

## **LASIK PRE-OP INSTRUCTIONS**

It is extremely important for your smooth recovery that you carefully follow your doctor's instructions. Call the office should any concerns arise at (805) 987-5300.

### **PRIOR TO SURGERY**

- Obtain your “**Pred Moxi**” **Post op supply kit from your patient counselor.**
- Contact lenses must be removed prior to surgery
  - Soft lenses = 3-5 days / Soft Toric (astigmatism correcting) = 5-7 days
  - RGP (hard lenses) = 3 weeks prior

**Dougherty Laser Vision is proud to now offer our patients the new Pred Moxi drops for LASIK surgery. This is a unique formulation of antibiotic and steroid drops which have been combined to create the best-in-class option for maximizing visual outcomes.**

***\*\*\*Drops are only needed AFTER SURGERY- see post op instructions for details\*\*\****

### **FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS**

- Please have all financial matters completed prior to your arrival for surgery.
- Payment for surgery will be requested when you check in for surgery. **(sorry, no amex)**
- We accept: cash, personal or cashier's checks, Visa, MasterCard, Discover or Care Credit.

### **FINANCING:**

- The application must be submitted to CareCredit and approved prior to your date of surgery.
- Applying for CareCredit is quick and easy. Simply choose the option you prefer:
  - Online Application –
    - Visit [www.doughertylaservision.com](http://www.doughertylaservision.com) and click the “financing” tab -or-
    - Go to [www.carecredit.com](http://www.carecredit.com), fill out the application
    - Either way, you will usually receive an immediate decision
  - Phone Application – Call (800) 365-8295 and follow the prompts to receive an immediate decision.
  - Standard Application – can be filled out at the office prior to surgery and we will submit.
- Please be sure to ask us about our 0% interest payment plans (up to 24 months!!)

**SURGERY DAY**

- Please bring your post op supply kit or make sure to obtain one day of surgery if haven't yet
- Plan to be at the office for approximately 2-3 hours.
- Please make arrangements for someone to drive you home.
- You will have the option to take a relaxation pill, so please refrain from consuming beverages containing excessive amounts of caffeine or alcohol. If you are normally a coffee drinker, feel free to consume your usual amount.
- You may eat normally.
- Continue to take your usual medications unless otherwise instructed.
- Wash your face with soap and water in the morning, thoroughly clean your eyelids
- Do not wear any facial make-up, eye make-up, and facial cream/lotion.
- Refrain from using any scented products (i.e. perfume, cologne, hairspray and scented soap).
- Do not wear large earrings, necklaces or chains because the support pillow around the back of your neck may cause discomfort from pressing on these items.
- Please dress in comfortable, casual, loose clothing. It is cool in the laser room; therefore, we recommend that you bring a sweatshirt or sweater.
- Make sure you have your one day post op appointment scheduled with your optometrist

**CHANGE IN PLANNED SCHEDULE/QUESTIONS**

- In the event that your plans change and you need to reschedule please notify us immediately.
- If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call us at (805) 987-5300

YOU ARE SCHEDULED FOR **SURGERY** AT:

- WESTLAKE VILLAGE OFFICE
- CAMARILLO OFFICE
- BEVERLY HILLS OFFICE

DATE OF SURGERY: \_\_\_\_\_ check in time: \_\_\_\_\_  
**\*\*\* CHECK IN TIME MAY CHANGE DAY BEFORE SURGERY \*\*\***

YOU ARE SCHEDULED FOR A **POST-OP** APPOINTMENT AFTER YOUR SURGERY AT:

- WESTLAKE
- BEVERLY HILLS
- CAMARILLO
- CO-MANAGED OPTOMETRIST  
Dr. \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF PRE-OP APPOINTMENT: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_