

Optometry

American Optometric Association

Student info:

<https://www.aoa.org/students>

Nova Southeastern University

For full info: <http://optometry.nova.edu/cvr/index.html>

- MS in Clinical Vision Research

- 2 year program
- 45 Credits
- Online degree

The primary audience for this degree are optometrists, optometric educators and students, and other healthcare professionals who conduct or plan to conduct clinical vision research in a patient care or academic setting.

- MS Clinical Research Entry

Requirements

- 3.0 GPA
- GRE test (no minimum scores requirement listed)
- OAT
 - Optometry Admissions Test-50 % Score or MCAT
- Applications Submitted 1 month prior to entry term desired

Nova Southeastern University

- Doctor of Optometry Program
 - GPA 3.0 or above
 - OAT scores of >320 (more info on OAT [here](#))
 - 4 year program

More info:

<http://optometry.nova.edu/od/about-nsuco.html>

Special Course Requirements

- Specific requirements for optometry schools
 - Optometry schools differ in their admissions requirements. In addition to the common list of courses under Requirements for Health Professions Schools, most schools **require** the following courses:
 - Biology
 - MCB 30 30 : General Microbiology (4)
 - Mathematics
 - MAC 2233: Life Science Calculus I (3)
 - STA 20 23 OR STA 2122: Statistics (4,3)
 - Psychology
 - PSY 20 12: Psychology 1 (3)

Labor Statistics

Mean wage: \$119,100

>7k needed by 2026

More info here: <https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes291041.htm>