

Group Vision Care Plan



Group Name: LOYOLA UNIVERSITY NEW ORLEANS
Group Number: 12229063
Effective Date: JANUARY 1, 2006

EVIDENCE OF COVERAGE

Provided by:

VISION SERVICE PLAN INSURANCE COMPANY

3333 Quality Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670
(916) 851-5000 (800) 877-7195

To be filled in by employer in the event this document is used to develop a Summary Plan Description:

PLAN SPONSOR/ADMINISTRATOR: Loyola University New Orleans
6363 St. Charles Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70118
(504) 864-7027

NAME OF PLAN: Loyola University Employee Benefit Plan

EMPLOYER I.D.#: 72-0408946

PLAN #: 502

PLAN YEAR: January 1

AGENT FOR SERVICE OF
LEGAL PROCESS: Plan Administrator

TYPE OF ADMINISTRATION: Insurer

BENEFITS PROVIDED BY AND
DISBURSEMENTS FROM THE
PLAN MADE BY: Vision care benefits are funded solely by participating employees through salary reduction. Disbursements are guaranteed under a contract of insurance and made by the Insurance Company in accordance with the terms of the Plan Document and Insurance Contract.

TERMINATION OR AMENDMENT
OF PLAN: Loyola University reserves the right to terminate or amend the plan completely or partially at any time, subject to the terms and provisions of the Plan Document and underlying insurance contract.

This form is a summary of the Plan provisions and is presented as a matter of general information only. It is not a substitute for the provisions of the Plan itself. A copy of the Plan will be furnished on request.

DEFINITIONS:

ANISOMETROPIA A condition of unequal refractive state for the two eyes, one eye requiring a different lens correction than the other.

BENEFIT AUTHORIZATION Authorization issued by VSP identifying the individual named as a Covered Person of VSP, and identifying those Plan Benefits to which a Covered Person is entitled.

COPAYMENTS Any amounts required to be paid by or on behalf of a Covered Person for Plan Benefits that are not fully covered.

COVERED PERSON An Enrollee or Eligible Dependent who meets VSP's eligibility criteria and on whose behalf Premiums have been paid to VSP, and who is covered under this plan.

ELIGIBLE DEPENDENT Any legal dependent of an Enrollee of Group who meets the criteria for eligibility established by Group and approved by VSP under the provisions of the Plan under which such Enrollee is covered.

EMERGENCY CONDITION A condition, with sudden onset and acute symptoms, that requires the Covered Person to obtain immediate medical care, or an unforeseen occurrence requiring immediate, non-medical action.

ENROLLEE An employee or member of Group who meets the criteria for eligibility specified under the provisions of the Plan.

EXPERIMENTAL NATURE Procedure or lens that is not used universally or accepted by the vision care profession, as determined by VSP.

GROUP	An employer or other entity which contracts with VSP for coverage under this plan in order to provide vision care coverage to its Enrollees and their Eligible Dependents.
KERATOCONUS	A development or dystrophic deformity of the cornea in which it becomes coneshaped due to a thinning and stretching of the tissue in its central area.
MEMBER DOCTOR	An optometrist or ophthalmologist licensed and otherwise qualified to practice vision care and/or provide vision care materials who has contracted with VSP to provide vision care services and/or vision care materials on behalf of Covered Persons of VSP.
NON-MEMBER PROVIDER	Any optometrist, optician, ophthalmologist, or other licensed and qualified vision care provider who has not contracted with VSP to provide vision care services and/or vision care materials to Covered Persons of VSP.
PLAN BENEFITS	The vision care services and vision care materials which a Covered Person is entitled to receive by virtue of coverage under the Plan, as defined on the enclosed insert or in the Schedule of Benefits attached as Exhibit A to the Group Plan document maintained by your Group Administrator.
PREMIUMS	The payments made to VSP by or on behalf of a Covered Person to entitle him/her to Plan Benefits, as stated in the Schedule of Premiums attached as Exhibit B to the Group Plan document maintained by your Group Administrator.
RENEWAL DATE	The date on which the Plan shall renew or terminate if proper notice is given.
SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS	The document, attached as Exhibit A to the Group Plan document maintained by your Group Administrator, which lists the vision care services and vision care materials which a Covered Person is entitled to receive by virtue of this plan.
SCHEDULE OF PREMIUMS	The document, attached as Exhibit B to the Group Plan document maintained by your Group Administrator, which states the payments to be made to VSP by or on behalf of a Covered Person to entitle him/her to Plan Benefits.
VISUALLY NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE	Services and materials medically or visually necessary to restor or maintain a patient's visual acuity and health and for which there is no less expensive professionally acceptable alternative.

