

***VISION SOURCE***

We would like to thank you for considering a contact lens evaluation with the doctors of Teague Eye & Vision Clinic. We would like to inform our patients that based on a Federal law, your contact lens must be evaluated by a doctor on a yearly basis in order to refill your contact lens prescription. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask.

Contact lens patients require additional testing and monitoring beyond what is done during a routine eye exam. Contact lenses are medical devices which could possibly come with associated health risks that must be taken seriously.

During a contact lens evaluation the doctor will carefully evaluate the patient’s current and past ocular health to assess the correct fit and determine the correct contact lens prescription power, which is different than a glasses prescription power.

If needed, the doctor will determine a diagnostic contact lens to dispense for a trial period. A trial period with the new contact lens will help the patient to decide if he/she likes the comfort, vision, and wearing schedule of the lens. At the follow up appointment, the doctor will makes the necessary changes to improve the clarity of vision or quality of fit of the contact to better satisfy the patient. When the fit, vision, and comfort of the lens are acceptable and ocular health is maintained, a final prescription will then be determined.

Evaluation fees are determined by the complexity of the fitting done by the doctor. A more complex fitting, such as a new patient or first time contact lens wearer requires more time with the doctor as well as potentially more follow-up appointments to determine the appropriate prescription. We also have to take in to consideration the time taken by the staff to spend teaching the patient insertion and removal techniques as well as how to properly care for the new contact lenses. (Usually not necessary for previous wearers)

**Contact Lens Evaluation Fees are as follows:**

**First time contact Lens Fitting:**

**Spherical Contact                      \$68**

**Toric Contact                              \$88**

**Multifocal Contact                      \$128**

**Re-fitting:                              \$48-\$128                      (New patients OR contacts switching from sphere to toric or single vision to multifocal/monovision)**

**\$39    (Renewal of contacts of the same power/modality)**

**Notice:** The evaluation/fitting fee covers trial lenses for up to 3 months following the initial contact fit. This does not include care for contact lens induced red eyes or other medical conditions. If the patient has to return beyond the initial 3 month period, an additional evaluation fee may be charged.

**THE EVALUATION / FITTING IS NON-REFUNDABLE**

I have read and understand the above information. I agree to the terms of this contract and have no further questions.

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**Signature of patient or legal guardian**

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**Date**