

2017-2018 Legislative Session

Wisconsin Optometric Association

Total Lobbying Effort

Total Lobbying Expenditures

2017 January - June	2017 July - December	2018 January - June	2018 July - December	Total
\$27,375.00	\$9,787.00	\$9,516.25	\$6,600.00	\$53,278.25

Total Hours Communicating

2017 January - June	2017 July - December	2018 January - June	2018 July - December	Total
24.25	17.25	15.50	6.25	63.25

Total Hours Other

2017 January - June	2017 July - December	2018 January - June	2018 July - December	Total
66.00	63.50	61.70	40.25	231.45

Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

[Assembly Bill 370](#)

Relating to: the establishment of a self-certification registry operated by the Department of Safety and Professional Services, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2017 January - June	2017 July - December	2018 January - June	2018 July - December	Total
	8.00 (10%)	15.00 (20%)		23.00 (8%)

[Assembly Bill 369](#)

Relating to: review of and reports concerning occupational licenses. (FE)

2017 January - June	2017 July - December	2018 January - June	2018 July - December	Total
	16.00 (20%)			16.00 (5%)

[Senate Bill 288](#)

Relating to: review of and reports concerning occupational licenses. (FE)

2017 January - June	2017 July - December	2018 January - June	2018 July - December	Total
	16.00 (20%)	15.00 (20%)		31.00 (11%)

[Assembly Bill 864](#)

Relating to: providing complementary and alternative health care practitioners with exemptions from practice protection laws, requirements and prohibitions for individuals who provide complementary and alternative health care services, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2017 January - June	2017 July - December	2018 January - June	2018 July - December	Total
		8.00 (10%)		8.00 (3%)

[Senate Bill 678](#)

Relating to: providing complementary and alternative health care practitioners with exemptions from practice protection laws, requirements and prohibitions for individuals who provide complementary and alternative health care services, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2017 January - June	2017 July - December	2018 January - June	2018 July - December	Total
		8.00 (10%)		8.00 (3%)

[Senate Bill 771](#)

Relating to: coverage of prescription eye drop refills.

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
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January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	Total
		8.00 (10%)		8.00 (3%)

[Assembly Bill 876](#)

Relating to: coverage of prescription eye drop refills.

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		15.00 (20%)		15.00 (5%)

Lobbying Effort On Budget Bill Subjects

[Safety and Professional Services: Regulation of Professions](#)

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
63.00 (70%)				63.00 (21%)

Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

[Establishment of a state wide self-certification registry](#)

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
4.51 (5%)				4.51 (2%)

[Creation of the Occupational License Review Council](#)

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
4.51 (5%)				4.51 (2%)

[Regulation of online and remote eye testing](#)

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
4.51 (5%)	24.23 (30%)	7.72 (10%)		36.46 (12%)

[Elimination of the Optometry Examining Board in the proposed State Budget](#)

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
13.54 (15%)				13.54 (5%)

[Professional License Renewal for Optometrists](#)

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	16.15 (20%)			16.15 (5%)

Minor Efforts

(Time spent on matters each of which accounted for less than 10% of the organization's lobbying)

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		7 (15%)		6.98 (2.37%)

Other Matters

Includes time spent on:

- Gubernatorial nominations
- Matters on which the organization made no lobbying communication

2017	2017	2018	2018	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		39.53 (85%)		39.53 (13.41%)