# **CONTACT LENS EXAM**

Contact lenses are an FDA regulated product and require a prescription to purchase or dispense. The providers at Associated Eye Care recommend an annual contact lens exam in order to renew your contact lens prescription. This exam determines if any changes are necessary in the fit or power of your contact lenses. Ocular health is evaluated in relation to your present lenses, wearing schedule, replacement schedule, and care system.

A contact lens exam is **NOT** part of a routine eye examination, and is done in addition to and/or separate from it. The charge for this service is not covered by most insurance plans. This fee is the *patient's* responsibility and is collected at the time of service.

## The Contact Lens Exam Includes:

- A vision check while you are wearing contact lenses.
- An over-refraction with your contact lenses in place to determine the best corrected vision and final power for the new contact lenses.
- Biomicroscopic examination of the front of your eye with the contact lenses to determine proper fit, and to rule out any complications caused by the contact lenses.
- A review your history of contact lens wear, replacement schedule, wearing time, care products and procedures, as well as discussing new products on the market.
- An analysis of the front of your eye to evaluate possible changes in corneal curvature due to the wearing of contact lenses.
- Recommendations regarding continuation or refitting of your present contact lenses. If refitting is required, additional fees may be incurred.



# **OUR LOCATIONS**

#### **STILLWATER**

2950 Curve Crest Blvd W Stillwater, MN 55082

### **WOODBURY**

City Place Medical Building 237 Radio Drive, Suite 100 Woodbury, MN 55125

#### **LINO LAKES**

2380 Rosemary Way Lino Lakes, MN 55038

### **NEW RICHMOND**

525 North Knowles Ave. Suite 200 New Richmond, WI 54017

### **HUDSON**

**Hudson Medical Center** 2651 Hillcrest Drive, Suite 104 Hudson, WI 54016

## **AFFILIATED CLINIC IN: BALDWIN**

To Schedule an Appointment: 800.846.1877 or 651.275.3000









# FITTING

The providers and technicians at Associated Eye Care have the expertise to fit cosmetic contact lenses, as well as lenses for patients who wear them for medical necessity.

The fitting fee includes the evaluation of many factors that are important to the design and fit of your contact lens. The fee also includes:

- The initial diagnostic fitting
- Insertion and removal instruction
- Instructions on care and handling
- Starter solutions
- Follow-up visits, as needed, for up to three months

We will make every effort to help you become a successful contact lens wearer. Although it is unlikely, you may find that your contacts are not comfortable enough to continue wearing. You may also find that your vision is better with glasses. If you are unable to wear your contact lenses full-time, you may find that part-time wear better suits your lifestyle.

Should you decide to discontinue contact lens wear, the fitting fee is non-refundable.

Please discuss your contact lens needs with a technician or your provider.

# CONTACT LENS

# **INFORMATION**

- Always wash your hands with soap before handling contact lenses.
- Use FRESH contact lens solution in your contact lens case every night (Do not "top off" your solution).
- Rinse and gently rub your lenses every night before placing them in the case. Rub back and forth only, rubbing in circles can cause your lenses to tear.
- Replace your contact lenses on time.
- Keep your contact lens case clean. Replace your lens case every 1-3 months.
- Do not wear your contact lenses if your eyes are red, irritated or painful.
- Avoid wearing contact lenses in water (swimming, shower, hot tub).
- NEVER sleep in contact lenses.
- Always wear safety glasses over your contact lenses when working with power tools or chemicals.
- Return for a contact lens exam every year.
- Remember to wear your contact lenses into the office for all appointments.

## BENEFITS OF PURCHASING YOUR CONTACT LENSES THROUGH AEC

- Rebates are available for multiple box purchases and for annual supplies of disposable lenses.
- We will supply extra trial lenses to replace lost or ripped disposable lenses.
- Should your prescription change, we will exchange unopened, undamaged boxes purchased from AEC for your new prescription.

- Solutions are available at a reduced cost compared to most other retail locations.
- A 15% discount is available in the optical shop on a complete set of glasses with a purchase of an annual supply of contacts.
- We offer a 10% discount and free shipping on an annual supply of contacts.

# PROFESSIONAL FEES FOR FITTING\*

## **Soft Lenses**

Basic Daily Wear Lens Fit	\$124.00
Toric and Multifocal	\$181.00
Custom Soft Toric Fit	\$232.00
Synergyze, Hybrid Fit	\$411.00

## **Rigid Gas Permeable Lenses**

Basic Lens Fit	\$213.00
Bifocal, Toric	\$309.00
Therapeutic Scleral or other	\$515.00

Keratoconus specialty lens fit

# PRICES\*

## **Soft Disposable**

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Daily Spherical	\$62-\$110/90 pack
Daily Toric	\$82-\$125/90 pack
Daily Multifocal	\$99-\$150/90 pack
Monthly Spherical	\$50-\$70/6 pack
Monthly Toric	\$70-\$140/6 pack
Monthly Multifocal	\$70-\$90/6 pack

## Rigid Gas Permeable Lenses

Spherical	\$100/lens
Toric	\$160/lens
Bifocal	\$185/lens
Therapeutic	\$185/lens
Scleral	\$530/lens

\* Price ranges include our most common lens models. Individual lens prices may vary. Prices are subject to change without notice.

<sup>\*</sup> Professional fees include office time and diagnostic lenses only. This fee is non-refundable.