

Desert Eye Associates, Ltd.

Refraction Fee

An eye examination consists of two separate portions:

1. Medical examination for the detection and treatment of eye disease.
2. Refraction is a prescription for glasses; whether a new prescription or if an existing prescription needing to be updated.

Glasses prescriptions expire after one year. If you want new glasses (lenses and/or frames) you will need a new refraction. Old prescriptions will not be reissued even if vision has not changed.

The refraction is usually not covered by medical insurance companies including Medicare. If you have a Vision Plan and are using your Vision Benefits this service is covered with the optometrist according to your plan benefits.

With a paid refraction one RX Check is covered free of charge within the first 60 days after the prescription is written.

I understand that should I or the medical staff determine that a refraction is necessary the fee will be \$40.00 due at the time of service.

Patient Signature

Date
