

Contact Lens and Refractive Services and Fees

Refraction: \$45.00 (APPLIES TO ALL PATIENTS)

A refraction consist of checking the visual acuity and determining the optical correction required for best visual functioning. This includes a prescription for glasses if needed. A glasses prescription is not considered to be part of a comprehensive eye exam and therefore is a separate fee associated with it that most medical insurances do **NOT** cover. **If you have a separate vision insurance plan this fee is covered. Medical insurance (including Medicaid) does not cover a refraction so you will be responsible for that cost.**

Contact Lens Fitting Evaluation (APPLIES TO CONTACT WEARERS):

The fitting and evaluation of contact lenses is considered a supplemental exam and is not included in the cost of the comprehensive eye exam. Medical insurance generally does not cover the cost of fittings/evaluating contact lenses. If you have vision insurance, plans vary as to what they will pay towards the fitting fee and in many cases using your insurance to cover the cost of the contact lens fit/evaluation will decrease the amount that you have to put toward purchasing contact lenses. Contact lens prescriptions are valid for **ONE** year only, so even if you like your current contact lenses they must be re-evaluated and re-prescribed every year.

Current Contact Lens Wearers:

The contact lens fitting fee includes evaluating the vision in the current lenses to see if changes to the prescription need to be made, along with checking to ensure the contact lenses fit appropriately and are not causing any ocular health problems. The fee also includes trial lenses (if appropriate) if a different lens brand or power is recommended. All follow up appointments within 60 days of the initial evaluation are included. If you come in for changes after 60 days you will be subjected to possible additional fees. Some specialty lenses only come with a 60 day warranty for exchanges and returns, we will notify you at the time of the fitting if your lens falls into this category.

Standard annual contact lens evaluation: \$35.00	Toric lenses & standard RGPs fit fee: \$45.00
Multifocals (Current Wearers) fit fee: \$50.00	Multifocals (New Wearers) fit fee: \$125.00
Duette (Current Wearer) fit fee: \$45.00	Duette (New Wearers) fit fee: \$75.00
Specialty lenses fit fee: \$200.00-\$800.00	

First Time Contact Lens Wearers or Those Switching Modality:

In addition to the contact lens fitting/evaluation fee described above, it is necessary to be instructed by an eye care professional on the proper insertion and removal of contact lenses. No prescription will be valid without having the proper training. The training session teaches how to insert and remove the lenses and how to properly care for them. A starter kit with contact solution and storage case will be given. Please set aside about an hour for the training. **Training fee: \$100.00**

I have read and understand the fees regarding refraction and contact lens services.

Signature

Date