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## ROUTINE VS. MEDICAL EYE EXAM?

### What You Need To Know Before Your Exam

- It is important to know the difference between Routine and Medical eye exams to schedule your appointment appropriately AND to maximize your insurance benefit.
- If we are properly prepared for the type of exam you need, the appointment will run more smoothly and clinic wait times will be reduced.
- Please clarify the type of exam you need when scheduling and avoid the hassle and confusion of complicated insurance claims.
  - Vision Service Plans and Routine Exam coverage should be identified prior to your visit.
- **A Routine Eye Exam**
  - This type of exam will assess the basic general health of your eyes and may include dilation
  - Schedule for a new glasses or contact lens prescription
  - Filed as a routine eye exam with your insurance or vision service plan
  - No medical eye conditions will be evaluated at this exam
- **A Medical Eye Exam**
  - Thorough dilated exam to address eye medical conditions
  - Examples: Cataract, Glaucoma, Diabetic Retinopathy, Macular Degeneration
  - This type of exam is a detailed medical exam to determine, assess, and recommend any treatment necessary and may include additional testing
  - Filed to your insurance under your medical coverage

**WE APPRECIATE YOUR UNDERSTANDING  
IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE SEE THE FRONT DESK**