

Don't let glaucoma steal your vision.

Take a moment to see if you are at risk for glaucoma

ARE YOU YES NO

Over the age of 45

African-American

(especially over 35 yrs old)

DO YOU HAVE

A family history of glaucoma

High Intraocular Pressure (IOP)

Diabetes

ARE YOU

A long term steroid user

Very near sighted

If you answered yes to any of the above questions, ask your eye care professional about having these tests

Remember, with glaucoma time is the enemy, so don't wait

Glaucoma

"The Silent Thief Of Sight"



What you need to know about glaucoma and the latest technology designed to detect it

The Zeiss GDxVCC™
Paradigm Blood Flow Analyzer™
Sonogage™ Pachometer

Your eye doctor together with this Revolutionary Equipment Trio won't let glaucoma sneak up on you!

THE TECHNOLOGY SOURCE

The Technology Source is proud to be able to partner with your eye care professional to enhance the already great patient care being provided and to help save sight.

Over one million Americans

have glaucoma but don't know it !

What is Glaucoma?

Glaucoma is the leading cause of preventable blindness in the US. Over two million Americans have glaucoma. It is estimated that millions more have it and are unaware of it. That's because glaucoma does not cause pain or have any noticeable symptoms. Tragically, many are diagnosed after it's too late to save their vision.

Glaucoma is not easily diagnosed. For example, the common "puff test" which measure eye pressure, fails to uncover glaucoma in one third of patients with the disease.

The good news is that although there is no cure for glaucoma, it can be detected early and controlled.

Now there is revolutionary new technology that can help doctors find glaucoma earlier - in fact years ahead, while there's still time.

Insurance

Many insurers, including Medicare, cover these diagnostic tests. Check with your carrier or your doctor's office about coverage if you have questions or are looking for payment options.

The Tests We Recommend

The Zeiss GDxVCC™



This comfortable and quick exam evaluates the actual site of damage caused by glaucoma before you experience vision loss.

How is the exam performed?

The GDxVCC is rapid and non-intrusive. There's no pupil dilation or discomfort. You simply lean into the instrument and look at a visually comfortable light. A safe laser scans the back of your eye and acquires an image in less than one second. Exam times can take less than 1 minute.

The GDxVCC is a significant breakthrough over existing tests. The standard pressure check (tonometry) is ineffective for detecting glaucoma in a significant percentage of individuals. Visual field testing (perimetry) is limited to measuring vision already permanently lost to glaucoma.

Paradigm Blood Flow Analyzer™



- ✓ Identifies low and normal-tension glaucoma suspects
- ✓ Can diagnose vascular disorders and detection and management of other circulatory problems related to diabetes and retinal and carotid disorders.
- ✓ Measures Intraocular pressure (IOP) and pulsatile ocular blood flow (OBF).

Sonogage™ Pachometer



Measures Central Cornea Thickness
Thick corneas cause IOP to be lower than actual pressure; thin corneas cause IOP to be higher