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RETINAL PHOTOGRAPHY

The **TOPCON RETINAL CAMERA** allows us to take a picture of your retina. This technology helps the doctor evaluate the appearance and health of the back of the eyes and serves as a baseline for future comparison.

These instruments assist in the early detection of many eye disorders including glaucoma, tumors, retinal detachments, and others. When detected early, treatment is more effective and vision loss may be prevented. They also help the doctor search for early signs of systemic diseases like high blood pressure, diabetes, and others.

These tests are important for patients of all ages, especially those who have:

- Headaches
- See floating spots or flashes of light
- A history or family history of diabetes, high blood pressure, high cholesterol, or circulatory problems
- A history of eye injuries
- A strong eyeglass prescription
- A history or family history of eye disease

The doctor strongly recommends that all patients choose to have retinal photography as part of their annual eye exam.

The photographs take just a few minutes to do. There is an additional discounted charge of \$27.00 for the retinal photos.

Please check the appropriate line below and sign at the bottom

- _____ **I DO** want the retinal photos.
_____ **I DO NOT** want the retinal photos.
_____ **UNDECIDED**; I would like to discuss with the doctor.

Patient's Name: _____

Patient's Signature: _____ Date: _____