



The Opticians of Manitoba

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### Update on Education Evenings

Date: **March 9, 2010**  
Time: 6:30 – 7:00 Sandwiches & Coffee  
7:00 – 9:00 Presentations and round table discussion  
Location: 5<sup>th</sup> floor Fort Garry Place Assiniboine Room  
Credits: 2 EC

- Agenda:
1. Role of regulatory body versus role of association
  2. Overview of Personal Health Information Act
    - a) PHIA
    - b) Liability issues
  3. How are other provinces handling this matter?
    - a) What is the position of governments on regulation of health professions?
    - b) Summary of work done on sale of plano coloured contact lenses
  4. Presentation – “Do It Yourself Dispensing – DISASTER”
  5. Round Table Discussion
  6. Assignments

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Date: **March 16, 2010**  
Time: 6:30 – 7:00 Sandwiches & Coffee  
7:00 – 9:00 Presentations  
Location: 5<sup>th</sup> floor Fort Garry Place Assiniboine Room  
Credits: 2 EC

- Agenda:
1. Review Of Jurisprudence Issues From Previous Session
  2. Reports From Assignments
  3. Round Table Discussion
  4. How the Health Professions Act Will Impact the OOM
    - a) opportunities to participate in development of Opticians Act and By-laws

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#### Note to Brandon Area Opticians

The OOM will host a 2-hour education opportunity on these topics in Brandon on Sunday morning **March 28<sup>th</sup>** 2010 at the Royal Oak Inn. Coffee, Tea and muffins will be available starting at 8:30 with the presentation from 9:00 – 11:00.

**REGISTER FOR ALL EVENTS by phoning the OOM office or via e-mail**