

PREPARATION FOR THE PRE-OPERATIVE EXAM

CONTACT LENSE WEARERS:

Please verify with your eye care provider the type of contact lenses you are wearing.

Contacts change the shape of your cornea and your cornea must be back to it's natural shape for the pre-operative exam and surgery.

You must be out of your contact lenses before your pre-operative exam:

SOFT DAILY WEAR = 7 days

If you SLEEP in soft/daily wear = 21 days

TORIC / treats astigmatism = 21 days

HARD / GAS PERMEABLE = 30 days per year of use

Do not wear your contact lenses again after your pre-operative exam.

ALL PATIENTS:

Cosmetics:

Please do not wear make-up for 3 days prior to your pre-operative exam.

Lid Care:

Please follow the instructions given at your consultation and clean eye-lid margins twice a day.

Call to schedule your pre-operative exam or with any questions regarding your preparation for the pre-operative exam.

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Three Vision Correction Options

LASIK

A circular flap is made in the protective layer over the cornea, exposing the cornea, then a cool laser is used to reshape the cornea to correct your vision. The flap is replaced and bonds without the need for stitches.

PRK

A solution is used to dissolve the protective layer over the cornea, then a cool laser is used to reshape the cornea and correct your vision. A non-prescription contact lens is placed over the cornea to protect the eye while the cells of the protective layer regenerate. The contact is generally removed after 5 days.

EPI - LASIK*

This is the most recent innovation in vision correction. There is no incision and no flap. This option offers a faster and more comfortable recovery. Similar to PRK, the layer of cells over the cornea is removed. A cool laser is then used to reshape the cornea to correct your vision. A non-prescription contact lens is placed over the cornea to protect the eye while the cells of the protective layer regenerate. The contact is generally removed after 5 days.

*There is an additional fee for Epi-LASIK, which offers a shorter, more comfortable recovery and no flap.

CUSTOM for Night Vision*

Many people don't realize that the night glare, halos or poor contrast they experience while driving at night or in low light are due to higher order aberrations of their visual system, and that these can also be removed through laser surgery. It is recommended that those who experience significant glare difficulties address them with custom laser vision correction. Custom treatment generally cannot be done after a patient has had standard refractive surgery.

*There is an additional fee for Custom surgery.

Monovision*

Patients over 40 years of age may have varying degrees of difficulty with close viewing and reading as the result of presbyopia (age-related loss of near focusing ability). By correcting one eye for close vision and one for distance viewing, you may greatly reduce your dependence on reading glasses.

*There is no additional fee for Monovision.

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Pre-operative Exam

Your Pre-operative Exam will determine your candidacy for laser vision correction. If you are not a candidate for LASIK, you may still qualify for PRK or Epi-LASIK. A LASIK candidate may choose PRK or EPI-LASIK as a better fit for their work or lifestyle needs. During the exam, the doctor will obtain detailed information about the anatomy of your eye, including the presence of higher order aberrations that cause night vision issues, and any findings that might suggest a potential for dry eye following surgery.

Recovery

When planning, patients should be prepared for a 2-3 day recovery period from LASIK and a 5-7 day recovery period before returning to the full demands of a daily routine, including driving, if having PRK or Epi-LASIK.

Feel free to contact our office with any questions you may have.



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