DO YOU HAVE VISION INSURANCE?

I have private insurance

Yes, I know I have vision coverage

I don’t know if I have vision coverage under my insurance plan

Call the number on the back of your insurance card for information on your coverage options. Please see the example below.

I have Medicare

Most vision coverage is for eye diseases, or medical treatment for eye diseases. *Medicare does not cover regular, dilated eye exams or eyeglasses.*

However, Medicare does cover yearly dilated eye exams if you fit the following criteria:
• You have diabetes
• You are 'at-risk' or have glaucoma. Please see below for 'at-risk' criteria.

*One pair of eyeglasses is covered after cataract surgery.*

*If you do not fit the criteria above for a covered eye exam, please follow the instructions above for 'I have no insurance'*

I have Medicaid

Call the number on the back of your insurance card. Ask if you have any vision coverage. If so, ask what benefits are covered. Please see the example below.

I have no insurance

No, I do not have coverage.

Yes, but I only have partial coverage.

You may qualify for Prevent Blindness Wisconsin’s voucher program. Please see our Voucher Criteria Sheet at wisconsin.preventblindness.org under our Resources tab to see if you qualify.

If you qualify, a free eye exam and/or a pair of glasses may be covered by the voucher. Please call our office at (414) 765-0505 to learn more.

Yes, I have coverage for my vision care needs.

Ask your insurance provider which eye clinics and eye doctors they cover. Schedule an appointment with an eye clinic and eye doctor in your plan.

At-Risk' Glaucoma Eye Exam Criteria:
• You have diabetes
• You have family history of glaucoma
• You are African American and age 50 and older on Medicare
• You are Hispanic and age 65 or older on Medicare