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June is Cataract Awareness Month

Raise awareness about one of the leading causes of vision loss and a highly treatable eye condition.

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SM modifier required for smart frame claims

Include the SM modifier when billing smart frames via paper or EDI to support accurate tracking.

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Is your directory information verified?

All active network providers must review and verify directory demographic information every 90 days.

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A closer look



Limited availability for 1.74 high-index lenses

Due to supply constraints, 1.74 high-index lens availability is limited. To ensure continuity of care, we're prioritizing 1.74 for patients who clinically need it most. For prescriptions between +7.00 and -7.00 diopter range, we recommend 1.67 (or equivalent advanced materials) to maintain quality and patient satisfaction while preserving 1.74 supply. Prescriptions within the restricted range may be delayed and could require material changes.

Get to know our brands

Review our Vision Brand Reminder course for key differences between the brands we serve.

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Support clearer vision with anti-reflective coating

Consider discussing AR coating with patients who use computers frequently or experience glare.

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Refreshed formularies available July 1

Updated layouts and select brand name changes make core formularies easier to navigate and use at the point of care.

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