

# **Welcome To Our Office!**

(Please Print All Responses)

Today	/'s Date:		•		. ,					
PATIEN	NT INFORMATION									
NAME:	□ Mr. □ Miss □ Mrs. □ Dr	Last,	First	MI	(Nickname)	DOB:				
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CITY:			STATE:	ZIP: _		MARITAL STATUS:				
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Preferre	d Contact Method (selec	t all that apply)	: Cell Hom	ne <b>D</b> Email	□ Text message					
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	□ Insurance list	□ Patient/Pro	vider Referral:							
If deper	ndent, please list parent	or guardian info	ormation:							
Current	Primary Care Physician:				Last	t Visit:				
INSUR	ANCE									
VISION	INSURANCE:				ID#:					
	Your Relationship To Prim									
*If not S	elf, please list primary po	licy holder's info	ormation:							
					Member DOB:					
					Member Employer:					
PRIMAR	Y MEDICAL INSURANCE:				ID#:					
What Is	Your Relationship To Prim	nary Policy Holde	er: 🗆 Self 🗆	Spouse □	Dependent					
*If not S	elf, please list primary po	licy holder's info	ormation (OR 🛚	I SAME AS A	ABOVE):					
	Member Name:				Member DOB:					
Member SSN:					Member Employer:					
SECON	DARY MEDICAL INSURANCE	CE:			ID#:					
SPECT	ACLE STATUS (PLEAS	SE CHECK AL	LL THAT APPLY	Y)						
Date of	last eye exam, if elsewh	ere:								
	not currently wear glass rrently wear glasses: When do you wear you	Prescription			eeded 🛭 Most	ly for Distance 🔲 Reading Only				
**If poss	sible, please bring your c	urrent glasses wi	ith you to the exc	amination.						

CONTACT LENS STAT	· ·			T APPLY)						
Are you interested in con	tacts? 🗆	Yes** □ N	lo	Type of co	ontacts i	recently w	orn (m	ark all that apply):		
**If YES, please I	et the staff	know!**		□Soft	□RGP	□Con	ventior	nal Disposable	□Toric (	For astigmatisr
Have you worn contacts?	? 🗆	Yes 🗆 N	lo	□Color Le	enses	□Bifoc	:al/Mor	novision		
Do you currently wear co										
Discard how often?			Do you sl	eep in your co	ntacts?	□ Yes □	□ No	(If yes, # of nights	in a row	:)
Are there any specific typ										
What lens care system ar										
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□ Other:										
OCULAR HISTORY &	OCULAR	FAMILY H	ISTORY (P	LEASE INDICATE	IF ANY	OF THE COI	NDITION	S APPLY TO YOU OR A	BLOOD R	ELATIVE)
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Colitis Colon Cancer Hepatitis Ulcer, Stomach		<u>c</u>	Acne Ro Lupus Psoriasis				Resp	Asthma Lung Cancer Sarcoidosis	_ 	_ _ _
Other Medical History:							OB	Pregnant Nursing		



# A Patient Handout for Vision vs. Medical Insurances

### **About Your Insurance**

There are two types of health insurance that will help pay for your eye care services and products. You may have both and our practice accepts both:

- 1. Vision care plans (such as VSP, EyeMed, Davis Vision, Spectera, NVA, VCP, etc.)
- 2. Medical insurance (Anthem/Blue Cross Blue Shield, Medicare, Cigna, United Healthcare, etc.)
- We will use your vision care plan if we are only providing routine vision services to check your
  acuities, or eye sight. In addition, your vision insurance may also provide you with benefits towards
  materials such as eyeglasses or contact lenses. Vision plans only cover basic tests for vision. They
  do not cover medical conditions of the eyes or for treatment of any eye disease.
- Your medical insurance will be used if you have any eye health condition or systematic problem that has ocular complications. The doctor will determine if these conditions apply to you, but some of these conditions are determined by your medical history (i.e. diabetes).
- If you have both types of insurance plans, it may be necessary for us to bill some services to your medical plan and other services to your vision plan. We will use coordination of benefits for both insurances as necessary.
- We will bill your insurance plan for services if we are a participating provider for your plan. We will try to obtain advanced authorization or verification of your insurance benefits prior to your appointments with our office. In any case, <u>verification of benefits is not a guarantee of payment</u>.
- Our office policy requires payment up front if we are billing your medical insurance for the first time. Once a billing history has been established, we can then determine how your insurance will provide benefits to you. Any overpayment for services will be refunded to you via office credit or check once our office receives the payment from your claim. Co-pays and any services not covered by your insurance are required to be paid at the time of services rendered.

I,	, have read and agree with these policies.
Printed Name of Patient or Patient's Legal Guardian	
Signature of Patient or Patient's Legal Guardian	Date



# **Signature Acknowledging Receipt of Privacy Practices**

I have received a copy of the privacy practices in effect at EnVision Eye Care.					
Patient or Patient's Guardian Printed Name	Relationship to Dependent Patient (if applicable)				
Signature	Date				



# **Notice of Privacy Policies for EnVision Eye Care**

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY.

