



## CONTACT LENS FITTING AGREEMENT

### WHAT IS A CONTACT LENS FITTING?

A contact lens fitting includes the following services provided by both doctor and staff at the Eye Clinic of Austin.

- Assessment of visual needs and expectations.
- Evaluation and determination of prescription and eye health in regard to contact lens wear.
- Diagnostic trial lens fitting.
- Follow-up examinations to monitor eye health, prescription accuracy and appropriate fit within a 60 to 90 day period, depending on the complexity of the fit.

### FITTING FEE

The fitting fee includes the initial visit and all subsequent visits directly related to contact lens wear and fit within a 60 day period or 90 day period, depending on the complexity of the fit. The fitting fee varies based on the type of lens being fitted and the follow up period required. The follow up period begins when the first contact lenses are dispensed to the patient.

### INSERTION AND REMOVAL TRAINING

In addition to the above fitting fee, first time contact lens wearers are scheduled for a training session with a contact lens technician when the trial lenses arrive. During this session, patients are taught how to insert, remove, clean and care for contact lenses. The session may take up to an hour and a half, depending on how quickly the patient becomes comfortable with insertion and removal of the lenses.

### POLICIES

- Charges for fitting fees are due in full at the time of the fitting evaluation.
- All contact lenses must be paid for in full prior to being ordered.
- Progress checks and other contact lens-related services performed after the above mentioned follow up period are subject to normal office visit charges.
- Many insurance plans do not cover the full cost of contact lens fees. You will be responsible for any uncovered costs incurred by the eye exam, contact lens fitting or contact lenses.
- Professional fees for the complete eye exam and fitting are not refundable.
- You are responsible for scheduling and attending follow up visits in order to finalize your prescription. Your prescription will not be released and contact lenses will not be ordered for you until your prescription has been finalized by the doctor.
- Contact lens prescriptions expire after one year in the state of Texas.
- We can provide your contact lens prescription if:
  - You have had a contact lens exam within the last 12 months at Eye Clinic of Austin.
  - You have returned for all requested follow up exams, allowing the doctor to finalize your prescription.
  - An ocular medical condition does not exist requiring follow up care.
  - All financial obligations have been met.

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Patient Signature

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Date