



Department of Medicaid

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DATE: June 25, 2018
TO: Eligible Medicaid Providers of Vision Services
Directors, County Departments of Job and Family Services
Chief Executive Officers, Managed Care Plans
FROM: Barbara R. Sears, Medicaid Director

SUBJECT: Update of new vision volume purchasing contract optical laboratories for July 1, 2018

Summary

The purpose of this Medicaid Advisory Letter (MAL) is to provide information regarding new contracts with optical laboratories in the Ohio Medicaid fee-for-service program, beginning July 1, 2018.

New contracts have been awarded to Classic Optical, Express Lens Lab and Select Optical laboratories. Vision care service providers previously using Korrekt Optical laboratory for the fabrication of glasses will no longer be able to send orders to Korrekt Optical as of July 1, 2018. For orders requested prior to July 1, 2018, Korrekt Optical will continue to fill orders for any glasses that the laboratory can ship to providers by July 12, 2018. Any orders not able to be shipped by Korrekt Optical by July 12, 2018 will be returned to the vision care service provider and will need to be resubmitted to one of the new contracted laboratories, Classic Optical, Express Lens Lab or Select Optical. Providers may order eyewear from the contract optical laboratory of their choice. Contact and mail order information for each optical laboratory is listed below.

Table with 3 columns: Classic Optical, Express Lens Lab, and Select Optical. Each column contains address, P.O. Box, location, and contact information (Toll free and Fax).

Please note this MAL is in reference to fee-for-service Medicaid providers and is not applicable to services provided to Medicaid managed care plan enrollees.

These changes will take effect on July 1, 2018.

**Additional Information**

Information about the services and programs of the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) may be accessed through the main ODM web page, <http://www.medicaid.ohio.gov>.

Questions pertaining to this letter should be directed to the Ohio Department of Medicaid:

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