

May I use the benefit at different times?

You may "split" your benefits by receiving your eye examination and eyeglasses (or contact lenses) on different dates or through different provider locations, if desired. However, complete eyeglasses must be obtained at one time, from one provider. Continuity of care will best be maintained when all available services are obtained at one time from either a network or an out-of-network provider. To maximize your benefit value we recommend that all services be obtained from a network provider.

Information about Laser Vision Correction Services:

Davis Vision is pleased to provide you and your eligible dependents with the opportunity to receive Laser Vision Correction Services at significant discounts through a network of experienced, credentialed surgeons (please note that some providers have flat fees equivalent to these discounts). For more information, please visit Davis Vision's website at www.davisvision.com or call **1-800-999-5431**.

More special features:



- Free membership and access to a mail order replacement contact lens service, Lens 123, providing a fast and convenient way to purchase replacement contact lenses at significant savings. For more information, please call 1-800-LENS-123 (1-800-536-7123) or visit the Lens 123 website at www.Lens123.com.
- A one year unconditional breakage warranty is provided for all eyeglasses completely supplied through the Davis Vision collection.

Are there any exclusions?

The following items are not covered by this vision program:

- Medical treatment of eye disease or injury.
- Vision therapy.
- Special lens designs or coatings, other than those previously described.
- Replacement of lost eyewear.
- Non-prescription (plano) lenses.
- Contact lenses and eyeglasses in the same benefit cycle.
- Services not performed by licensed personnel.
- Two pairs of eyeglasses in lieu of a bifocal.

For more information, please visit Davis Vision's website at www.davisvision.com or call Davis Vision at 1-800-999-5431 to:

- Learn about the Davis Vision company.
- Find participating providers and where to access "The Collection" (which can also be viewed on-line).
- Verify eligibility for yourself or your dependents.
- Print an enrollment confirmation from our website.
- Request an out-of-network provider reimbursement form.
- Speak with a Member Service Representative.
- Ask any questions about your Vision Care benefits.

Member Service Representatives are available:

- Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 11:00 PM, Eastern Time,
- Saturday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Eastern Time and;
- Sunday, 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM Eastern Time.

Participants who use a TTY (Teletypewriter) because of a hearing or speech disability may access TTY services by calling **1-800-523-2847**.



Your rights as a patient:

Davis Vision recognizes that all patients have specific rights, including, but not limited to:

- The right to complete information about their healthcare options and consequences.
- The right to participate in all treatment decisions.
- The right to dignity, privacy, confidentiality and non-discrimination.
- The right to complain or appeal any decision.

Patients also have the responsibility:

- To provide complete and accurate information.
- To follow care instructions.

For a complete copy of *Your Rights and Responsibilities As a Patient*, please visit our website at: www.davisvision.com or call 1-800-999-5431.



Vision Care Plan Benefit Description

*Sponsored by, and administered
on behalf of the participants of*

*Garden City
Teachers Association*

**Newman Company
Insurance Services**

*Please call Davis Vision at
1-800-999-5431
with questions or visit our website:
www.davisvision.com*

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The Garden City Teacher's Association is very pleased to provide this information about your vision care plan administered by Davis Vision, Inc., a leading national administrator of vision care programs. Eligibility for vision care benefits is determined by the same rules that apply to your health care benefits.

How do I receive services from a provider in the network?

- Call the network provider of your choice and schedule an appointment.
- Identify yourself as a Davis Vision plan participant and Garden City Teacher's Association member or dependent.
- Provide the office with the member's ID number and the name and date of birth of any covered dependent needing services.

It's that easy! The provider's office will verify your eligibility for services, and no claim forms or ID cards are required!

Who are the network providers?

They are licensed providers in both private practice and retail locations who are extensively reviewed and credentialed to ensure that stringent standards for quality service are maintained. Please access Davis Vision's website at www.davisvision.com and utilize the "Find a Doctor" feature, or call 1-800-999-5431 to access the Interactive Voice Response (IVR) Unit, which will supply you with the names and addresses of the network providers nearest you.

What are the plan benefits, frequencies and costs?

EYE EXAMINATIONS Every 12 months
In-Network Copayment None.

SPECTACLE LENSES Every 12 months
In-Network Copayment None .

EYEGLASSES Every 12 months
In-Network Copayment None.
 You may choose from the Designer Selection of frames from the "The Collection" available in most network provider offices. A \$30.00 wholesale credit will apply toward a network provider's own frame.

CONTACT LENSES Every 12 months
In-Network Copayment . . \$25.00 or \$45.00.
 Standard, soft, daily-wear, disposable** or planned replacement contact lenses may be selected in lieu of eyeglasses or a \$75.00 credit toward contact lenses from the provider's own supply. Your provider will give you specific copayment information for the type of lenses you require.

Please note: Contact lenses can be worn by most people, Once the contact lens option is selected and the lenses are fitted, they may not be exchanged for eyeglasses.

*** New (to the provider, or first-time) contact lens wearers will receive an initial supply (two multi-packs) of lenses, along with all necessary visits for proper fitting and recommended follow-up care. Existing contact lens wearers will receive four multi-packs of lenses.*

What lenses/coatings are included?

- Plastic or glass single vision, bifocal or trifocal lenses, in any prescription range.
- Glass grey #3 prescription lenses.
- Oversize lenses.
- Post-cataract lenses.
- Fashion, sun or gradient tinted plastic lenses.
- Polycarbonate lenses.
- Scratch-resistant coating.
- Photogrey Extra® (sun-sensitive) glass lenses.
- Ultraviolet (UV) coating.
- Blended invisible bifocals.
- Plastic Photosensitive lenses.
- Standard brands of progressive addition multifocal lenses.*

Are there any optional frames, lens types or coatings available?

Yes, you can pay the low, discounted fixed fees indicated and receive these exciting optional items:

- \$20.00 for a Premier frame from "The Collection".
- \$35.00 for ARC (anti-reflective coating).
- \$75.00 for polarized lenses.
- \$55.00 for high-index (thinner and lighter) lenses.
- \$40.00 for premium brands of progressive addition multifocal lenses.*

** Progressive addition multifocals can be worn by most people. Conventional bifocals will be supplied for anyone who is unable to adapt to progressive addition lenses; however, the copayment will not be refunded.*

When will I receive my eyewear?

Your eyewear will be delivered to your provider from the laboratory generally within two to five business days. More delivery time may be needed when out-of-stock frames, ARC (anti-reflective coating), specialized prescriptions or a participating provider's frame is selected.

What about out-of-network provider benefits?

You may receive services from an out-of-network provider, although you can receive the greatest value and maximize your benefit dollars if you select a provider who participates in the network. If you choose an out-of-network provider, you must pay the provider directly for all charges and then submit a claim for reimbursement to:

Vision Care Processing Unit
P.O. Box 1525
Latham, NY 12110

Only one claim per service may be submitted for reimbursement each benefit cycle.

Examination up to \$37.00
 Frame with single vision lenses up to \$73.00
 Frame with bifocal lenses up to \$110.00
 Frame with trifocal lenses up to \$156.00
 Contact lenses up to \$156.00

To request claim forms, please visit the Davis Vision website at www.davisvision.com or call 1-800-999-5431.

