### 2021 Exam Calendar

**NATIONAL BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN OPTOMETRY**

#### PART I ABS

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<tr>
<th>Subject</th>
<th>EXAM DATES:</th>
<th>JANUARY**</th>
<th>MARCH</th>
<th>AUGUST*</th>
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<tr>
<td>Applied Basic Science (ABS)</td>
<td></td>
<td>January 25 - January 30, 2021</td>
<td>March 16 or 17 or 18 or 19, 2021</td>
<td>August 3, 2021</td>
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**Open Registration:**
- January 24, 2021
- March 3, 2021
- August 1, 2021

**Registration Deadline:**
- January 11, 2021
- March 2, 2021
- July 20, 2021

**Extended Registration w/ $400.00 non-refundable late fee:**
- January 12 - January 18, 2021
- March 3 - March 9, 2021
- July 21 - July 27, 2021

**ADA Request Deadline:**
- January 19, 2021
- March 2, 2021
- June 5, 2021

**Withdraw Deadline:**
- January 11, 2021
- March 2, 2021
- July 20, 2021

**Score Release Deadline:**
- March 19, 2021
- May 7, 2021
- September 24, 2021

*Pearson VUE will hold seats for candidate until January 16, 2021 for the March administration. All seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. The later a candidate registers, the more likely it is that the candidate will encounter difficulties finding a seat in a convenient location. Candidates have four days to select from, but will test on a single day, not four consecutive days.*

**Pearson VUE will not be holding seats for candidates for the January or August Part I ABS administrations. Candidates are advised to register and select seats early.**

### PART II PAM / TMOD

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<tr>
<td>Patient Assessment &amp; Management (PAM)</td>
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<td>February 15 - 20, 2021</td>
<td>April 6 or 8, 2021</td>
<td>December 7 or 9, 2021</td>
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**Open Registration:**
- December 17, 2020
- April 20, 2021

**Registration Deadline:**
- March 23, 2021
- November 23, 2021

**Extended Registration w/ $400.00 non-refundable late fee:**
- March 24 - March 30, 2021
- November 24 - November 30, 2021

**ADA Request Deadline:**
- February 1, 2021
- March 23, 2021
- November 23, 2021

**Withdraw Deadline:**
- February 19, 2021
- September 3, 2021

**Score Release Deadline:**
- April 2, 2021
- May 28, 2021
- January 28, 2022

*Pearson VUE will hold seats for candidate until September 7, 2021 for the December Part II and TMOD administrations. All seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. The later a candidate registers, the more likely it is that the candidate will encounter difficulties finding a seat in a convenient location. Candidates have four days to select from, but will test on a single day, not two separate days.*

**Pearson VUE will not be holding seats for candidates for the April Part II and TMOD administrations. Candidates are advised to register and select seats early. Candidates have two days to select from, but will test on a single day, not two separate days.**

### PART III CSE / ISE

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<td>Clinical Skills Examination (CSE)</td>
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<td>May 28, 2021</td>
<td>August 1, 2021 thru May 28, 2021</td>
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**Open Registration:**
- February 15, 2020

**Registration Deadline:**
- February 19, 2021

**Extended Registration w/ $400.00 non-refundable late fee:**
- March 20 - March 26, 2021

**Withdraw Deadline:**
- N/A

**Score Release Deadline:**
- April 23, 2021

**CPDO**

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<td>Continued Professional Development in Optometry</td>
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<td>September 17, 2021</td>
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**Open Registration:**
- October 9, 2020

**Registration Deadline:**
- February 19, 2021

**Extended Registration w/ $400.00 non-refundable late fee:**
- February 20 - February 26, 2021

**Withdraw Deadline:**
- N/A

**Score Release Deadline:**
- April 23, 2021

**LSPE**

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<td>Laser and Surgical Procedures Examination</td>
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**Open Registration:**
- October 23, 2020

**Registration Deadline:**
- May 28, 2021

**Extended Registration w/ $400.00 non-refundable late fee:**
- May 29 - June 4, 2021

**Withdraw Deadline:**
- May 29, 2021

**Score Release Deadline:**
- July 30, 2021

**ACMO**

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<td>Advanced Competence in Medical Optometry</td>
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**Open Registration:**
- October 23, 2020

**Registration Deadline:**
- May 28, 2021

**Extended Registration w/ $400.00 non-refundable late fee:**
- May 29 - June 4, 2021

**Withdraw Deadline:**
- May 29, 2021

**Score Release Deadline:**
- July 30, 2021

### Note:
- Dates subject to change at NBEO’s discretion. All dates are effective midnight (Eastern Time) of the date indicated.