

Board of Opticians
Policy on Title for Optician Trainees
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The rules of the Board of Opticians speak of “trainees” and require in Rule 2.6 that they must register and wear a tag which says, “Registered Trainee.” The statutes and rules imply but do not use the term “Optician Trainee.” Because practitioners and trainees realize that the term “registered trainee” does not appropriately apprise the public of who the trainee is, the Board adopts the following policy:

A registered trainee may wear a plastic name tag which says “Registered Optician Trainee” and will not be deemed to be in violation of the rule.

Joan Wagner, Chair