

**Responses to Survey - Board of Optometry (summary)**

Total responses:\* 2 licensees

<b>Highest Compliment</b>	Ability to monitor on behalf of licensees - 2 Ability to keep profession from criticism because of bad actors - Other: Ability to streamline Continuing Ed - None -			
<b>Biggest Complaint</b>	Licensing fees too high - Licensing renewal timelines too strict - Other: Lack of Information - Board's response to unlicensed practice - None - 2			
<b>Reasons the board is important for licensees*:</b> Nothing listed.				
<b>Public Health -</b>	<b>Public Welfare -</b>	<b>Public Safety -</b>	<b>None of these -</b>	<b>All or combination - 2</b>
<b>Scope of Practice:</b>	<b>Too Narrow - 1</b>	<b>Too Broad -</b>		<b>Just Right - 1</b>
<b>Problems with own or other professions' scope of practice -</b> None - 2. But one added: There are a few surgical procedures that we are trained for that are currently not available to patients from their optometrist.				
<b>What laws/regulations have caused the most problems?</b> None listed				
<b>Complaints Filed?</b> No - 1				
<b>Other comments:</b>				
<b>Nonlicensee comments</b>	<b>Saying Board of Optometry:</b> Necessary for Public Health - 50, Public Safety - 6, Public Welfare - 2 All or combination - 79			