

# MASON EYE CLINIC

## COVID-19 Pandemic Essential Eye Exam and Treatment Consent Form

Patient Name:

DOB:

Date:

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Please read the following statements and initial on the lines provided next to them to indicate your agreement. If you cannot positively affirm to all of these questions, you will be asked to postpone or reschedule your visit to a later date.

\_\_\_\_\_ I do not currently, nor have I had in the last two weeks, a fever, cough, sore throat, loss of smell/taste or other cold symptoms.

\_\_\_\_\_ To the best of my knowledge, I do not have, nor have I been in direct contact with someone who has a confirmed diagnosis of COVID-19 or a presumptive positive COVID-19 test result in the last 30 days.

\_\_\_\_\_ Neither I, nor anyone living in my immediate household, have traveled outside of the state in the last 30 days.

On March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020, The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) issued the following Public Health Reminder:

Healthcare facilities and clinicians should prioritize urgent and emergency visits and procedures now and for the coming several weeks. The following actions can preserve staff, personal protective equipment, and patient care supplies: ensure staff and patient safety; and expand available hospital capacity during the COVID-19 pandemic:

- Delay all elective ambulatory provider visits
- Reschedule elective and non-urgent admissions
- Delay inpatient and outpatient elective surgical and procedural cases
- Postpone routine dental and eyecare visits

I have read the above states Public Health Reminder and have answered the health questions above honestly and to the best of my knowledge. I understand that Mason Eye Clinic, and its staff are taking precautions to limit any potential exposure I may have to the COVID-19 virus. I also understand that there is no definite way to eliminate potential exposure by one hundred percent.

By signing this form below, I agree that I will not hold Mason Eye Clinic or any of its staff personally responsible should I, or someone I come in contact with, become positive or presumptively positive diagnosed with the COVID-19 virus. There are certain inherent risks associated with an eye exam during a pandemic and I assume full responsibility for personal illness, injury, loss or damage arising out of my visit. I understand that COVID-19 infection can lead to illness, disability, or even death and knowingly take the risk of exposure as I deem my eye exam to be essential to the maintenance of my vision.

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PRINT LEGAL NAME

SIGNATURE

DATE