BENEFITS AND COVERAGES

IMPORTANT: The benefits described below are typical services and materials available under most VSP plans. However, the actual Plan Benefits provided to you by your Group may be different. Refer to the attached Schedule of Benefits and/or Disclosure to determine your specific Plan Benefits.

1. **Eye Examination:** A complete initial vision analysis which includes an appropriate examination of visual functions, including the prescription of corrective eyewear where indicated.
2. **Lenses:** The Member Doctor will order the proper lenses necessary for your visual welfare. The doctor shall verify the accuracy of the finished lenses.
3. **Frames:** The Member Doctor will assist in the selection of frames, properly fit and adjust the frames, and provide subsequent adjustments to frames to maintain comfort and efficiency.
4. **Contact lenses:** Visually Necessary contact lenses together with necessary professional services will be provided as indicated on the enclosed insert in lieu of spectacle lenses and frames for the current eligibility period. Coverage for Visually Necessary contact lenses regardless of whether they are obtained from a Member Doctor or Non-Member Provider are subject to review and authorization from Company's Optometric Consultants.

Elective contact lenses for other than Visually Necessary circumstances are available in lieu of spectacle lenses and frames for the current eligibility as indicated on the enclosed insert.

ADDITIONAL DISCOUNT

Each Covered Person shall be entitled to receive a discount toward the purchases of additional complete pairs of prescription glasses (lenses, lens options, and frames). Additionally, each Covered Person shall be entitled to receive a discount off the Member Doctor's professional fees for contact lenses. Contact lens materials are provided at the doctor's usual and customary charges. Discounts are applied to the Member Doctor's usual and customary fees for such services and are available within twelve (12) months of the covered eye examination from the Member Doctor who provided the covered eye examination.

EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS OF BENEFITS

This vision service plan is designed to cover visual needs rather than cosmetic materials. If you select any of the following extras, the Plan will pay the basic cost of the allowed lenses, and you will be responsible for the additional cost for the options, unless the extra is defined in the Schedule of Benefits attached as Exhibit A to the Group Plan document maintained by your Group Administrator.

- Optional cosmetic processes.
- Anti-reflective coating.
- Color coating.
- Mirror coating.
- Scratch coating.
- Blended lenses.
- Cosmetic lenses.
- Laminated lenses.
- Oversize lenses.
- Progressive multifocal lenses.
- UV (ultraviolet) protected lenses.
- Certain limitations on low vision care.

Although a low vision benefit is available to Insureds diagnosed as having severe visual problems (i.e., partial sight), it is subject to limitations. Consult your Member Doctor or Benefits Representative for details. **There is no benefit for professional services or materials connected with:**

1. Orthoptics or vision training and any associated supplemental testing; plano lenses (less than $\pm .38$ diopter power); or two pair of glasses in lieu of bifocals.
2. Replacement of lenses and frames furnished under this Plan which are lost or broken except at the normal intervals when services are otherwise available.
3. Medical or surgical treatment of the eyes.
4. Any eye examination, or any corrective eye wear, required by an employer as a condition of employment.
5. Corrective vision treatment of an experimental nature such as, but not limited to, RK and PRK Surgery.

ELIGIBILITY FOR COVERAGE

Enrollees: Full-time faculty or staff employees are eligible to participate in this plan on the first day of the calendar month on or following your hire date, provided you enroll within 31 days of your eligibility date. Otherwise you will not be able to enroll until the next annual enrollment period unless you experience a qualifying status change. If you are not actively at work on the date your coverage would normally begin, it will be delayed until you return to work. If both you and your spouse work for the University, you may each be covered as an employee or one of you may be covered as the other's dependent, however you may not be covered as both an employee and as a dependent. In addition, no one may be covered as the dependent of more than one employee.

Eligible Dependents: If dependent coverage is provided, the persons eligible for coverage as dependents shall include the legal spouse of any Enrollee, and any unmarried child of an Enrollee, including any natural child from the moment of birth, legally adopted child from the moment of placement in the residence of the Enrollee, or other child for whom a court or administrative agency holds the Enrollee responsible from the moment of birth who has not obtained the limiting age as shown on the enclosed insert page.

