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COMMITMENT OF CARE PROGRAM

At **Re:Vision - Roy Rubinfeld, MD**, we are dedicated to ensuring the best, long-term results from your laser vision correction procedure to help you enjoy a lifetime of clear vision. To do so it is important that you follow the complete course of post-operative treatment and visits as prescribed by your doctor. Follow-up care can be as important as the procedure itself in improving and preserving your vision.

A recent analysis of our custom LASIK results showed that, on average, **over 95% of our patients achieved excellent results with a single LASIK procedure**. On occasion, especially with high prescriptions, a second procedure may be needed to get your vision as clear as you desire. This does not mean that anything went wrong with your initial procedure. It's much like golf: the farther you are from the hole, the more likely you might need more than one stroke to get the ball in the hole. The usual time for an enhancement procedure is about three to six months after your initial procedure. The **Re:Vision - Roy Rubinfeld, MD Commitment of Care Program** includes all necessary, medically approved enhancements at no charge until your vision is satisfactory and stable.

Although many people feel that LASIK and other similar procedures are quite new, laser vision correction procedures have been performed since 1986. To date, eye doctors have approximately **four decades of experience** with the precursor to LASIK (known as myopic keratomileusis). One study found vision to be generally stable and unchanged at 12 years after laser vision correction (Ophthalmology 2004; 1813-1824) and usually longer. In our two decades of experience we have learned that if patients are satisfied with their vision at about 6 months after surgery, it is unlikely they will need any future enhancement.

In the unlikely event you do require an enhancement after your vision correction procedure, and if such a procedure is medically appropriate, we will perform this procedure at no charge as long as the change in vision is not due to a medical change, such as early cataracts, other eye diseases or conditions unrelated to laser vision correction. You must follow up with your referring eye doctor or a doctor at **Re:Vision - Roy Rubinfeld, MD** as directed to maintain this program.

See reverse for guidelines.

Commitment of Care Program, continued

Eligibility Guidelines:

Patients must have pre-operative nearsightedness (myopia) less than -10.00 diopters (spherical equivalent) and no more than 3.00 diopters of astigmatism.

- Patients must follow a complete course of post-operative treatment and visits, as prescribed by their doctor, during the first 12 months after laser vision correction. Beyond the first 12 months of post-operative care, the patient must have annual eye examinations to monitor vision and eye health. The cost of regular annual eye examinations, after the first 12 months of post-operative care, is the responsibility of the patient.
- Post-operative care is covered for enhancements unless the change in vision is due to another un-related medical condition.
- The decision to perform an enhancement will be made by the patient, the co-managing doctor and the surgeon. This decision will be based on the patient's uncorrected vision and refractive error, as well as whether an enhancement is safe and medically appropriate.
- If new technology becomes available following the initial laser correction procedure, an additional charge may be applied to cover the cost of that new technology.

Exclusion Guidelines:

- Patients with pre-operative nearsightedness (myopia) greater than -10.00 diopters (spherical equivalent) or greater than 3.00 diopters of astigmatism.
- Farsightedness (hyperopia).
- Reduced vision due to eye trauma or eye diseases
- Patients with systemic disease that may affect the eye, such as diabetes mellitus, autoimmune disease, collagen vascular disorders, etc.
- Previous refractive surgery.
- Patients diagnosed with an eye disease, such as glaucoma, cataract, retinal detachment, macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathy.
- Patients seeking treatment for normal aging changes, such as the need for reading glasses (presbyopia).

Patient Signature

Procedure Date

Printed Name