care services.

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479-750-9876
1-800-785-9876

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3889 Willowood Ave.
Springdale, AR 72762
Phone: 479-750-9876

Fort Smith Campus
Greenpointe Center
4300 Rogers Ave., Ste 42
Fort Smith, AR 72903
Phone: 479-424-1176

Admission Requirements

- Complete, submit and agree to terms in the “Class Registration Form” and this Program Bulletin.
- Must be at least 17 years old. If under 18, parents must sign the registration form.

Tuition, Fees and Certification

- \$50 – Non-refundable Registration Fee (due at time of admission, transferrable one time)
- \$600 – Tuition
- \$90 – Textbook (may be purchased at the school)

TOTAL: \$740

Additional Fees

- \$110 – AAH National Certification, due on last day of class

Payment Plans / Financial Assistance

Tuition is due before class begins; however, if desired, students may pay 50% of their tuition before beginning class and the remaining balance mid-way through class. There will be a 2% additional charge added to the tuition if using this payment plan. Please contact the admissions office for information on financial assistance.

Required Text

- The Ophthalmic Assistant, 10th Ed., by Harold Stein, Raymond Stein, and Melvin Freeman