

# **Refraction and Contact Lens Fitting Policy for Medicare and Private Medical Insurance**

**A refraction is a measurement for glasses or other corrective lenses. Most medical insurance plans, including Medicare, do not cover routine refractions or routine eye examinations including Contact Lens Fitting. Contact lens fitting fees cover the extra measurements that are done only for patients requesting contact lens.**

**Medicare and most insurance plans require that we charge separately for these exams.**

**Contact fitting fees are determined by the physician at the time of the exam and depend solely on the type of contacts needed. These fees can range from \$50.00 to \$250.00. You may discuss this with the technician and or physician at the time of your exam.**

**Refraction fees are \$30.00 and will only be charged if the patient requests a prescription for new glasses.**

## **Consent for Electronic Delivery of Prescription:**

**I understand my glasses/contact prescription can be emailed or faxed to me at my request. A paper copy will also be given to you at your exam.**

## **Signed Acknowledgement Form Following Prescription Release:**

**By signing below I acknowledge that I will be provided with a copy of my eyeglass/contact lens prescription after completing my refractive eye examination. I also understand I am responsible for the refraction fee or contact lens fitting/refit fee as stated in the above policy.**

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**Patient Signature**

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**Date**