

**Thank you for your referral.** This form is important to us for a few reasons. It allows us to register, contact and schedule an appointment for your patient effectively and efficiently and it ensures we receive the diagnosis and ICD-10 code(s) so your patient is scheduled with the appropriate sub-specialty. Most importantly, this form allows us to correspond accordingly and return your patient to your care.

**To ensure timely processing, please complete this form and submit it with the applicable items listed on the second page to our ophthalmology referral team's fax number (855) 376-5057**

Date of referral: \_\_\_\_\_ Referring physician/Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**PATIENT INFORMATION** *(please print)*

Last: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth (MM/DD/YY): \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  M  F

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Caregiver: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy# \_\_\_\_\_

HMO's require approved authorization before we can schedule. Please see back-side for codes needed for specific diagnosis.

**PRIORITY** If urgent (<72 hours), please call our office for the patient to be scheduled quickly.

**Diagnosis:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ICD-10:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cataracts, Cornea, External Disease and Refractive**

- Soroosh Behshad, MD
- Marjan Farid, MD
- Sumit (Sam) Garg, MD
- Sanjay Kedhar, MD
- Olivia Lee, MD
- Matthew Wade, MD
- First Available

**Comprehensive and Cataracts**

- Alpa Patel, MD
- Farnoosh Tinoosh, MD
- First Available

**Glaucoma and Cataracts**

- Austin Fox, MD
- Ken Lin, MD
- Sameh Mosaed, MD
- Andrew Smith, MD
- First Available

**Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus**

- Charlotte Gore, MD
- Donny Suh, MD
- Stephen Prepas, MD
- First Available

**Neuro-Ophthalmology**

- R. Wade Crow, MD
- Lilangi Ediriwickrema, MD
- Kimberly Gokoffski, MD, PhD
- Vivek Patel, MD
- Samuel Spiegel, MD
- First Available

**Oculoplastics/Orbit Surgery**

- Lilangi Ediriwickrema, MD
- Seanna Grob, MD
- Jeremiah Tao, MD
- First Available

**Ocular Oncology**

- Kapil Mishra, MD

**Retina and Vitreous**

- Andrew Browne, MD, PhD
- Baruch Kuppermann, MD, PhD
- Stephanie Y. Lu, MD
- Mitul Mehta, MD
- Kapil Mishra, MD
- Mohammed Riazi, MD
- First Available

**Uveitis**

- Sanjay R. Kedhar, MD
- Olivia Lee, MD
- First Available

**Low Vision**

- Karen Lin, OD

**Pediatric Optometry**

- Annabelle Storch, OD
- Kimberly Walker, OD

For updated PDF Referral forms: <https://ophthalmology.uci.edu/refer-patient>

**Irvine**

850 Health Sciences Rd  
Irvine, CA 92617 | 949-824-2020

**Orange**

101 The City Drive S. Pav II, 2nd Floor  
Orange, CA 92868 | 949-824-2020

**Brea**

380 W. Central Ave, Ste 400  
Brea, CA 92821 | 949-824-2020

### Referral Requirements

To expedite appointment scheduling we highly recommend using UCI Health's online referral portal. However, if you prefer, you can fax your referral to (855) 376-5057.

Additionally, the following is required before we contact the patient to schedule.

- Complete patient demographic information.
- Insurance information; copy of patient's medical insurance card(s) front and back.
- Benefits ID Card (BIC) number and Client ID number (CIN) – For **Medi-Cal Health Plans**
- HMO Patients** - Place of Service (POS)
  - **Orange Office** - Choose POS 22 "**On Campus Hospital.**" Please note any patients with Medi-Cal/Cal Optima can only be seen in our Orange office unless patient also has Medicare (Medi/Medi) of which they can be seen at other locations
  - **Irvine or Brea Office** - Choose POS 19 "**Off Campus Hospital**"
- For HMO patients, the following CPT codes are required with the applicable diagnosis:
  - Cataract - 99204, 92136, 92025, 92134
  - Keratoconus - 99204, 92025
  - Corneal Transplant/Edema - 99204, 92025, 92286
  - Corneal Ulcer - 99204, 65430
  - Conjunctival Tumor - 99204, 92132, 92285
  - Pterygium - 99204, 92025
  - Glaucoma - 99204, 92083, 92133, 76514, 92020
  - Neuro- 99205 or 99245, 92083, 92133, 92060
  - Ocular Oncology - 99204, 92134, 92250, 92235, 92240, 76512
  - Oculoplastics Orbit - 99205 or 99204, 92083, 92133
  - Oculoplastics Ptosis/Droopy Lids - 99204, 92083
  - Nasolacrimal Duct Obstruction/Tearing - 99204, 68810
  - Pediatrics - 99204, 92060
  - Retina - 99204, 92134, 92201, 92202
  - Strabismus - 99204, 92060
  - Uveitis - 99205, 92134, 92250, 92235, 92202
  - Low Vision - 99205, 92081
- Cal Optima patients** - please add code **Z7500**
- Medicare Advantage Plans** - please add code **G0463**
- Medical Records - please include last visit progress note and any history of diagnostic testing (if relevant)

### Resources

For updated referral information please go to [ophthalmology.uci.edu/refer-patient](https://ophthalmology.uci.edu/refer-patient)

**UCI Health Referral Portal** - allows you and your office personnel to see real-time updates on the status of your request and provides a secure platform to send all of the necessary documents.

**Referral Center (714) 456-7001** - please contact if you have any questions regarding submitting a referral or to check status on a referral.

**Medical Records** - UCI Health now provides free read-only access to our EMR (Epic) to community providers to access patient medical records, including labs results, and more. To request access email [ucihealthbd@hs.uci.edu](mailto:ucihealthbd@hs.uci.edu).

**Luis Delgado, Director of Business Development** - Contact for any questions, immediate concerns or other assistance. Ph (949) 824-0305, Email: [Luisd2@hs.uci.edu](mailto:Luisd2@hs.uci.edu).