A dependent, unmarried child over the limiting age may continue to be eligible as a dependent if the child is incapable of self-sustaining employment because of mental or physical disability, and chiefly dependent upon the enrollee for support and maintenance.

ENROLLMENT FOR COVERAGE

Electing vision coverage

You can choose to enroll in the vision plan or you can choose to decline coverage. However, if you don't enroll for coverage within 31 days of your eligibility date, you will not be able to obtain coverage until the next annual enrollment period, unless you experience a change in status.

Changing vision plan coverage

Normally, you can only change your vision plan coverage (add or drop coverage for yourself or your dependents) during the annual enrollment period, which occurs prior to the end of each plan year. The choices you make during the annual enrollment period are binding for the following plan year (January 1 through December 31).

However, you can enroll or change your family coverage status before the annual enrollment period if you experience a qualifying status change that affects your benefit needs. Events that qualify as a change in status and the types of election changes that will be permitted if you experience a change in status include:

1. Marriage, birth or adoption.
2. Death, divorce, legal separation or annulment.
3. Change in your, your spouse's or your dependent's employment status.
4. A dependent child loses eligibility for coverage under the plan, i.e. marries or reaches the limiting age.
5. Loss of other employer sponsored vision plan coverage.
6. Other events as authorized by the IRS and accepted by the University.

Note that the University has the sole discretion to determine whether an election change is consistent with a change in status event.

If you experience a change in status and wish to make a change in your benefit elections, you must notify the Human Resources Department and complete the appropriate forms within 31 days of the qualifying status change event. You will be notified of any change in the amount of your contributions at that time.

PREMIUMS

The Group is responsible for payments to VSP of the periodic charges for your coverage. You will be notified of your share of the charges, if any, by your Group. The entire cost of the program is paid to VSP by the Group.

COPAYMENT

The benefits described herein are available to you from any participating Member Doctor, provided you follow the proper procedures by obtaining Benefit Authorization. THERE MAY BE A COPAYMENT AMOUNT PAYABLE BY YOU TO THE MEMBER DOCTOR AT THE TIME OF THE EXAMINATION. ANY ADDITIONAL CARE, SERVICE AND/OR MATERIALS NOT COVERED BY THIS PLAN MAY BE ARRANGED BETWEEN YOU AND THE DOCTOR.

CHOICE OF PROVIDERS

Vision care services and vision care materials may be received from any licensed optometrist, ophthalmologist, or dispensing optician, whether Member Doctors or Non-Member Providers. If you elect to receive vision care services from one of the Member Doctors, covered services are provided at no out-of-pocket cost (unless the plan contains a Copayment).

When vision care services are received from a Non-Member Provider, you will be reimbursed for such benefits according to the schedule shown on the enclosed insert, less any applicable Copayment.

BENEFIT AUTHORIZATION PROCESS

VSP authorizes Plan Benefits according to the latest eligibility information furnished to VSP by Covered Person's Group and the level of coverage (i.e. service frequencies, covered materials, reimbursement amounts, limitations, and exclusions) purchased for Insured by Group under this Plan. When Covered Person requests services under this Plan, Covered Person prior utilization of Plan Benefits will be reviewed by VSP to determine if Insured is eligible for new services based upon Covered Person's Plan level of coverage. Please refer to the attached Schedule of Benefits for a summary of the level of coverage provided to Covered Person by Group.

Prior Authorization

Certain Plan Benefits require VSP's prior authorization before such Plan Benefits are covered. VSP's prior authorization determinations are based upon criteria developed by optometric and ophthalmic consultants and approved VSP's Utilization Management Committee and Board of Directors.

- A. Initial Determination:** VSP will approve or deny requests for prior authorization of services within fifteen (15) calendar days of receipt of the request from the Insured's doctor. In the event that a prior authorization cannot be resolved within the time indicated, VSP may, if necessary, extend the time for decision by no more than fifteen (15) calendar days.
- B. Appeals:** If VSP denies the doctor's request for prior authorization, the doctor, Insured, or Covered Person's authorized representative may request an appeal of the denial. Please refer to the section on Claim Appeals, below, for details on how to request an appeal. VSP shall provide the requestor with a final review determination within thirty (15) calendar days from the date the request is received. A second level appeal, and other remedies as described below, is also available. VSP shall resolve any second level appeal within thirty (15) calendar days. Covered Person may designate any person, including the provider, as Covered Person's authorized representative.

