

CATARACT AND REFRACTIVE LENS EXCHANGE QUESTIONNAIRE

for Scott Jaben, MD, Charlotte Eye Ear Nose and Throat Associates

The term "cataract" refers to the clouding of the natural lens within the eye. When the cataract is removed, an artificial lens is placed inside the eye to take the place of the human lens that has become the cataract.

Occasionally, clear lenses that have not yet developed cataracts can also be removed to reduce or eliminate the need for glasses or contacts.

If it is determined that surgery is appropriate for you, this questionnaire will assist our team in providing the treatment best suited for your visual needs. It is important that you understand that many patients still need to wear glasses for some activities after surgery. Please complete this form for Dr. Jaben to review and discuss with you.

- (1) Are you interested in seeing well **at distance** without glasses after surgery?
 Prefer no distance glasses.
 Not important to me. I don't mind wearing distance glasses.
- (2) Are you interested in seeing well **at near** without glasses after surgery?
 Prefer no reading glasses.
 Not important to me. I don't mind wearing reading glasses.
- (3) Have you ever tried MONOVISION contact lenses (one eye for distance and one eye for near vision)? **YES** **NO** Were you successful? **YES** **NO**
If yes, which eye was for **distance R / L** and which eye was for **near R / L**
- (4) Please see the three choices below. When doing close up activities, where do you spend most of your time? If both are equally important, choose **BOTH**.
 12 to 16 inches such as newspapers, magazines, books, documents, etc.
 18 to 36 inches such as computers, price tags, items on shelves, etc.
 BOTH are equally important
- (5) If you had to wear glasses after surgery for one activity, for which activity would you be most willing to use glasses? **Reading** **Computer** **Driving**
- (6) If you could have good distance vision during the day without glasses, and good near vision for reading without glasses, **but** the compromise was that you might see some halos around lights at night, would you still like that option? **YES** **NO**
- (7) Please PLACE an **"X"** on the following scale to describe your personality as best you can:

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Easygoing **Perfectionist**

Print name _____ Acct # _____

Please sign here _____ Date _____