

# CONTACT LENS POLICY

Welcome to our office. We look forward to providing you with the best in contact lens care. Our expertise in contact lens fitting and our extensive knowledge of the latest designs and materials has enabled us to fit thousands of satisfied patients. Our philosophy is to give you the best vision and comfort possible while ensuring that your eyes are in optimum health over a lifetime of contact lens wear. Please take time to read the contact lens policies that apply to you.

## PATIENTS NEW TO CONTACT LENS WEAR:

We require the following:

- 1. Comprehensive Eye Examination:** (Exam fees vary due to insurance coverage)  
This is necessary to evaluate your eye health and rule out any contradictions to contact lens wear and to determine your best glasses prescription.
- 2. Initial Contact Lens Fitting: \$145.00 and up**  
The doctor will use the corneal and refractive measurements gathered, along with your lifestyle needs, to design the best lens for you. You will also have a one-on-one training on contact lens handling. This also includes the necessary follow up visits until both you and the doctor are satisfied with the current fit. **THIS IS IN ADDITION TO YOUR EYE EXAM FEE**
  - ◆ Keratometry - Cornea curvature measurements are taken to determine the size and shape of your eye.
  - ◆ Biomicroscopy - Evaluation of the health of the cornea to rule out any contradictions to contact lens wear.
  - ◆ Contact Lens Design - The doctor will designate a lens best suited for your eye and prescription.
  - ◆ Training - One-on-one training to learn contact lens handling, insertion, removal, cleaning and disinfection.
  - ◆ Progress exams - necessary visits during the initial wearing phase will determine corneal health, satisfactory vision and comfort of the contact lenses.
- 3. Contact Lens Prescription**  
A contact lens prescription will be released to you at the end of a contact lens fitting, when we have determined that the lenses are working for your eyes. You may then purchase your lenses from us or anywhere you choose. We are very competitively priced and we offer extra services. We offer direct shipment and we guarantee all lenses from our office. Check with your insurance company to see if you will receive additional discounts by purchasing your lenses through us.

## PATIENTS ALREADY IN CONTACTS:

We require the following:

- 1. Comprehensive Eye Examination:** (Exam fees vary due to insurance coverage)
- 2. Contact Lens Assessment: \$80.00 and up**  
If you are happy with your current contact lenses and just need a new prescription or a power change we will evaluate how well your current lenses are performing. **THIS IS IN ADDITION TO YOUR EYE EXAM FEE**
  - ◆ Keratometry - Yearly measurement determine that the cornea is free of swelling, distortions, or changes in curvature.
  - ◆ Biomicroscopy - Yearly microscopic examination of the cornea to detect metabolism changes, swelling, and cell function.
  - ◆ Refraction - Determine changes in the power of the contact lens.
  - ◆ Design/Fit Evaluation - Assess the movement, centration, wear, durability, and performance of your lenses.
- 3. Contact Lens Refit: \$105.00 and up**  
This is for patients that *require* or *desire* to change from their current lens to a different lens or modality. It will also include any follow ups. This may include changes in material, design, fit, and visual enhancement.

**THESE FEES ARE IN ADDITION TO YOUR EYE EXAMINATION FEE AND MAY NOT BE COVERED BY YOUR VISION CARE INSURANCE.**

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Please print name

Signature

Date