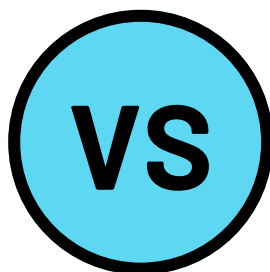


# Routine Exam

# Medical Exam



How are they different?

If your vision changes are caused by normal refractive error such as:

- Nearsightedness
- Farsightedness
- Astigmatism

Your eye exam may be billed to your vision plan (ie: VSP/Eyemed, if available) or as preventative to your medical insurance.



Medical insurance is billed for eye exams that are medical in nature. Examples of medical diagnoses include, but are not limited to:

- Cataract
- Glaucoma
- Diabetic Retinopathy
- Macular Degeneration
- Dry Eyes
- Flashes/Floaters
- Double Vision

The doctor determines if your vision changes are routine or medical in nature. When there is a medical condition present, we are **REQUIRED** to bill the exam to your medical insurance as the exam does not qualify as a routine eye exam. When an eye exam is billed medically, copays, co-insurance and deductibles may apply.

Please contact your insurance company if you have specific questions about your coverage.