For more information regarding VSP's criteria for authorizing or denying Plan Benefits, please contact VSP's Customer Service Department.

PROCEDURE FOR USING THE PLAN

1. When you desire to receive Plan Benefits from a Member Doctor, contact VSP or the Member Doctor. If you are eligible, VSP will provide Benefit Authorization to you or the Member Doctor.
2. When such authorization is received and services are performed prior to the expiration date of the authorization, this will constitute a claim against the Plan in spite of your termination of coverage or the termination of the Plan. Should you receive services from a Member Doctor without such authorization or obtain services from a provider who is not a Member Doctor, you are responsible for payment in full to the provider.
3. A list of Member Doctors in your geographic location can be obtained from your Group or Plan Administrator. This list contains the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of the Member Doctors. If this list does not cover the geographic area in which you desire to seek services, you may call or write VSP office nearest you to obtain one that does.
4. You pay only the Copayment (if any) to the doctor for the services covered by the Plan. VSP will pay the Member Doctor directly according to its agreement with the doctor.
5. In emergency conditions, when immediate vision care of a medical nature, such as for bodily trauma or disease is necessary, Insured can obtain covered services by contacting a Member Doctor (or Out-of-Network Provider - if the attached Schedule of Benefits indicates that Covered Person's Plan includes such coverage). No prior approval from VSP is required for Insured to obtain vision care for Emergency Conditions of a medical nature. However, services for medical conditions, including emergencies, are covered by VSP only under the Acute EyeCare and Primary EyeCare Plans. If coverage for one of these plans is not indicated on the attached Schedule of Benefits or Addendum, Covered Person is not covered by VSP for medical services and should contact a physician under Covered Person's medical insurance plan for care. For emergency conditions of a non-medical nature, such as lost, broken or stolen glasses, the Covered Person should contact VSP's Customer Service Department for assistance.

Emergency vision care is subject to the same benefit frequencies, plan allowances, Copayments and exclusions stated herein. Reimbursement to Member Doctors will be made in accordance with their agreement with VSP.

LIABILITY IN EVENT OF NON-PAYMENT

IN THE EVENT COMPANY FAILS TO PAY THE PROVIDER, YOU SHALL NOT BE LIABLE TO THE PROVIDER FOR ANY SUMS OWED BY THE VISION PLAN OTHER THAN THOSE NOT COVERED BY THE PLAN.

INDIVIDUAL CONTINUATION OF BENEFITS

This program is available to groups of a minimum of ten (10) employees and is, therefore, not available on an individual basis. When a Group terminates its coverage, individual coverage is not available for Enrollees who may desire to retain same.

TERMINATION OF BENEFITS

Your coverage will end on the last day of the month of the first of the following to occur:

1. You are no longer eligible for coverage.
2. You cease Active Work.
3. Your last contribution for coverage was made.
4. The Policy is cancelled.

Your dependents coverage will end on the last day of the month if the first of the following to occur:

1. Your coverage ends.
2. Your dependent no longer meets the plan's definition of an eligible dependent.
3. Your last contribution for dependent coverage was made.
4. The Policy is cancelled.

Terms and cancellation conditions of your vision care plan are shown on the enclosed insert. If service is being rendered to you as of the termination date of the Plan, such service shall be continued to completion, but in no event beyond six (6) months after the termination date of the Plan.

COMPLAINTS AND GRIEVANCES

If Covered Person ever has a question or problem, Covered Person's first step is to call VSP's Customer Service Department. The Customer Service Department will make every effort to answer Covered Person's question and/or resolve the matter informally. If a matter is not initially resolved to the satisfaction of Covered Person, the Covered Person may communicate a complaint or grievance to VSP, orally or in writing, by using the complaint form that may be obtained upon request from the Customer Service Department. Complaints and grievances include disagreements regarding access to care, or the quality of care, treatment or service. Covered Persons also have the right to submit written comments or supporting documentation concerning a complaint or grievance to assist in VSP's review. VSP will resolve the complaint or grievance within thirty (30) days after receipt, unless special circumstances require an extension of time. In that case, resolution shall be achieved as soon as possible, but no later than one hundred twenty (120) days after VSP's receipt of the complaint or grievance. If VSP determines that resolution cannot be achieved within thirty (30) days, a letter will be sent to the Insured to indicate VSP's expected resolution date. Upon final resolution, the Covered Person will be notified of the outcome in writing.

