

2018 OAL Fall CE Conference

October 27, 2018

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Baton Rouge Marriott
5500 Hilton Avenue, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70808
225-924-5000

8 hours TPA CE for Optometrists

(includes 3 hr Mandatory Opioid Course for La. ODs prescribing CDS)

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To meet re-licensure requirements in Louisiana, COPE approval of CE courses is not necessary. All CE courses will be submitted for posting on your profile page of the Louisiana State Board of Optometry Examiners website, as well as on OE Tracker. However, all courses will be listed as NON COPE. Louisiana has opted to forego the onerous requirements set forth by ARBO for CE programs; therefore, even though a speaker may present a course which COPE has approved, ARBO will not give COPE approval for that same course presented in Louisiana. If you are applying for re-licensure in other states, it is your responsibility to verify that CE hours obtained in Louisiana (which will all be listed as NON COPE) will count toward your re-licensure.

Friday, October 26 6:00pm **OAL Board of Directors Meeting (Alcon Presentation)** [Sullivan's Steakhouse](#)

Saturday, October 27

8:00am **Continental Breakfast**

8:00-9:00am **Registration**

9:00-10:00am **"Ophthalmic Medication Review & Update -TPA"**
Scott Ensor, OD
This one hour course will review several commonly prescribed ophthalmic medications as well as systemic versions and will introduce newer choices for the primary care optometrist. Topics will include indications for use, common side-effects, and potential contraindications.
Total CE Hours: 1 (TPA)

10:00am-1:00pm **"Rational Narcotic Prescribing and Drug Diversion-TPA"**
Scott Ensor, OD
*(Mandated for License Renewal by LA Legislature for those prescribing CDS)
This course will review the various aspects of prescription writing to include the required elements of a prescription and information regarding controlled substances. The course also will discuss the acquisition of a DEA number and prevention of diversion. Finally, an overview of common prescribing errors will be presented and the course will conclude with suggestions to enhance patient compliance. This course meets all requirements set forth by the Louisiana State Legislature & the Louisiana State Board of Optometry Examiners for licensure purposes.*
Total CE Hours: 3 (TPA)

1:00-1:30pm **Luncheon for ODs and Registered Spouses/Guests**

1:30-3:30pm **"Maximizing the OCT in Glaucoma-TPA"**
Danica J. Marrelli, OD, FAAO, AAO Diplomate (Glaucoma)
This course covers optic nerve, retinal nerve fiber layer, and macular thickness optical coherence strategies used in detecting glaucoma. Also covered will be potential interpretation errors that may lead to over- or under-diagnosis. Finally, glaucoma progression software is reviewed.
Total CE Hours: 2 (TPA)

3:30-4:30pm	<p>“Five Life-Threatening Causes of Diplopia You Cant Afford to Miss-TPA”</p> <p>Danica J. Marrelli, OD, FAAO, AAO Diplomate (Glaucoma)</p> <p><i>This one-hour course reviews ocular motility and provides a systematic approach to evaluating the complaint of diplopia. Five signs and symptoms that carry a particularly worrisome prognosis are discussed, as well as the appropriate laboratory and/or radiologic work-up and referral needed.</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total CE Hours: 1 (TPA)</p>
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4:30-5:30pm	<p>“Practical Guidelines for the Treatment of AMD-TPA”</p> <p>Harry Landsaw, OD</p> <p><i>Over the past 15 years, tremendous advances have been made in the detection and treatment of age-related macular degeneration (AMD). Numerous peer-reviewed scientific papers are published every month, covering a broad range of topics ranging from epidemiology to treatment. Although the expanded knowledge is welcome news, the information overload has made it difficult for clinicians to keep up with the science, much less understand the implications for patient care. This program will address this need by outlining practical, evidence-based strategies that can be implemented in a medically-oriented practice.</i></p> <p><i>Sponsored by maculogix</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total CE Hours: 1 (TPA)</p>
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Thanks for attending!
WE HOPE TO SEE YOU AT THE NEXT OAL CE CONFERENCE
OAL ANNUAL CONVENTION, JUNE 14-16, 2019
(FINAL YEAR THAT CONVENTION WILL BE HELD ON FATHER’S DAY WEEKEND!)
Crowne Plaza Executive Center - Baton Rouge

WE ASK FOR YOUR FEEDBACK & INPUT.....HAVE IDEAS FOR SPEAKERS? COURSE TOPICS?
(You may leave your comments on the OAL Mobile App)

OR...

PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM AND LEAVE WITH YOUR NAME BADGES ON THE REGISTRATION DESK

Idea(s) for Speakers? _____

Idea(s) for Topics? _____

Other Idea(s)? _____

Your overall impression of this year’s meeting? _____

Other comments: _____
