

# Important Update to Certificate of Coverage

Amendment for Certificate of Coverage  
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Routine eye examinations by a CareSource vision care participating physician, practitioner or provider to determine the need for vision correction are covered services. CareSource vision benefits are provided by Vision Services Plan (VSP). Members must contact VSP for services. One exam every two years is provided for Members under the age of 21, unless otherwise authorized by CareSource. One exam every year is provided for Members 21 and older, unless otherwise authorized by CareSource.

1. One pair of clear corrective lenses and eyeglass frames are covered every two years, unless new lenses are medically necessary due to a significant refraction change. Replacements for eyeglasses that are lost, broken or stolen are covered twice per year for members under the age of 21. Sunglasses are not a covered benefit.

There is a limited group of frames from which you may choose. If you choose a frame that is not in this group, you will have to pay for the total cost of the frames. Members must use an approved CareSource/VSP vendor for vision/eyeglass services.

2. Contact lenses are covered only if the member has a vision problem that cannot adequately be corrected with eyeglasses. Contact lenses are not a covered benefit for members 21 and older.

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