

Thank you for choosing Carolina Specialty Eye Surgery to provide your care. The following guidelines have been provided to you regarding your surgery. We ask that you comply with these guidelines in order for us to provide the best care.

Patient: _____

Right: _____ Left: _____

- **DO NOT EAT OR DRINK ANYTHING AFTER MIDNIGHT. This includes: gum, candy, cough drops, vitamins. Your surgery will be cancelled if you do not follow these instructions.**
- **Your arrival time to the surgery center will be provided 3 days prior to your scheduled surgery.**
- All patients should expect a phone call from a Carolina Specialty Eye Surgery Assessment Nurse 3 days prior to their scheduled surgery. You will need to be able to provide medical history and confirm all medications you are currently taking including over-the-counter medications.
- If you have not spoken to the Assessment Nurse within 3 days of your surgery, please call 864-606-5080 and select option 4.
- Patients are required to have a driver (18 years or older). You may not drive for the first 24 hours after surgery. You may not drive yourself home or leave alone. **A family member/friend must remain inside the facility during surgery. If your ride leaves the building, we will be unable to perform your surgery. Prepare to be at the facility 2-3 hours.**
- You may take your regular medications with a small amount of water UNLESS you are given other instructions by the assessment nurse. If you are currently using GLP-1 agonist injections, such as Ozempic, Trulicity, Mounjaro, it is advised to discontinue these medications ONE WEEK before your scheduled surgery date.
- All patients should please wear clean and comfortable clothes and shoes. Patients should also wear a button up shirt.
- NO makeup or nail polish, perfume, cologne on the day of surgery. NO jewelry the day of surgery. Please do not bring valuables into the surgery center.
- After surgery, we would appreciate your time in completing our Patient Satisfaction Survey.

Patient Signature: _____

Acct #: _____