SIGNATURE ON FILE, ASSIGNMENT OF BENEFITS, FINANCIAL AGREEMENT

Patient Name: _		
Chart Number:	Date of Birth:	

I understand that it is my responsibility to check with my insurance company to verify what my policy may or may not cover.

I accept full financial responsibility for any charges incurred today if:

- 1. The services rendered or supplies used/purchased are not covered under my insurance plan;
- 2. My insurance plan requires that I pay a deductible, co-payment, or co-insurance;
- 3. There are charges that have resulted because I have failed to provide <u>current</u> and <u>valid</u> insurance policy information; or
- 4. My insurance plan requires that I obtain a <u>referral</u> prior to my visit and I do not have one in place.

I agree:

- 1. Payment be made to The Eye Care Group, PC (TECG) by my insurance carrier for services rendered or product received;
- 2. TECG may use and disclose medical information about me for services and procedures so they may be billed and collected from an insurance agency or any other third party;
- 3. To pay for my co-pay and other charges that are not covered by my insurance carrier today or make financial arrangements satisfactory to TECG for payment;
- 4. If I am not able to pay TECG for balances within 30 days, to pay a 1% interest charge, compounded, per month for my balance.
- 5. To pay a \$15.00 service fee for any copayment not paid at the time of service.
- 6. To pay for any returned check fees incurred by TECG.
- 7. If I am the parent/guardian bringing in a child for treatment, that I am responsible for all fees incurred by the child.
- 8. To pay collection expenses and attorney's fees if my account is sent to the collection agency or an attorney for collection.
- 9. To pay for my refraction expense if my insurance does not cover.

Date:		Signature:	
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