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**TO:** Vision Care Providers Participating in MassHealth  
**FROM:** Tom Dehner, Medicaid Director   
**RE:** *Vision Care Manual* (2009 HCPCS)

This letter transmits revisions to the service codes in the *Vision Care Manual*. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) have revised the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) for 2009. The revised Subchapter 6 is effective for dates of service on or after January 1, 2009. For dates of service on or after January 1, 2009, you must use the new codes in order to obtain reimbursement.

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NEW MATERIAL

(The pages listed here contain new or revised language.)

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Pages 6-13 and 6-14

OBSOLETE MATERIAL

(The pages listed here are no longer in effect.)

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## 601 Introduction

MassHealth pays for the services represented by the codes listed in Subchapter 6 in effect at the time of service, subject to all conditions and limitations in MassHealth regulations at 130 CMR 402.000 and 450.000. A vision care provider may request prior authorization for any medically necessary service reimbursable under the federal Medicaid Act in accordance with 130 CMR 450.144, 42 U.S.C. §§ 1396d(a)(4)(B), and 42 U.S.C. § 1396d(r)(5) for a MassHealth Standard or CommonHealth member younger than 21 years of age, even if it is not designated as covered or payable in Subchapter 6 of the *Vision Care Manual*.

## 602 Definitions

The following terms used in Subchapter 6 shall have the meanings given below.

- (A) Consultation — a type of service provided by a physician or an optometrist whose opinion or advice about the evaluation or management of a specific problem is requested by a physician, optometrist, or other appropriate source.
- (1) A consultant may initiate diagnostic or therapeutic services, or both.
  - (2) The request for a consultation from the attending physician, optometrist, or other appropriate source and the need for consultation must be documented in the patient's medical record. The consultant's opinion and any services that were ordered or performed must also be documented in the patient's medical record and communicated to the requesting physician or other appropriate source.
  - (3) Any procedure identified with a specific CPT code and performed on or subsequent to the date of the initial consultation should be reported separately. If a consultant subsequently assumes responsibility for management of a portion or all of the patient's conditions, the consultation codes should not be used.
- (B) Established Patient — a patient who has received professional services from the physician or optometrist within the past three years.
- (C) New Patient — a patient who has not received any professional services from the physician or optometrist within the past three years.
- (D) Ophthalmological Service Levels
- (1) Intermediate Services — a level of service pertaining to the evaluation of a new or existing condition complicated with a new diagnostic or management problem not necessarily relating to the primary diagnosis, including history, general medical observation, external ocular and adnexal examination, and other diagnostic procedures as indicated; may include the use of mydriasis. Intermediate services do not usually include determination of the refractive state but may do so in an established patient who is under continuing active treatment. For example:
    - (a) review of history, external examination, ophthalmoscopy, biomicroscopy for an acute complicated condition (for example, iritis) not requiring comprehensive ophthalmological services; and
    - (b) review of interval history, external examination, ophthalmoscopy, biomicroscopy, and tonometry in an established patient with a known cataract not requiring comprehensive ophthalmological services.
  - (2) Extended Services — a level of service requiring an unusual amount of effort or judgment, including a detailed history, review of medical records, examination, and a formal conference with patient, family, or staff, or a comparable medical diagnostic and/or therapeutic service.

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(3) Comprehensive Services — a level of service in which a general evaluation of the complete visual system is made. The comprehensive services constitute a single service entity but need not be performed at one session. The service includes history, general medical observation, external and ophthalmoscopic examination, gross visual fields, and basic sensorimotor examination. It often includes, as indicated: biomicroscopy, examination with cycloplegia or mydriasis, and tonometry. It always includes initiation of diagnostic and treatment programs as indicated. For example: the comprehensive services required for diagnosis and treatment of a patient with symptoms indicating possible disease of the visual system, such as glaucoma, cataract or retinal disease, or to rule out disease of the visual system, new or established patient.

603 Explanation of Abbreviations

The following abbreviations are used in Subchapter 6.

(A) “I.C.” indicates that the claim will receive individual consideration to determine payment. (See 130 CMR 402.407.)

(B) “P.A.” indicates that prior authorization is required. (See 130 CMR 402.408.)

(C) “S.P.” is an abbreviation for separate procedure, and indicates that the procedure is commonly performed as an integral part of a total service and, as such, does not usually warrant a separate fee. The procedure must be performed alone for a specific purpose to receive the separate fee. (See 130 CMR 402.409.)

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Use Modifier 52 (reduced services) when billing for eye examinations performed without cycloplegic or mydriatic drops.

