

# Well Vision

To give our Patients a better understanding of our office exams and to avoid any misunderstanding of services received, please read and sign the following:

Nationwide Optometry and our Providers are required by law to follow proper coding and billing guidelines for eye examinations. Your Medical Insurance will not pay for a routine eye examination or refraction charges and your Vision Plan will not pay for medical conditions or problems.

**Special Note** – For Medical Examinations, Medicare and insurance carriers do not cover the cost for the refraction (prescription) portion of the examination. Nationwide Optometry charges a minimum amount of **\$18** that patients will be responsible for at the time of service, if you would like a prescription. If you have a Medicare Supplement Plan it usually will cover the cost of any deductibles, copayments and co-insurance but does not usually cover the cost of the refraction charge.

Your Vision Plan provides you with a “Well Vision” examination. This assumes healthy eyes that only suffer from focusing problems like: nearsightedness, farsightedness, astigmatism and presbyopia that evaluate your needs for a prescription.

**YOUR VISION PLAN WILL ONLY PAY THE EXAM IF THERE IS NOTHING WRONG WITH THE HEALTH OF YOUR EYES.**

The following conditions: dry eyes, red eyes, blepharitis, allergies, contact lens complications, cataracts, floaters, optic nerve disorders, retinal problem, diabetes etc. are coded and billed medically.

Please feel free to ask the staff or the Doctor any further detailed questions you may have regarding these policies. We will be happy to address any questions and resolve any confusion.

**WE WANT TO MAKE YOUR VISIT AT NATIONWIDE OPTOMETRY A GREAT EXPERIENCE!**

Thank You,

Nationwide Optometry and Associates

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Print Name

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Patient/Guardian Signature

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Date