Claim Payments and Denials

- Initial Determination:** VSP will pay or deny claims within thirty (30) calendar days of the receipt of the claim from the Covered Person or Covered Person's authorized representative. In the event that a claim cannot be resolved within the time indicated, VSP may, if necessary, extend the time for decision by no more than fifteen (15) calendar days.
- Request for Appeals:** If the Covered Person's claim for benefits is denied by VSP in whole or in part, VSP will notify the Covered Person in writing of the reason or reasons for the denial. Within one hundred eighty (180) days after receipt of such notice of denial of a claim, Covered Person may make a verbal or written request to VSP for a full review of such denial. The request should contain sufficient information to identify the Covered Person for whom a claim for benefits was denied, including the name of the Enrollee, Member Identification Number of the Enrollee, the Covered Person's name and date of birth, the name of the provider of services and the claim number. The Covered Person may state the reasons the Insured believes that the claim denial was in error. The Covered Person may also provide any pertinent documents to be reviewed. VSP will review the claim and give Covered Person the opportunity to review pertinent documents, submit any statements, documents, or written arguments in support of the claim, and appear personally to present materials or arguments. Covered Person or Covered Person's authorized representative should submit all requests for appeals to:

VSP
Member Appeals
3333 Quality Drive
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670
(800) 877-7195

VSP's determination, including specific reasons for the decision, shall be provided and communicated to the Covered Person within thirty (30) calendar days after receipt of a request for appeal from the Covered Person or Covered Person's authorized representative.

If Covered Person disagrees with VSP's determination, he/she may request a second level appeal within sixty (60) calendar days from the date of the determination. VSP shall resolve any second level appeal within thirty (30) calendar days.

When Covered Person has completed all appeals mandated by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"), additional voluntary alternative dispute resolution options may be available, including mediation and arbitration. Covered Person should contact the U. S. Department of Labor or the State insurance regulatory agency for details. Additionally, under ERISA Section 502(a)(1)(B), Covered Person has the right to bring a civil (court) action when all available levels of reviews of denied claims, including the appeal process, have been completed, the claims were not approved in whole or in part, and Covered Person disagrees with the outcome.

OTHER FACTS YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE PLAN: As a participant in the plan, you are entitled to certain rights and protections under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ERISA provides that all plan participants shall be entitled to:

Receive information about your plan and benefits

1. Examine, without charge, at the plan administrator's office and at other specified locations, such as worksites and union halls, all documents governing the plan, including insurance contracts and collective bargaining agreements, and a copy of the latest annual report (Form 5500 Series) filed by the plan with the U.S. Department of Labor and available at the Public Disclosure Room of the Employee Benefits Security Administration.
2. Obtain, upon written request to the plan administrator, copies of documents governing the operation of the plan, including insurance contracts and collective bargaining agreements, and copies of the latest annual report (Form 5500 Series) and updated summary plan description. The administrator may make a reasonable charge for the copies.
3. Receive a summary of the plan's annual financial report. The plan administrator is required by law to furnish each participant with a copy of this summary annual report.

Continue group health plan coverage

In addition, if you are participant in a group health plan, you have the right to:

1. Continue health care coverage for yourself, spouse or dependents if there is a loss of coverage under the Plan as a result of a qualifying event. You or your dependents may have to pay for such coverage. Review this summary plan description and the documents governing the Plan for information concerning your COBRA continuation coverage rights.
2. Receive a copy of the Plan's procedures regarding qualified medical child support orders without charge.

Prudent actions by plan fiduciaries

In addition to creating rights for plan participants, ERISA imposes duties upon the people who are responsible for the operation of the employee benefit plan. The people who operate your plan, called "fiduciaries" of the plan, have a duty to do so prudently and in the interest of you and other plan participants and beneficiaries. No one, including your employer, your union, or any other person, may fire you or otherwise discriminate against you in any way to prevent you from obtaining a (pension, welfare) benefit or exercising your rights under ERISA.

Enforce your rights

If your claim for a benefit is denied or ignored, in whole or in part, you have a right to know why this was done, to obtain copies of documents relating to the decision without charge, and to appeal any denial, all within certain time schedules.