Service

Code      Service Description

**EVALUATION AND MANAGEMENT (E/M) SERVICES – OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

**Office or Other Outpatient E/M Visits: New Patient**

99201 Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components:

- a problem-focused history;
- a problem-focused examination; and
- straightforward medical decision making

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient’s and/or family’s needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are self limited or minor. Physicians typically spend 10 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

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- 99202      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components:
- an expanded problem-focused history;
  - an expanded problem-focused examination; and
  - straightforward medical decision making
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of low to moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 20 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99203      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components:
- a detailed history;
  - a detailed examination; and
  - medical decision making of low complexity
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 30 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99204      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components:
- a comprehensive history;
  - a comprehensive examination; and
  - medical decision making of moderate complexity
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 45 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99205      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components:
- a comprehensive history;
  - a comprehensive examination; and
  - medical decision making of high complexity
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 60 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

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**Office or Other Outpatient E/M Visits: Established Patient**

- 99211      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, that may not require the presence of a physician  
Usually, the presenting problem(s) are minimal. Typically, 5 minutes are spent performing or supervising these services.
- 99212      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:  
 - a problem-focused history;  
 - a problem-focused examination;  
 - straightforward medical decision making  
 Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are self limited or minor. Physicians typically spend 10 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99213      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:  
 - an expanded problem-focused history;  
 - an expanded problem-focused examination;  
 - medical decision making of low complexity  
 Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of low to moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 15 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99214      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:  
 - a detailed history;  
 - a detailed examination;  
 - medical decision making of moderate complexity  
 Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 25 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99215      Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:  
 - a comprehensive history;  
 - a comprehensive examination;  
 - medical decision making of high complexity  
 Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 40 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

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**Office or Other Outpatient Consultations**

99241      Office consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:

- a problem-focused history;
- a problem-focused examination; and
- straightforward medical decision making

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are self limited or minor. Physicians typically spend 15 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

99242      Office consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:

- an expanded problem-focused history;
- an expanded problem-focused examination; and
- straightforward medical decision making

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of low severity. Physicians typically spend 30 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

99243      Office consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:

- a detailed history;
- a detailed examination; and
- medical decision making of low complexity

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 40 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

99244      Office consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:

- a comprehensive history;
- a comprehensive examination; and
- medical decision making of moderate complexity

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 60 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

99245      Office consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:

- a comprehensive history;
- a comprehensive examination; and
- medical decision making of high complexity

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 80 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

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**Inpatient Consultations**

- 99251 Inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:
- a problem-focused history;
  - a problem-focused examination; and
  - straightforward medical decision making
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are self limited or minor. Physicians typically spend 20 minutes at the bedside and on the patient's hospital floor or unit.
- 99252 Inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:
- an expanded problem focused history;
  - an expanded problem focused examination; and
  - straightforward medical decision making.
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of low severity. Physicians typically spend 40 minutes at the bedside and on the patient's hospital floor or unit.
- 99253 Inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:
- a detailed history;
  - a detailed examination; and
  - medical decision making of low complexity.
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 55 minutes at the bedside and on the patient's hospital floor or unit.
- 99254 Inpatient consultation for a new or established patient, which requires these three key components:
- a comprehensive history;
  - a comprehensive examination; and
  - medical decision making of moderate complexity.
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 80 minutes at the bedside and on the patient's hospital floor or unit.



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**Nursing Facility E/M Visits: New or Established Patient**

- 99304      Initial nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
- a detailed or comprehensive history;
  - a detailed or comprehensive examination; and
  - medical decision making that is straightforward or of low complexity
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the problem(s) requiring admission are of low severity. Physicians typically spend 25 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.
- 99305      Initial nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
- a comprehensive history;
  - a comprehensive examination; and
  - medical decision making of moderate complexity
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the problem(s) requiring admission are of moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 35 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.
- 99306      Initial nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:
- a comprehensive history;
  - a comprehensive examination; and
  - medical decision making of high complexity
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the problem(s) requiring admission are of high severity. Physicians typically spend 45 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.
- 99307      Subsequent nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:
- a problem focused interval history;
  - a problem focused examination; and
  - straightforward medical decision making
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the patient is stable, recovering, or improving. Physicians typically spend 10 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.

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99308      Subsequent nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:

- an expanded problem focused interval history;
- an expanded problem focused examination; and
- medical decision making of low complexity

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the patient is responding inadequately to therapy or has developed a minor complication. Physicians typically spend 15 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.

99309      Subsequent nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:

- a detailed interval history;
- a detailed examination; and
- medical decision making of moderate complexity

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the patient has developed a significant complication or a significant new problem. Physicians typically spend 25 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.

99310      Subsequent nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:

- a comprehensive interval history;
- a comprehensive examination; and
- medical decision making of high complexity

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. The patient may be unstable or may have developed a significant new problem requiring immediate physician attention. Physicians typically spend 35 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.

