



Colleagues,

Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry and The Academy of Ophthalmic Education are pleased to announce that a second 100-Hour Therapeutic Pharmaceutical Agents Certification Course is being planned for January 2009. Finalization of this course is subject to receiving sufficient pre-registrations to cover the costs of the course. We request that you respond as soon as possible so that we can set the dates and firm up the clinical rotation sites.

Sixty optometrists are enrolled in the current five-month, weekend format course being held in Toronto. From feedback received for the first two lecture weekends, delegates are extremely satisfied with the course curriculum, instructors and administration provided by Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry and the Academy of Ophthalmic Education.

The new compressed format course will be held over a 10-day period. It will include 60 hours of lecture and 20 hours of hands-on clinical skills training. The location of the course will be at a venue easily accessible in the Toronto metropolitan area. Following the academic portion of the course, you will be scheduled to attend a 20-hour clinical rotation in an ophthalmologist's or TPA certified optometrist's office either at sites pre-qualified by NSU College of Optometry in Canada, the U.S. and Bahamas or ones that you recommend for qualification in your area.

Why should I attend a course developed and presented by NSU College of Optometry and hosted and administrated by The Academy of Ophthalmic Education?

- Courses are taught by highly trained and skilled optometric educators from the U.S. who have prescribed drugs for the treatment of ophthalmic disease for many years at state-of-the-art clinical facilities.
- Several of the lectures are presented in a grand rounds format, which will help to prepare you for the expanded scope of practice.
- Pre-approved clinical training sites are available in the Toronto metropolitan area so you can attend the entire course and clinical rotation without having to travel to a remote location.
- Extensive reference and course material are provided to you that have been developed by experts in their areas of clinical practice.
- Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry is accredited by the Accreditation Council on Optometric Education and its course meets the educational criteria and requirements set forth by the Ontario College of Optometrists that will lead to TPA certification.
- The entire classroom program and clinical skills workshop will be COPE approved to meet your CE requirements for the next triennium.

Please complete the attached pre-registration form so that we can take the next steps necessary to finalize the course.

Best Regards,

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## 100-Hour TPA Certification Course Advance Registration

Last Name	First Name	
Address	Apartment/Suite #	
City	Province/State	Postal Code/ZIP Code
Telephone	Fax	Email
Canadian Registration Number	U.S. License Number	OE Tracker Number

\*\*Please provide a fax number or an email address for registration confirmation\*\*

### Payment Options:

<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Registration	\$995.00 CAN plus 5% GST (Remainder of payment is due on or before July 31, 2008)
<input type="checkbox"/> Early Registration	\$3,795.00 CAN plus 5% GST (Due on or before July 31, 2008)
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Registration	\$3,995.00 CAN plus 5% GST
<input type="checkbox"/> On-Site Registration	\$4,495.00 CAN plus 5% GST

❖ In the event of course cancellation due to a lack of sufficient enrollment or other unforeseen circumstances, the registration fee will be fully refunded

### Method of Payment:

Visa    MasterCard    Cheque – Payable to The Academy of Ophthalmic Education

### **Mail or Fax Your Completed Form To:**

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