Under ERISA, there are steps you can take to enforce the above rights. For instance, if you request a copy of plan documents or the latest annual report from the plan and do not receive them within 30 days, you may file suit in a Federal court. In such a case, the court may require the plan administrator to provide the materials and pay you up to \$110 a day until you receive the materials, unless the materials were not sent because of reasons beyond the control of the administrator. If you have a claim for benefits which is denied or ignored, in whole or in part, you may file suit in a state or Federal court. In addition, if you disagree with the plan's decision or lack thereof concerning the qualified status of a domestic relations order or a medical child support order, you may file suit in Federal court. If it should happen that plan fiduciaries misuse the plan's money, or if you are discriminated against for asserting your rights, you may seek assistance from the U.S. Department of Labor, or you may file suit in a Federal court. The court will decide who should pay court costs and legal fees. If you are successful the court may order the person you have sued to pay these costs and fees. If you lose, the court may order you to pay these costs and fees, for example, if it finds your claim is frivolous.

Assistance with your questions

If you have any questions about your plan, you should contact the plan administrator. If you have any questions about this statement or about your rights under ERISA, or if you need assistance in obtaining documents from the plan administrator, you should contact the nearest office of the Employee Benefits Security Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, listed in your telephone directory or the Division of Technical Assistance and Inquiries, Employee Benefits Security Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210. You may also obtain certain publications about your rights and responsibilities under ERISA by calling the publications hotline of the Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration.

COBRA CONTINUATION OF COVERAGE

The Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (COBRA) requires that under certain circumstances health plan benefits available to an eligible participant and his or her dependents be made available to said persons upon the termination of employment of said participant, or the termination of the relationship between said participant and his or her dependents. The Plan Administrator and the employer are subject to numerous obligations in connection with continuation coverage, including an obligation to notify eligible participants and their dependents of the existence of said continuation coverage. In this regard, the U.S. Department of Labor has issued ERISA Technical Release No. 86-2 dated June 26, 1986, setting forth a Model Statement of the required notice. Providing said notice by first class mail to each covered employee and his or her spouse, if any, at their last known address will constitute a good faith effort at compliance of the notice requirement in the absence of promulgated COBRA regulations.

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Plan Number: 12229063

Effective Date: JANUARY 1, 2006

Plan Term: TWENTY-FOUR (24) MONTHS

VISION CARE PLAN DISCLOSURE FORM AND EVIDENCE OF COVERAGE

PLAN ADMINISTRATOR:

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY NEW ORLEANS

(NAME)

6363 ST. CHARLES AVENUE

(ADDRESS)

NEW ORLEANS, LA 70118

(CITY, STATE, ZIP)

MONTHLY PREMIUM:

YOUR GROUP IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYMENT TO VISION SERVICE PLAN OF THE PERIODIC CHARGES FOR YOUR COVERAGE. YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED OF YOUR SHARE OF THE CHARGES, IF ANY, BY YOUR GROUP.

ELIGIBILITY:

ENROLLEES & ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS: UNMARRIED DEPENDENT CHILDREN ARE COVERED TO AGE 25. COVERAGE BEGINS ON THE FIRST DAY OF THE MONTH FOLLOWING HIRE PROVIDED ENROLLMENT IS TIMELY..

PLAN AND SCHEDULE:

PLAN C

EXAMINATION: ONCE EVERY PLAN YEAR*

LENSES: ONCE EVERY PLAN YEAR*

FRAMES: ONCE EVERY PLAN YEAR*

*PLAN YEAR BEGINS JANUARY 1ST

TERM, TERMINATION AND RENEWAL:

AFTER THE PLAN TERM, THIS PLAN WILL CONTINUE ON A MONTH TO MONTH BASIS OR UNTIL TERMINATED BY EITHER PARTY GIVING THE OTHER SIXTY (60) DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE.

TYPE OF ADMINISTRATION:

BENEFITS ARE FURNISHED UNDER A VISION CARE PLAN PURCHASED BY THE GROUP AND PROVIDED BY VISION SERVICE PLAN (VSP) UNDER WHICH VSP IS FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PAYMENT OF CLAIMS.

VSP'S ADDRESS IS:

VISION SERVICE PLAN
3333 QUALITY DRIVE
RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95670

SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS

GENERAL

This Schedule lists the vision care services and vision care materials to which Covered Persons of VSP are entitled, subject to any Copayments and other conditions, limitations and/or exclusions stated herein. If Plan Benefits are available for Non-Member Provider services as indicated by the reimbursement provisions below, vision care services and vision care materials may be received from any licensed optometrist, ophthalmologist, or dispensing optician, whether Member Doctors or Non-Member Providers.

