

Hogle Eyecare Center

Notice of Privacy Practices of Hogle Eyecare Center (Effective Date: 07/01/2013)

Hogle Eyecare Center is required by law to maintain the privacy of your health information, to follow the terms of this Notice, and to provide you with this Notice of its legal duties and privacy practice with respect to your health information. We will not use or disclose health information about you without your written authorization, except as described in this Notice. The front desk staff will provide you with a full copy of this policy upon request.

Personal Communications

We may contact you to provide appointment reminders, annual eye examination cards, and other information about treatment alternatives or other health-related benefits and services that may be of interest to you as well as communicate with individuals involved in your care or payment for your care.

When Hogle Eyecare Center May Not Use or Disclose Your Health Information

With the exception described in this Notice of Privacy Practices, Hogle Eyecare Center will not use or disclose your information without your written authorization. If you do authorize Hogle Eyecare Center to use or disclose your health information for another purpose, you may revoke your authorization in writing at any time. If your state law provides additional restrictions upon any of the foregoing uses and disclosures, we must follow your state law.

For More Information or to Report a Problem

If you have any questions or would like additional information about the privacy practices of Hogle Eyecare Center, you may contact Hogle Eyecare Center.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I understand the Notice of Privacy Practices of Hogle Eyecare Center.

Signature of Patient or Authorized Representative

Date

Dilation

A dilated fundus exam allows the doctor to examine the retina more thoroughly than is possible through a non-dilated pupil. This is accomplished by placing a drop in the eye which causes the pupil to enlarge, thus allowing the doctor to view the internal structures of the eye with more detail.

These drops will wear off in approximately 4-6 hours. Until that point your vision will be blurry while reading and you will be more sensitive to the sunlight (sun wear is provided).

This is especially important if this is the first time you are seeing Dr. Hogle or it has been over 2 years since your last exam. It is also essential if you or your family has a history of Diabetes, you have suffered blunt trauma to the head, or you have chronic history of headaches.

Please initial your choice:

YES NO

Visual Field Screening

We offer a visual field screening to our patients. This 2-3 minute test quickly checks your peripheral vision and promotes the early detection of glaucoma. We highly recommend this procedure to all of our patients, especially if you have a family history of glaucoma. This test is optional and is an **additional \$15** to the exam cost.

Please initial your choice:

YES NO