## REFRACTION SERVICES AND FEES

A refraction is the process of determining your best corrected vision and if there is a need for corrective eyeglasses or contact lenses. It is an essential part of the eye exam and is necessary to write a prescription for glasses or contact lenses.

A refraction is NOT a covered service by Medicare or most medical insurance plans. These plans consider a refraction a "vision" service not a "medical" service.

We will NOT file the charge for a refraction with a health insurance unless we know that your plan covers the refraction charge.

## **BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2023**

Our office fee for a refraction is \$\_50.00 and this fee is collected at the time of service in addition to any co-payment your plan may require. Should your plan pay us for the refraction, we will reimburse you accordingly.

We cannot file insurance on both the medical and routine vision plan for the same visit. A medical visit is totally different than a routine vision plan visit. If you have a medical reason for seeing the doctor for a routine eyeglass / contact lens visit will not be done on the same day. If you have any questions about this ask the staff and we can help to clarify.

Patient's Name (printed)	Date
Patient Signature (Legally responsible applicable) to patient Staff Witness	Relationship