

**ALBERTA ASSOCIATION OF OPTOMETRISTS
OVC MANUAL INSERT**

Directive Number: MCS – 1

SUBJECT: McELHANNEY CONSULTING SERVICES LTD.

Effective: September 1, 2009

Program Type: Voluntary – Employer Contribution. McElhanney Consulting Ltd. will contribute \$230.00 (including eye exam costs) once every two years for employee's safety glasses. Any amounts exceeding these limits will be the employee's responsibility and is to be collected at the time of dispensing according to an invoice that will accompany the completed glasses when returned from the lab. **These amount are to be collected and remitted to the AAO.**

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 or Detachable sideshields are required. Employees choice.

Lens Material:

Glass **NOT ALLOWED**

Planos **NOT ALLOWED** without supervisor's approval on authorization form.

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, at employee's expense

A/R Coating Allowed, at employee's expense

Tints Allowed, at employee's expense

Photochromatics Allowed, at employee's expense

Progressive Bifocals Allowed if currently in dress eyewear.

Seamless Multifocals Allowed if currently in dress eyewear.

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