

## NOTICE OF REQUIRED SERVICES & PAYMENT POLICIES

## REQUIRED SERVICES

- 1. Our practice uses **Opto**map Retinal Imaging as part of a thorough eye exam. This simple, non-invasive procedure allows us to quickly identify conditions that may threaten your life or sight. This procedure is necessary for a comprehensive eye exam and is covered with a \$39 copay determined by your insurance plan.
- 2. Additional testing, products, and services may be required for patients with diabetes, hypertension, glaucoma, macular degeneration, or other medical conditions which may threaten your life or sight (including injuries and/or infections of the eye). Our staff is happy to provide a good faith estimate upon your request for any additional services ordered by Dr. Ritch and/or Dr. Aguilera.

## **PAYMENT POLICIES**

- 1. <u>All</u> required payments and co-payments are due in full at the time of service. This includes the cost of the exam and any associated procedures performed by Dr. Ritch and/or Dr. Aguilera, as well as the cost of glasses, contacts, and associated materials.
- 2. Please note that good faith estimates are not guaranteed and your final cost may be higher or lower depending on your insurance coverage and other factors. We make every effort to ensure good faith quotes and co-pays are correct, but, as your insurance company states, an authorization is not a guarantee of payment. In the event a patient's insurance company denies payment for services, payment for services becomes the sole responsibility of the patient.

My signature below asserts I have been informed of and agree to the terms of the above Notice of Required Services and Payment Policies.

Signed	Date
Printed	Date

Carl Ritch O.D. Spectrum Vision