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September is Paraoptometric Appreciation Month

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Para Speaker Series—Leadership Development

The Para Speaker Series continues! Join us the first Tuesday of each month for these live webinars. [Join us Tuesday, Sept. 7 at 7 p.m. CT, for the Leadership Development course.](#) All attendees will receive one hour of CPC credit toward certification.

Other upcoming topics include pediatric and special needs patients, diabetes and TBI/sport vision. Registration information coming soon.

2021 Virtual Learning Livecast, Oct. 1-2

Contemporary, optometric continuing education (CE) and professional development reimagined into a 21st-century format that's easily accessible, when and where you choose to access it. [Register now](#)

Paraoptometrics employed by an AOA member doctor of optometry who are not enrolled for membership and want to attend the event must be enrolled at least 24-48 hours prior to attempting to register for the event.

Register by Sept. 22 for November 2021 exams

Be sure that you are using the most current [study materials](#) and have reviewed the appropriate content outline in the [handbook](#).

The 2021 certification renewal is due Nov.1. All CE must be earned by Oct. 31, 2021. Submit your renewal online. Contact CPC@aoa.org for assistance.

Registration is open for the [CPOT Review Course](#) Sept. 23 at 7 p.m. CT. Attendees who are present for the entire course will earn 2 CPC-approved credits.

Save the date!

Join us Sept. 16 at 7 p.m. CT for a panel discussion on the important role of paraoptometrics, “How Paraoptometrics Impact Optometry.” [Register here](#).

New CPC Committee seeks volunteers

The CPC is looking for volunteers who are interested in learning how to write items (questions) for all levels of the CPC examinations. Current commissioners and volunteers will teach new committee members how to properly construct examination items. [Submit a volunteer interest form today!](#)

Congratulations to all paraoptometrics who passed an exam in August!

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