

DIGITAL RETINAL IMAGING

In our continued efforts to bring the most advanced technology available to our patients, *Advanced Family Eye Care* is proud to announce the inclusion of digital retinal imaging as an integral part of your eye health exam. Many eye health conditions can lead to serious problems including partial loss of vision or blindness. They can develop without warning and progress with no symptoms. Previously, dilation of the eyes and written documentation was the only way to screen for many conditions and track changes. In that situation, the doctor would compare notes and sketches from previous years instead of having the ability to examine photographed changes over time.

Digital Retinal Imaging is imperative in the following circumstances:

- If this is your first eye health exam at our office
- Contact lens wearer
- If you are diabetic or borderline diabetic
- If you have high blood pressure or borderline high blood pressure
- Personal or family history of glaucoma, macular degeneration, skin cancer, high cholesterol, frequent headaches, or if you smoke.
- History of floaters, spots in vision, or light flashes
- If you are nearsighted (difficulty with far vision)

Digital Retinal Imaging Provides:

- An eye wellness scan
- An in-depth view of the retinal and nervous tissue in the eye (where disease can start)
- The ability to view your retinal photos with your doctor during exam
- An annual, permanent record for your medical file, which gives Dr. Tuel comparisons for tracking and diagnosing potential eye disease

Digital Retinal Imaging:

- Is fast, easy and comfortable
- Affordable (and if a medical condition is diagnosed, the cost is typically billable to your medical insurance)

The cost for Digital Retinal Imaging is \$27.00

Signature _____ Date _____

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