



## Digital Retinal Imaging

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In our continued efforts to bring the most advanced technology available to our patients, Anaheim Eye Care, is proud to announce the inclusion of digital retinal imaging as an integral part of your eye exam today. Two of the most common causes of blindness are glaucoma and diabetes and it is important to identify them early and track them over time. This new technology is quick, convenient, and combines retinal photography with computerized imaging to allow instant viewing of the retina and optic nerve in great detail which greatly reduces the incidence of blindness. Previously, dilation of the eyes was the only way to screen for many conditions and to track changes.

DRI is **"HIGHLY RECOMMENDED"** by Dr. VARGAS in the following circumstances:

- If this is your first eye exam
- If you are diabetic or borderline diabetic or family history of diabetes
- If you have high blood pressure (HBP) or borderline HBP or a family history
- History or family history of glaucoma, macular degeneration, skin cancer, high cholesterol, frequent headaches, or if you smoke
- History of floaters, spots in vision or light flashes
- If you are nearsighted (see better close than far)

Digital Retinal Imaging Provides:

- A scan of the inside of each eye to check the general health of your eyes
- An in depth view of the retinal and nervous tissue in the eye (where disease can start)
- The ability to review your retinal photos with your doctor during your exam on a monitor
- An annual, permanent record for your medical file, which gives your doctor comparisons for tracking and diagnosis of potential eye disease

Digital Retinal Photographs:

- Are fast, easy and comfortable
- Are affordable

We offer this highest level of screening technology for only \$25. Unfortunately insurance companies do not cover this screening test.

Please perform Digital Retinal Imaging as recommended.

I do not wish to have Digital Retinal Imaging performed.

Patient Initials (Parent if child) \_\_\_\_\_