**Domiciliary or Rest Home E/M Visits: New or Established Patient**

99328      Domiciliary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components:

- a comprehensive history;
- a comprehensive examination; and
- medical decision making of high complexity

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the patient is unstable or has developed a significant new problem requiring immediate physician attention. Physicians typically spend 75 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.

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99337      Domiciliary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:

- a comprehensive interval history;
- a comprehensive examination; and
- medical decision making of moderate to high complexity

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. The patient may be unstable or may have developed a significant new problem requiring immediate physician attention. Physicians typically spend 60 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.

**Home Services**

99341      Home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these 3 key components:

- a problem focused history;
- a problem focused examination; and
- straightforward medical decision making.

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of low severity. Physicians typically spend 20 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

99342      Home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these 3 key components:

- an expanded problem focused history;
- an expanded problem focused examination; and
- medical decision making of low complexity.

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 30 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

99343      Home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these 3 key components:

- a detailed history;
- a detailed examination; and
- medical decision making of moderate complexity.

Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 45 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

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- 99344      Home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these 3 key components:
- a comprehensive history;
  - a comprehensive examination; and
  - medical decision making of moderate complexity.
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of high severity. Physicians typically spend 60 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99347      Home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least 2 of these 3 key components:
- a problem focused interval history;
  - a problem focused examination; and
  - straightforward medical decision making.
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are self limited or minor. Physicians typically spend 15 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99348      Home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least 2 of these 3 key components:
- an expanded problem focused interval history;
  - an expanded problem focused examination; and
  - medical decision making of low complexity.
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of low to moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 25 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.
- 99349      Home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least 2 of these 3 key components:
- a detailed interval history;
  - a detailed examination; and
  - medical decision making of moderate complexity.
- Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 40 minutes face-to-face with the patient and/or family.

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**OPHTHALMOLOGICAL OR OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED DURING AN E/M VISIT,  
NEW OR ESTABLISHED PATIENT – OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

- 67820      Correction of trichiasis; epilation, by forceps only
- 92002      Ophthalmological services: medical examination and evaluation with initiation of diagnostic and treatment program; intermediate, new patient
- 92004      comprehensive, new patient, one or more visits
- 92012      Ophthalmological services: medical examination and evaluation, with initiation or continuation of diagnostic and treatment program; intermediate, established patient
- 92014      comprehensive, established patient, one or more visits
- 92015      Determination of refractive state

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**SUPPLEMENTARY TESTING – OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

- 92065      Orthoptic and/or pleoptic training, with continuing medical direction and evaluation (P.A.)
- 92081      Visual field examination, unilateral or bilateral, with interpretation and report; limited examination (e.g., tangent screen, Autoplot, arc perimeter, or single stimulus level automated test, such as Octopus 3 or 7 equivalent)
- 92082      intermediate examination (e.g., at least 2 isopters on Goldmann perimeter, or semiquantitative, automated suprathreshold screening program, Humphrey suprathreshold automatic diagnostic test, Octopus program 33)
- 92083      extended examination (e.g., Goldmann visual fields with at least 3 isopters plotted and static determination within the central 30°, or quantitative, automated threshold perimetry, Octopus program G-1, 32 or 42, Humphrey visual field analyzer full threshold programs 30-2, 24-2, or 30/60-2)
- 92100      Serial tonometry (separate procedure) with multiple measurements of intraocular pressure over an extended time period with interpretation and report, same day (e.g., diurnal curve or medical treatment of acute elevation of intraocular pressure) (S.P.)
- 92135      Scanning computerized ophthalmic diagnostic imaging, posterior segment, (e.g., scanning laser) with interpretation and report, unilateral

**SUPPLEMENTARY TESTING – LEVEL II AND LEVEL III OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

- 76512      Ophthalmic ultrasound, diagnostic; contact B-scan (with or without simultaneous A-scan)
- 76513      anterior segment ultrasound, immersion (water bath) B-scan or high resolution biomicroscopy
- 76514      corneal pachymetry, unilateral or bilateral (determination of corneal thickness)
- 92020      Gonioscopy (separate procedure) (S.P.)
- 92120      Tonography with interpretation and report, recording indentation tonometer method or perilimbal suction method

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92130	Tonography with water provocation
92140	Provocative tests for glaucoma, with interpretation and report, without tonography
92225	Ophthalmoscopy, extended with retinal drawing (e.g., for retinal detachment, melanoma), with interpretation and report; initial
92226	subsequent
92250	Fundus photography with interpretation and report (P.A.) (Both eyes equal one unit.)
92260	Ophthalmodynamometry
92275	Electroretinography with interpretation and report
92285	External ocular photography with interpretation and report for documentation of medical progress (e.g., close-up photography, slit lamp photography, goniphotography, stereo-photography)
92541	Spontaneous nystagmus test, including gaze and fixation nystagmus, with recording
92542	Positional nystagmus test, minimum of four positions, with recording
92544	Optokinetic nystagmus test, bidirectional, foveal or peripheral stimulation, with recording

