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INFORMATION REGARDING DILATING EYEDROPS

Dilating drops are used to dilate or enlarge the pupils of the eyes to allow Dr. Wyhinny/Dr. Alter/Dr. Garcia/Dr. Kim to get a better view of the inside of your eye.

Dilating drops frequently blur vision for a length of time, which varies from person to person, and may make bright lights bothersome. It is not possible for your ophthalmologist to predict how much your vision will be affected. Because driving may be difficult immediately after an examination, it is best if you make arrangements not to drive yourself if your vision is affected.

Adverse reaction, such as acute angle-closure glaucoma, may be triggered from the dilating drops. This is very uncommon and treatable with immediate medical attention.

1. I understand that the dilating eyedrops are necessary to diagnose and monitor my condition, and will likely be used for all my visits in the future.
2. I hereby authorize Dr. Wyhinny/Dr. Alter/Dr. Garcia/Dr. Kim and/or such assistants as may be designated by them to administer dilating eyedrops to my eyes.

Patient (or person authorized to sign for patient)

Date