When Plan Benefits are received from Member Doctors, benefits appearing in the first column below are applicable subject to any Copayment(s) as stated below. When Plan Benefits are available and received from Non-Member Providers, you are reimbursed for such benefits according to the schedule in the second column below less any applicable Copayment.

PLAN BENEFITS

MEMBER DOCTOR BENEFIT

NON-MEMBER PROVIDER BENEFIT

VISION CARE SERVICES

<i>Vision Examination</i>	<i>Covered in Full*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 35.00*</i>
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VISION CARE MATERIALS

Lenses

<i>Single Vision</i>	<i>Covered in Full*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 25.00*</i>
<i>Bifocal</i>	<i>Covered in Full*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 40.00*</i>
<i>Trifocal</i>	<i>Covered in Full*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 55.00*</i>
<i>Lenticular</i>	<i>Covered in Full*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 80.00*</i>

<i>Frames</i>	<i>Covered up to Plan Allowance*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 45.00*</i>
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CONTACT LENSES

<i>Visually Necessary</i>		
<i>Professional Fees and Materials</i>	<i>Covered in Full*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 210.00*</i>

<i>Elective</i>		
<i>Professional Fees** and Materials</i>	<i>Up to \$ 120.00*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 105.00*</i>

LENS OPTIONS

<i>Tinted/Photochromic</i>	<i>Covered in Full*</i>	<i>Up to \$ 5.00*</i>
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**Subject to Copayment, if any.*

***Additional discount applies to Member Doctor's usual and customary professional fees for contact lens evaluation and fitting.*

COPAYMENT

There shall be a Copayment of \$10.00 for the examination payable by the Covered Person to the Member Doctor at the time services are rendered. If materials (lenses and frames) are provided, there shall be an additional \$25.00 Copayment payable at the time the materials are ordered. However, the Copayment for materials shall not apply to Elective Contact Lenses.

LOW VISION

Professional services, as necessary, for severe visual problems not corrected with regular lenses, including:

<i>Supplemental Testing (includes evaluation, diagnosis and prescription of vision aids where indicated)</i>	<i>Covered in Full</i>	<i>Up to \$125.00</i>
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<i>Supplemental Aids</i>	<i>75% of cost</i>	<i>75% of cost</i>
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Maximum allowable for all Low Vision benefits of \$1000.00 every two (2) years.

PRIMARY EYECARE

Primary Eyecare is available to Covered Person for the treatment and management of urgent eye problems, or for the detection, treatment, and management of ocular conditions and/or systemic conditions which produce ocular or visual symptoms. For more information regarding the Primary Eyecare benefit, please see the Primary EyeCare Addendum attached hereto.

THIS EVIDENCE OF COVERAGE CONSTITUTES ONLY A SUMMARY OF THE VISION PLAN. THE VISION PLAN DOCUMENT MUST BE CONSULTED TO DETERMINE THE EXACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF COVERAGE.

Exhibit C

ADDITIONAL BENEFIT RIDER PRIMARY EYECARE PLAN

GENERAL

This Rider lists additional vision care benefits to which Covered Persons of VISION SERVICE PLAN INSURANCE COMPANY ("VSP") are entitled, subject to any applicable Copayments and other conditions, limitations and/or exclusions stated herein. This Rider forms a part of the Policy and Evidence of coverage to which it is attached.

The Primary EyeCare Plan is designed for the detection, treatment and management of ocular conditions and/or systemic conditions that produce ocular or visual symptoms. Under the Plan, Member Doctors provide treatment and management of urgent and follow-up services. Primary EyeCare also involves management of conditions that require monitoring to prevent future vision loss.

The Member Doctor is responsible for advising and educating patients on matters of general health and prevention of ocular disease. If consultation, treatment, and/or referral are necessary, it is the responsibility of the Member Doctor as a Primary EyeCare professional, to manage and coordinate on behalf of the patient to assure appropriateness of follow-up services.

Covered Persons with the following symptoms and/or conditions (see DEFINITIONS, below) will be covered for certain Primary EyeCare services in accordance with the optometric scope of licensure in the Member Doctor's state. This Rider forms a part of the Policy and Evidence of Coverage to which it is attached.

