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Application Requirements for Registration as an Optometrist in the Northwest Territories

1. Completed application, photograph attached.
2. Certified true copy of optometry diploma from a recognized school of optometry in Canada.
3. Photocopy of successful completion of Canadian Standard Assessment in Optometry (CSAO).
4. Certificate of Good Standing from every jurisdiction applicant is/has been licensed. Note: To be eligible for licensure in the NWT, applicants must hold a current license in a province of Canada.
5. Three (3) letters of reference, send directly to the Registrar from the referee. Reference forms supplied with application package.
6. Three (3) letters of reference sent directly to the registrar, from the referees on form supplied by the office of the Registrar, Northwest Territories.
7. Up-to-date, detailed c.v. outlining work experience.
8. Photocopy of birth certificate or citizenship document (if Canadian citizen) or valid immigration or work permit (if not a Canadian citizen).

FEES: \$100 - Registration
 \$150 - Annual License

Total: \$ 250 to be included with application

Note: all licenses expire March 31st following date of issue, and are renewable.