

Pender County Government Vision Plan



Enjoy the Simplicity of CEC!

Enrolling in CEC gives you the vision services you need and the ability to select the eyewear you want. With CEC, there's never any confusion about what's covered. It's that simple!

Why enroll in CEC? Here are a few simple reasons:



You'll Save Money!

CEC's vision benefits can save you up to 70% on routine eye care.



You Can Get Sunglasses!

Your eyewear allowance is completely flexible. You can get frames, lenses & contact lenses — *even non-prescription sunglasses!*



See Your Doctor!

With CEC, you can see your preferred doctor and we have 27 retail optical chains in-network.

	The Benefit	Monthly Rates
200 Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An eye exam once a year (\$10 co-pay) A \$200 allowance for eyewear annually (\$25 co-pay) A contact lens fitting, re-fit, or evaluation once a year (\$25 co-pay) 	Employee Only \$8.98 Employee + One \$18.90 Employee + Family \$26.96

Eyewear Discounts

Members who exceed their allowance are eligible for discounts on the overage when seeing a network provider — a 20% discount for glasses and a 10% discount for contact lenses.

Members Portal

CEC's website, cecvision.com, gives you 24/7 access to find a provider, view your benefit information, check your current eligibility, print a temporary ID card and more.



Questions about your benefits?

Our customer service team is available at 888-254-4290, Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM-7:00 PM, and Saturday, 10:00 AM-4:00 PM.

Plan Features

Out-of-Network Benefit

Whether a doctor is in-network or not, CEC allows you to use your full benefit with no penalties. You'll just need to submit an out-of-network claim form to CEC and you'll be reimbursed for the cost of the exam (minus the co-pay) and for the cost of the eyewear, up to the amount of the eyewear allowance (minus the co-pay). Reimbursement generally occurs within 60 days of submission. To learn more about filing an out-of-network claim, go to cecvision.com/oonform.

Optical Discounts

CEC understands that vision plan members may encounter sales promotions (such as "two-for-one sales") or steep discounts offered by some of our optical providers. As is true of most vision plans, providers will allow you to use only one of the following towards your purchase:

- Your CEC vision benefit, or
- The sales promotion (the sale price or discount)

Members who select the sales promotion are not eligible for reimbursement for that purchase.

Coverage for Fittings & Evaluations

The maximum coverage for contact lens fittings is \$100, and the maximum for contact lens evaluations is \$80.

Routine Vision Coverage

Coverage under the above plan does not include medical treatment or surgical treatment of the eyes. Examples that could necessitate your visit being filed, by your provider, to your medical insurance include diabetes mellitus, glaucoma, cataracts, and other medical conditions.

Fundus photography is not covered and coordination of benefits is not permitted, either with respect to other vision plans or with respect to vision benefits under health insurance plans.

Portability Benefit

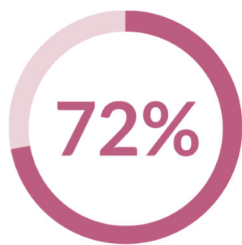
Existing CEC members who terminate employment will be able to enroll in the CEC portability plan within 60 days of their termination date. Coverage will commence on the first day of the month following receipt of the member's completed form. New membership cards will be mailed to the member prior to their new effective date.

LASIK Discounts

Members receive up to a 50% discount relative to national averages on LASIK from participating providers. LASIK is not an insured benefit.

The Importance of Vision

Routine eye care is more than just reading a chart on the wall. At your visit, your doctor will check the health of your eyes, which is important to your overall health and well-being. Undiagnosed diseases, such as diabetes, high blood pressure and glaucoma, can be detected during an annual eye exam.



of Americans need glasses or contact lenses



Studies show that eye strain and other bothersome visual symptoms occur in 50-90% of computer workers

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