

ALBERTA ASSOCIATION OF OPTOMETRISTS OVC MANUAL INSERT

Directive Number: Clean Harbors - 1
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SUBJECT: CLEAN HARBORS

Effective:	December 10, 2002
Program Type:	Voluntary. Employee Contribution. Employee responsible for the vision examination fee if provincial health care is not available.
Optical Lab:	Approved laboratory as listed in Manual Insert OVC-GI-2.
Safety Frames:	Any CSA approved safety frame from approved list
Exclusions	None – metal or plastic allowed.
Sideshields	FIXED SIDESHIELDS ARE REQUIRED.
Lens Material:	
Glass	NOT ALLOWED.
Plastic	Allowed.
Polycarbonate	Allowed.
Hi-Index	Allowed provided sphere and cylinder when added together are greater than 6 diopters. **Note lenses must not be less than 3 mm centre thickness**
Lens Treatments:	
S/R Coating	ALWAYS applied to plastic and polycarbonate lenses.
U/V Coating	Allowed if required for occupational reasons.
A/R Coating	Allowed with PRIOR WRITTEN approval on authorization form.
Tints	NOT ALLOWED.
Transitions	NOT ALLOWED
Progressive Addition	Allowed if currently in dress eyewear.
Seamless Bifocals	Allowed if currently in dress eyewear.

PRACTITIONER NOTE: Those employees who do not require prescription lenses are to be provided with zero power lenses.

Special Materials: If required please contact the AAO office (488-7027 – Edmonton or 1-800-272-8843) **prior to ordering.**