OHIO
OPTOMETRIC
ASSOCIATION

2021 DUES INFORMATION

(Schedule is subject to change on an annual basis.)

AOA & OOA DUES

Dues are a combination of American Optometric Association, Ohio Optometric Association, and Zone, payable to the Ohio Optometric Association, which then disperses as appropriate.

2021 ACTIVE DUES

AOA: $972.00

OOA: $865.00

2021 Zone Dues

Zone 1: $15.00
Zone 2: $40.00
Zone 3: $30.00
Zone 4: $35.00
Zone 5: $40.00
Zone 6: $15.00
Zone 7: $20.00
Zone 8: $30.00
Zone 9: $30.00
Zone 10: $15.00
Zone 11: $25.00
Zone 12: $35.00

ASCENDING DUES SCHEDULE	AOA	$972.00	OOA	$865.00	$1,837.00
	% of dues		*% of dues*		
Year of graduation/initial licensure	*n/a*	$0.00	*n/a*	$0.00	$0.00
1st full year following grad./licensure	10%	$97.20	20%	$173.00	$270.20
2nd full year following grad./licensure	20%	$194.40	40%	$346.00	$540.40
3rd full year following grad./licensure	50%	$486.00	60%	$519.00	$1,005.00
4th full year following grad./licensure	75%	$729.00	80%	$692.00	$1,421.00
5th full year following grad./licensure	100%	$972.00	100%	$865.00	$1,837.00

Member ODs who fall into the Ascending Dues Schedule still pay FULL ZONE DUES.
For a newly graduated optometrist, the balance of the calendar year in which he or she graduated is free. E.g., a 2020 graduate who joins in 2020 will begin paying dues at the "1st full year" ascending dues rate in 2021.

POST-GRADUATES – ODs currently enrolled in a residency, intern, or graduate program do not pay dues. The OOA pays the AOA $35.00 annual fee on their behalf.

RETIRED WITH BENEFITS MEMBERS – Member ODs who have retired but wish to continue AOA and OOA member benefits and accumulate years toward Life Membership pay annual dues of $150.00 ($100 AOA dues and $50 OOA dues).

LIFE MEMBERS – No AOA Dues, Optional contribution to support the OOA.