

Other Non-Medi-Cal Eye Care Services

- The California Optometric Association operates the charity-based **California Vision Project (CVP)**, which provides exams and glasses for adults and children. A \$10 application fee is required. There are volunteer CVP providers in Bakersfield, Wasco, Delano, Taft and Tehachapi. There is typically a waiting period for those who qualify. Visit: <http://www.californiavision.org/>
- Local schools partner with **Sight for Students**, founded by Vision Service Plan (VSP), and issue gift certificates for eye exams and glasses to eligible low-income, uninsured children. Visit: <http://www.sightforstudents.org/>
- **The Lions Clubs International** has a history of providing vision-related assistance. Services vary by chapter and are commonly referred by a school nurse. Visit: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/>
- **New Eyes for the Needy** issues gift certificates for eye exams and glasses to eligible low-income, uninsured adults and children. Visit: <http://www.neweyesfortheneedy.org/>
- Low-income, uninsured families may qualify for discounts on vision care through the sliding scale fee program at **Omni Family Health (OFH)**. Contact Oildale OFH optical office at 661-772-5213 or Wasco OFH optical office at 661-759-2232 for more information.
- **ADVANCE CENTER for EYECARE**
1701 Westwind Dr., Ste 101
Bakersfield, CA 93301
(661) 215-1006
Non-profit eye clinic, provides vision care for the uninsured & underinsured. Routine eye Exams, glasses & contact lens prescriptions and eye surgery and disease management.
www.acecares.org

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Medi-Cal Vision Care Program vision@dhcs.ca.gov

Medi-Cal pays for these services if you are any age:

- To see an eye doctor to test your eyes
- To test for a prescription for eyeglasses
- To test for a prescription for contact lenses if you have eye diseases
- To check the health of your eyes
- To check to see if you have low vision

What things will Medi-Cal NOT pay for?

Medi-Cal will not pay for these if you are 21 years of age or older (except in some cases):

- New eyeglasses or to fix your glasses
- Contact lenses
- Things that will help you see better (like magnifying glasses)

What are the exceptions?

Medi-Cal will pay for eyeglasses, contact lenses or other things to help you see better for only these people:

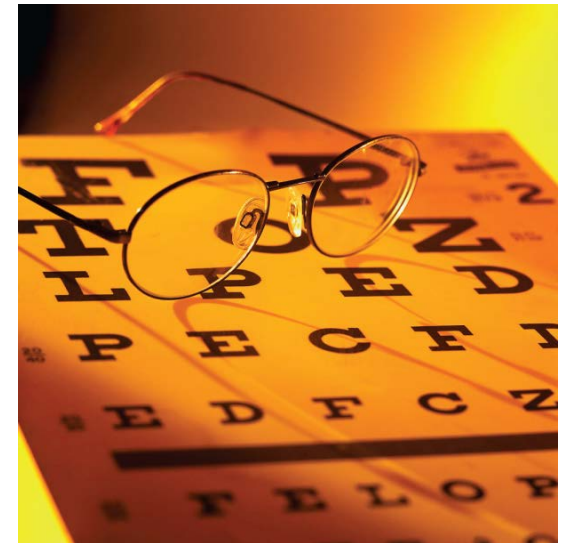
- Pregnant women; and only if your doctor says that not having them will be harmful to your baby or pregnancy
- Children or people less than 21 years old who have full Medi-Cal
- People who live in a nursing home

1800 Mount Vernon Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93306

Phone (661) 321-3000
Toll-Free (800) 974-2717

This is a non-inclusive list of vision and eye care providers in Kern County. The Kern County Public Health Services Department does not endorse any providers. Check the phone book for additional resources.

Medi-Cal Eye Care Providers



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BAKERSFIELD

Advanced Eye Center
1701 Westwind Drive
Bakersfield, CA 93301
(661) 215-1006
Eye Exam & Glasses
KHS, MC & Straight MC

Bakersfield Eye
7508 Meany Ave
Bakersfield, CA 93308
(661) 589-9400
Eye Exam & Glasses
KHS
Spanish

Bakersfield Optical
3100 19th St., Ste. 100
Bakersfield, CA 93301
(661) 322-3937
Glasses Only - Children
Straight MC, KHS & HN

California Retina
5329 Office Center Ct.,
Ste 120
Bakersfield, CA 93309
661-325-4393
KHS & Straight MC

Hillcrest Vision Center
Holiwell, Kevin, O.D.
4022 Niles St., Ste. A
Bakersfield, CA 93306
(661) 872-7380
Eye Exams & Glasses
KHS & HN
Spanish
Ages 5+

Holiwell, Kevin K. O.D.
4022 Niles St., Ste. A
Bakersfield, CA 93360
661-872-7380
KHS & HN
Ages 5+

Icon Eye Care
Nguyen, Alain, O.D.
3800 Niles St., Ste. 2
Bakersfield, CA 93306
(661) 871-7770
Eye Exams & Glasses
KHS, HN &
Straight MC (exam only)
Spanish
Ages 7+

Ken's Optical
2022 N. Chester Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93308
(661) 393-2020
Glasses only
Straight MC, KHS & HN

McGee, Jack Lee
3100 19th St.
Bakersfield, CA 93301
661-322-3937
Glasses only
KHS, HN & Straight MC

McDonald, William O.D.
5500 Ming Ave, Ste.175
Bakersfield, CA 93309
(661) 832-8990
Eye Exams & Glasses
Straight MC

Morton, Ronald L. M.D.
1001 Tower Way, Ste150
Bakersfield, CA 93311
661-327-4499
Straight MC, KHS & HN
Ages 2 weeks +

Omni Family Health
525 Roberts Ln.
Bakersfield, CA 93308
(661) 772-5213
Eye Exam & Glasses
KHS, HN & Straight MC
Spanish

Ratty, Stephen O.D.
2222 E St., Ste. 1
Bakersfield, CA 93301
(661) 327-2681
Eye Exams & Glasses
KHS, HN & Straight MC
Spanish
Ages 5+

William, Weisman O.D.
1415 - 18th St., Ste. 118
Bakersfield, CA 93301
(661) 327-4888
Eye Exams & Glasses
KHS & HN
Spanish
Ages 6+

DELANO

DeDonato, Larry, O.D.
1429 Main St.
Delano, CA 93215
(661) 725-9771
Eye Exams
Straight MC, KHS & HN
Spanish
Ages 6 months +

Park Family Optometric Center
Park, Mark, O.D.
919 13th St.
Delano, CA 93215
(661) 725-3795
Eye Exams & Glasses
Straight MC, KHS & HN

RIDGECREST

Holmes, Victor, M.D
1541 N. China Lake Blvd.
Ridgecrest, CA 93555
(760) 446-3800
Eye Exams only
Straight MC
Spanish
Call: business hours vary

Chen, Jennifer, O.D.
905 West Drummond
Ridgecrest, CA 93555
(760) 375-9709
Eye Exams & Glasses
HN & Straight MC
Spanish
Ages 5+

TEHACHAPI

Fagan, John, O.D.
Empire Eye and Laser
20231 Valley Blvd., Ste G
Tehachapi, CA 93561
(661) 822-1212
Straight MC, KHS & HN

WASCO

Omni Family Health
2107 7th St.
Wasco, CA 93280
(661) 759-2235
KHS, HN & Straight MC
Eye Exam & Glasses
Spanish

Renken, Wolfgang, O.D.
1301 7th St.
Wasco, CA 93280
(661) 758-6320
Eye Exams & Glasses
Straight MC, KHS, HN
German, Spanish

MC = MediCal
HN = Health Net
KHS = Kern Health Systems

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