

Eye Care Associates of Nevada  
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**Professional Status Acknowledgement**

Please acknowledge that Eye Care Associates of Nevada employs licensed practitioners of ophthalmology and optometry. In addition, the practice is devoted to the advancement of education in these fields. Through affiliations with the University of Nevada School of Medicine and Pacific University in Portland we frequently have preceptors and interns present in the clinic. It is important that patients be aware that, although these students may participate in supervised observation, the care received in our offices will be provided by licensed practitioners.

After completing college, an optometrist attends optometry school and receives four years of specialized training in diagnosing and treating refractive conditions and diseases of the eye, including pre- and post-operative care. An ophthalmologist attends medical school after college and then is trained for three years in surgery and diseases of the eye. The ophthalmologists and optometrists at Eye Care Associates of Nevada are licensed by the State of Nevada. The practice of ophthalmology and optometry are regulated, respectively, by the following licensing boards: Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners, P.O Box 7238, Reno, NV 89510, 775-688-2559; Nevada State Board of Optometry, P.O. Box 1824, Carson City, NV 89702, 775-883-8367.

I, voluntarily, knowingly and willingly desire the licensed doctors of ophthalmology and optometry jointly to be involved in my medical care at Eye Care Associates of Nevada. Should the need arise; I understand I can return to the care of the operating surgeon at any time. I also understand that it is my responsibility to keep all follow-up appointments and comply with all prescribed medication schedules during treatment and before and after surgery, as applicable.

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Eye Care Associates Employee: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_