

Consent for Eye Care Treatment

A dilated eye examination is an essential part of a thorough eye health evaluation. Eye drops are used to open your pupil to allow a clear view of the nerves, blood vessels, and tissues in the back of our eye. This is important for detecting eye diseases such as cataracts, glaucoma, and macular degeneration among others. The eye drops used have a very low risk of adverse health events including allergic reaction. The side effects of these drops include sensitivity to light and difficulty with near tasks. In addition, some patients may experience headache and eye strain afterward.

It is recommended that you have a driver, however, many patients may not require assistance (choose one option from below).

I agree to be dilated today.

Signature of patient or person authorized to sign

Today's date

I have been educated regarding the importance of a dilated eye exam. I have refused to have this conducted today.

Signature of patient or person authorized to sign

Today's date