

## Your vision wellness is worth a closer look

#### Know the facts about glaucoma

You may be wondering what you can do to protect your eyes from glaucoma. Regular eye exams are the best defense.

More than 3 million people in America have glaucoma.<sup>1</sup> It is an eye disease that can cause loss of vision and irreversible blindness by damaging the optic nerve. It typically affects people over 40 years old. Early signs may occur when the passages that filter and exchange fluid from within the eye become blocked, causing internal eye pressure to increase. The chances of developing glaucoma are increased by family history, race, extreme nearsightedness and diabetes. There is no cure but it can be treated.<sup>1</sup>

#### You may not have symptoms

Glaucoma tends to develop gradually. If there are symptoms, they may include: minor blurring of vision, loss of central or peripheral vision, the appearance of colored rings around lights and eye pain or dull headaches.



### Visit your eye doctor for an exam and treatment

A comprehensive eye exam can detect the onset of glaucoma. Your eye care specialist will do further testing and may prescribe medication or recommend other forms of treatment, including surgery.

Sources

1. "Age-related Macular Degeneration," National Institute for Health National Eye Institute, June 22, 2021, www.glaucoma.org/glaucoma/glaucomafacts-and-stats.php

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