

**Sewickley Eye Group** 

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## **Ophthalmic Services**

Cataract Surgery LASIK & Refractive Surgery Cornea Surgery Anterior Segment Surgery Glaucoma Surgery Retina & Vitreous Surgery Oculoplastic Surgery LASER Surgery

Complete medical & Surgical care

#### **Optometric Services**

Glasses Contact Lenses Low Vision Consultation Optometric Eye Care

#### Affiliations

Heritage Valley Health System Ohio Valley Hospital Sewickley Campus Beaver Campus

Allegheny Health Network Allegheny General Hospital

UPMC Cranberry Surgery Center Eye and Ear Institute Presbyterian Hospital

# Welcome to Sewickley Eye Group

You have been schedule for an appointment at our office. Doing some minor paperwork ahead of time will help make your appointment go more smoothly, save you time, and contribute to the overall level of excellence offered. Please complete the health history questionnaire, patient information sheet and financial agreement and bring all forms with you on the day of your appointment.

If you are covered by insurance, please bring your insurance card(s) with you the day of your appointment as well as a current photo ID. If you require a referral, please be sure to call your primary care physician at least five (5) working days prior to your appointment and have them fax the referral to the fax number for the appropriate office location. Phone and fax numbers for all our locations are listed at the bottom of this letterhead. Insurance co-pays and payment for non-covered services are due at check-in. If no insurance coverage, payment for services rendered are due at the time of service.

For many of our exams, dilating drops are instilled to give us a better view into the back of your eyes. While these drops don't usually affect your distance vision significantly, they may affect your driving somewhat by making you more light sensitive. Consider bringing a driver with you to the exam, if possible. We will be happy to give you sunglasses you can use to reduce the light sensitivity and, of course, you are invited to remain in our office until you feel comfortable with your vision.

We look forward to serving you. If you have any questions, please call our office. Our phone numbers are listed below.

Thank you,

The Staff of Sewickley Eye Group

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