606 Service Codes and Descriptions: Contact Lenses

Service

Code      Service Description

**CONTACT LENSES – OPTICIANS AND OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

V2500	Contact lens, PMMA, spherical, per lens
V2501	Contact lens, PMMA, toric or prism ballast, per lens
V2503	Contact lens, PMMA, color vision deficiency, per lens (P.A.)
V2510	Contact lens, gas permeable, spherical, per lens
V2511	Contact lens, gas permeable, toric, prism ballast, per lens (P.A.)
V2512	Contact lens, gas permeable, bifocal, per lens (P.A.)
V2520	Contact lens, hydrophilic, spherical, per lens
V2521	Contact lens, hydrophilic, toric or prism ballast, per lens (P.A.)
V2522	Contact lens, hydrophilic, bifocal, per lens (P.A.)
V2599	Contact lens, other type (P.A.) (I.C.)

607 Service Codes and Descriptions: Contact Lens Services

Service

Code      Service Description

**CONTACT LENS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES – OPTICIANS AND OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

92310	Prescription of optical and physical characteristics of and fitting of contact lens, with medical supervision of adaptation; corneal lens, both eyes, except for aphakia (I.C.)
92326	Replacement of contact lens

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608 Service Codes and Descriptions: Dispensing of Ophthalmic Materials: Fitting of Prescription Spectacles, Glass/Plastic Lenses

Service  
Code      Service Description

**FITTING OF SPECTACLES – ACUTE HOSPITALS, COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS, OPTHALMOLOGISTS, OPTICIANS, AND OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

- 92340      Fitting of spectacles, except for aphakia; monofocal (use for dispensing entire new initial eyeglasses, or entire new replacement eyeglasses, frame with lenses)
- 92341      bifocal (use for dispensing entire new initial eyeglasses, or entire new replacement eyeglasses, frame with lenses)
- 92342      multifocal, other than bifocal (use for dispensing entire new initial eyeglasses, or entire new replacement eyeglasses, frame with lenses)

609 Service Codes and Descriptions: Dispensing of Ophthalmic Materials: Repairs and Replacement Parts

**REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENT PARTS – ACUTE HOSPITALS, COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS, OPTHALMOLOGISTS, OPTICIANS, AND OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

Service  
Code-Modifier      Service Description

- 92340-RB      Fitting of spectacles, except for aphakia; monofocal – **Replacement and repair** (use for dispensing replacement single vision lens, glass or plastic, including cataract lenses, per lens)
- 92341-RB      bifocal – **Replacement and repair** (use for dispensing replacement bifocal lens, glass or plastic, including cataract lenses, per lens)
- 92342-RB      multifocal, other than bifocal – **Replacement and repair** (use for dispensing replacement multifocal lens, other than bifocal, glass or plastic, including cataract lenses, per lens)
- 92370      Repair and refitting spectacles; except for aphakia (use for dispensing a replacement frame only, or any replacement frame components such as hinges or temples)

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610 Service Codes and Descriptions: Miscellaneous

Service

Code      Service Description

**MISCELLANEOUS – OCULARISTS, OPHTHALMOLOGISTS, OPTICIANS, AND OPTOMETRISTS**

- 99173      Screening test of visual acuity, quantitative, bilateral (use for titmus vision test)
- T2002      Nonemergency transportation, per diem (once per member per date of service for each member for whom the provider delivered or picked up eyeglasses, or to whom vision care services were provided out of the office)
- V2799      Vision service, miscellaneous (P.A.) (I.C.)

**MISCELLANEOUS – OPHTHALMOLOGISTS, OPTICIANS, AND OPTOMETRISTS ONLY**

- V2600      Hand-held low-vision aids and other nonspectacle-mounted aids (P.A.) (I.C.)
- V2610      Single-lens spectacle-mounted low-vision aids (P.A.) (I.C.)
- V2615      Telescopic and other compound lens system, including distance vision telescopic, near vision telescopes, and compound microscopic lens system (P.A.) (I.C.)

**MISCELLANEOUS – OCULARISTS ONLY**

- V2623      Prosthetic eye, plastic, custom (I.C.)
- V2624      Polishing/resurfacing of ocular prosthesis (I.C.)
- V2625      Enlargement of ocular prosthesis (I.C.)
- V2626      Reduction of ocular prosthesis (I.C.)
- V2627      Scleral cover shell (I.C.)
- V2628      Fabrication and fitting of ocular conformer (I.C.)
- V2629      Prosthetic eye, other type (P.A.) (I.C.)

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