#### Introduction

At EnVision Eye Care, we are committed to treating our patients with the best care available and, as such, using your protected health information to improve this care. This Notice of Health Information Practices describes the personal information we collect as well as how and when we use or disclose that information. It also describes your rights as they relate to your protected health information. This Notice is effective 10/1/02 and applies to all protected health information as defined by federal regulations.

## **Understanding Your Health Record/Information**

Each time you visit EnVision Eye Care, a record of your visit is made. Typically, this record contains your symptoms, examination and test results, diagnoses, treatment, and a plan for future care or treatment. This information, often referred to as your health or medical record, serves as a:

- Basis for planning your care and treatment,
- Means of communication among the many health professionals who contribute to your care,
- Legal document describing the care your received,
- Means by which you or a third-party payer can verify that services billed were provided,
- Tool in educating health professionals,
- Source of data for medical research,
- Source of information for public health officials charged with improving the health of this state and the nation,
- Source of data for our planning and marketing,
- Tool with which we can assess and continually work to improve the care we render and the outcomes we achieve.

Understanding what is in your record and how your health information is used helps you to: ensure its accuracy; better understand who, what, when, where, and why others may assess your health information; and make more informed decisions when authorizing disclosure to others.

### Your Health Record/Information

Although your health record is the physical property of EnVision Eye Care, the following information belongs to you. You have the right to:

- Obtain a paper copy of this notice of information practices upon request,
- Inspect and copy your health records provided for in 45 CPR 164.524,
- Amend your health record as provided in 45 CPR 164.528,
- Obtain an accounting of disclosures of your health information as provided in 45 CPR 164.528,
- Request communications of your health information by alternative means or at alternative locations,
- Request a restriction on certain uses and disclosures of your information as provided by 45 CPR 164.522, and,
- Revoke your authorization to use or disclose health information except to the extent that action has already been taken.

### **Our Responsibilities**

EnVision Eye Care is required to:

- · Maintain the privacy of your health information,
- Provide you with this notice as to our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to information we collect and maintain about you,
- Abide by the terms of this notice,
- Notify you if we are unable to agree to a requested restriction, and,
- Accommodate reasonable requests you may have to communicate health information by alternative means or at alternative locations.

We reserve the right to change our practices and to make new provisions effective for all protected health information we maintain. Should our information practices change, we will mail a revised notice to the address you've supplied us or, if you agree, email the revised notice to you.

We will not use or disclose your health information without your authorization, except as described in this notice. We will also discontinue use and disclosure of your health information after we have received a written revocation of the authorization according to the procedures included in the authorization.

# Example of Disclosures for Treatment, Payment, and Health Operations:

We will use your health information for treatment.

For Example: Information obtained by a nurse, physician, or other member of your health care team will be recorded in your record and used to determine the course of the treatment that works best for you. Your physician will document in your record his or her expectations of the members of your health care team. Members of your health care team will then record the actions they took and their observations. In this way, the physician will know how you are responding to treatment.

We will use your health information for regular health operations.

For Example: Members of the medical staff, the risk or quality improvement manager, or members of the quality improvement team may use information in your health record to assess the care and outcomes in your case and others like it. This information will then be used to continually improve the quality and effectiveness of the healthcare and services we provide.

Business Associates: There are some services provided in our organization through contacts with business associates. Examples include physician services in the emergency department and radiology, certain laboratory tests, and a copy service we use when making copies of your health record. When these services are contacted, we may disclose your health information to our business associate so that they may perform the job we've asked them to do and bill you or your third-party payer for services rendered. To protect your health information, however, we require the business associate to appropriately safeguard your information.

Food and Drug Administration (FDA): We may disclose to the FDA health information relative to adverse events with respect to food, supplements, product defects, or post-marketing surveillance information to facilitate product recalls, repairs, or replacement.

Public Health: As required by law, we may disclose your health information to public health or legal authorities charged with preventing or controlling disease, injury, or disability.

Law Enforcement: We may disclose your health information to law enforcement as required by law or in response to a valid subpoena.

Federal law makes provision for your health information to be released to an appropriate health oversight agency, public health authority, or attorney.

## For More Information or To Report a Problem

If you have questions and would like additional information, please contact the office's Privacy Officer, Jeffery Herriott, at (912) 927-0707.

If you believe your privacy rights may have been violated, you may file a complaint with the office's Privacy Officer or with the Office for Civil Rights (OCR), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. There will be no retaliation from us for filing a complaint with either our office's Privacy Officer or the Office for Civil Rights. The address and web page URL for the OCR are listed below:

Office for Civil Rights

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

200 Independence Ave, S.W.

Room 509F, HHH Bldg.

Washington, D.C. 20201

https://www.hhs.gov/ocr/index.html

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