SYMPTOMS

Examples of symptoms which may result in a patient seeking services on an urgent basis under the Primary EyeCare Plan include, but are not limited to:

- ocular discomfort or pain
- transient loss of vision
- flashes or floaters
- ocular trauma
- diplopia
- recent onset of eye muscle dysfunction
- ocular foreign body sensation
- pain in or around the eyes
- swollen lids
- red eyes

CONDITIONS

Examples of conditions which may require management under the Primary EyeCare Plan include, but are not limited to:

- ocular hypertension
- retinal nevus
- glaucoma
- cataract
- pink-eye
- macular degeneration
- corneal dystrophy
- corneal abrasion
- blepharitis
- sty

See schedule below for Plan Benefits, payments and/or reimbursement subject to any Copayment(s) as stated.

PROCEDURES FOR OBTAINING PRIMARY EYECARE SERVICES

To obtain Primary EyeCare Services, the Covered Person contacts a Member Doctor's office and makes an appointment. If necessary, the Covered Person may first call VSP's Customer Service Department to determine the location of the nearest Member Doctor's office.

If urgent care is necessary, the Covered Person may be seen by a Member Doctor immediately.

The Covered Person pays the applicable Copayment to the Member Doctor at the time of each Primary EyeCare office visit, and for any additional services not covered by the Plan.

Upon completion of the services, the Member Doctor will submit the required claim information to VSP. VSP will pay the Member Doctor directly in accordance with VSP's agreement with the doctor.

See schedule below for Plan Benefits, payments and/or reimbursement subject to any Copayment(s) as stated.

COPAYMENT

A Copayment amount of \$5.00 shall be payable by the Covered Person at the time of each Primary EyeCare office visit.

REFERRALS BY THE MEMBER DOCTOR

The Member Doctor will refer the Covered Person to another doctor under the following circumstances:

If the Covered Person requires additional services which are covered by the Primary EyeCare Plan but can not be provided in the Member Doctor's office, the doctor will refer the Covered Person to another Member Doctor or to the Group's major medical physician whose offices provide the necessary services.

If the Covered Person requires services beyond the scope of the Primary EyeCare Plan, the Member Doctor will refer the Covered Person to the Group's major medical physician.

If the Covered Person requires emergency services beyond the scope of the Primary EyeCare Plan, the Member Doctor will make an urgent referral by calling either another Member Doctor or the Group's major medical physician.

EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS OF BENEFITS

The Primary EyeCare Plan is designed to cover Primary EyeCare services only. There is no coverage provided under the Plan for the following:

- Costs associated with securing materials such as lenses and frames.
- Orthoptics or vision training and any associated supplemental testing.
- Surgical or pathological treatment.
- Any eye examination, or any corrective eyewear required by an employer as a condition of employment.
- Medication.
- Pre- and post-operative services.
- Services and/or materials not indicated on this Rider as covered Plan Benefits.

DEFINITIONS

Blepharitis	Inflammation of the eyelids.
Cataract	A cloudiness of the lens of the eye obstructing vision.
Conjunctiva	The mucous membrane that lines the inner surface of the eyelids and is continued over the forepart of the eye.
Corneal Abrasion	Irritation of the transparent, outermost layer of the eye.
Corneal Dystrophy	A disorder involving nervous and muscular tissue of the transparent, outermost layer of the eye.
Diplopia	The observance by a person of seeing double images of an object
Eye Muscle Dysfunction	A disorder or weakness of the muscles that control the eye movement.
Flashes or Floaters	The observance by a person of seeing flashing lights and/or spots.
Glaucoma	A disease of the eye marked by increased pressure within the eye which causes damage to the optic disc and gradual loss of vision.
Macula	The small, sensitive area of the central retina, which provides vision for fine work and reading.
Macular Degeneration	An acquired degenerative disease which affects the central retina.
Ocular	Of or pertaining to the eye or the eyesight.
Ocular Conditions	Any condition, problem, or complaint relating to the eyes or eyesight.
Ocular Hypertension	Unusually high blood pressure within the eye.
Ocular Trauma	A forceful injury to the eye due to a foreign object.
Pink eye	An acute, highly contagious inflammation of the conjunctiva.
Retinal Nevus	A pigmented birthmark on the sensory membrane lining the eye that receives the image formed by the lens.
Systemic Condition	Any condition or problem relating to a person's general health.
Sty	An inflamed swelling of the fatty material at the margin of the eyelid.
Transient Loss of Vision	Temporary loss of vision.