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Contact Lens Service Agreement

A contact lens evaluation is a separate part of a comprehensive eye examination and requires additional testing that only people who wear contact lenses need. Patients wearing contact lenses require more of the doctor's time and expertise. In order to prescribe contact lenses we must complete several additional tests:

1. **Evaluate the health of the eye** paying close attention to the cornea, eyelids and conjunctiva and how contact lens wear will affect your health.
2. **Determine the proper contact lens prescription** based on your lifestyle, vision needs, and corneal health and curvature. A contact lens prescription is much different and separate from a glasses prescription.
3. Examine the contact lens on the eye to **ensure proper alignment** with the cornea and eyelids.
4. Measure vision with the contact lenses on the eye and **make adjustments** as indicated.

Contact lens examinations and fittings have different levels of complexity; this depends on the types of contact lenses needed, your visual requirements and the health of your eyes.

Typical Contact Lens Evaluation Fees: Between \$50-100

All contact lens services at EyeXcel include follow up visits at no additional charge for **60 days** after the initial visit. Contact lens visits after 60 days will incur an office visit fee. Any medical visits needed during or after the evaluation period will be billed to your medical insurance plan.

Your contact lens prescription cannot be released until you return for scheduled follow up appointments. Once you and your doctor are happy with the comfort, vision, and fit of the lenses, the prescription will be released to purchase a final supply.

REFUND POLICY: Contact lenses can only be returned to exchange if the prescription changes; the boxes must be unopened, unmarked and in new condition (i.e. not expired). **Please do not write on your boxes.** Each exchange is subject to manufacturer's guidelines and will be handled on a case-by-case basis. There are no refunds on contact lens service fees.

Insurance coverage for Contact Lens Services: While most insurance plans do not cover contact lens services, some plans offer a discount or limited coverage that may cover part of the fees.

Fees quoted over the phone and before the exam are only estimates. Our staff will be able to give you the exact fee after knowing the type of contact lens you will be wearing.

Patient/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Patient Name (printed) _____