



## Retinal Photography Screening

The Topcon Retinal Camera allows us to take a picture of your retina. This technology helps your doctor evaluate the appearance and health of the back of your eye and serves as a reference for future comparison.

A **screening photograph** is not taken to document pathology. If a retinal pathology is found during your examination a photograph will be taken to document those findings.

Photographs can assist in the early detection of many eye disorders including: Tumors, Glaucoma, Macular Degeneration, and Retinal Detachments. They can also help your doctor search for early signs of systemic diseases like High Blood Pressure, High Cholesterol, Diabetes and others.

**Photographs** are important for patients of all ages, especially those who have:

- ✓ Headaches
- ✓ Floating spots or Flashes
- ✓ History of Diabetes
- ✓ History of Hypertension
- ✓ History of High Cholesterol
- ✓ History of Eye Injury
- ✓ High glasses prescription
- ✓ Family history of eye disease such as Glaucoma or Macular Degeneration.

Our doctors strongly recommend that our patients choose to have **retinal photography screening** as part of their annual eye examination.

The **photographs** take just a few minutes and are not painful or uncomfortable.

There is an additional **\$39.00** for the **screening photographs**

Please check the appropriate box below and sign at the bottom of the page.

\_\_\_\_\_ **I DO** want retinal screening photos

\_\_\_\_\_ **I DO NOT** want retinal screening photos

\_\_\_\_\_ **UNDECIDED**, I would like to discuss with my doctor.

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_