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Is your insurance changing for the new year?

Let us know if your insurance plan or coverage is changing next year to avoid any disruptions to your treatment plan. Call or text us at 847-488-1030 or email us at billing@retinahealthinstitute.com.

Click Here:  [Health Insurance Options.pdf](#) for more resources and information.

Insurance

Retina Health Institute physicians are participating specialist providers for Medicare, Medicaid, and most managed care plans. Many insurance companies and HMO's require that you obtain written authorization from your primary care physician before any office visit, diagnostic procedure, or treatment. Please check with your medical insurance provider or contact our office for assistance with these issues before your appointment.

Although the treatment of retinal diseases may involve significant technology and complex services, we attempt to minimize the cost in several ways:

- We perform our surgery on an outpatient basis, thus reducing the length of the hospital stay. By doing special testing, lasers, and minor surgical procedures in our office, we are able to eliminate "facility fees."
- We offer financial assistance to patients receiving injections and are dedicated to serving all in our community
- We are constantly updating and reviewing our techniques to ensure the best possible, most cost-effective surgical and medical outcomes.

We accept patients who do not have insurance and are happy to personalize payment arrangements on an individual basis. Like your eyes, each medical treatment plan is unique. Patients who are private pay can inquire about pricing by contacting our office and reviewing our financial policy found in our  [New Patient Forms.pdf](#)

Insurance Plans

Retina Health Institute participates in the following insurance plans. For a specific listing, please contact our office.

AARP
Aetna (most commercial plans)
Aetna Medicare
Allwell (through Superior Health plan)
Amerigroup
Amerivantage
Amerivantage Wellmed
Blue Cross Blue Shield (not BAV plans)
Baylor Scott & White
Champ VA
Cigna (most commercial plans)
Community Care Collaborative
Continental Life/Aetna Supplemental
Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services (DARS)
Dell Children's
Envolve
Government Employees Health Association (GEHA)
Good Samaritan
Humana (most commercial plans)
Humana Medicare
Humana Wellmed
Medical Assistance Program (MAP)
Medicaid
Medicare
Medicare Railroad
Mutual of Omaha
Oscar
Peoples Community Clinic
Scott and White
Scott and White Senior Care
Superior Star Plan
Superior Foster Care Plan
Temple VA
Volunteer Health Clinic
Tricare For Life
Tricare Prime
TriWest
United Healthcare (most commercial plans)
United Healthcare Medicare Solutions
United Healthcare Shared Services/GEHA

United Healthcare Wellmed
UMR
USAA LIFE
Wellcare Connected Senior Care

While this list represents our most commonly seen insurance plans, there may be others in our network that are not listed. If you do not see your insurance listed please contact us to verify coverage. You can reach one of our dedicated billing specialists via text or by calling 847-488-1030.