

IN ADDITION TO THE ROUTINE EYE EXAM, WE ARE RECOMMENDING THAT EVERY PATIENT HAVE AN *OCT SCAN (OPTICAL COHERENCE TOMOGRAPHY) PERFORMED AT THIS TIME.

*AN OCT SCAN IS AN IMAGING TEST THAT USES LIGHT WAVES TO TAKE PICTURES OF YOUR RETINA. HOWEVER, THESE AREN'T ANY ORDINARY PHOTOS. AN OCT MACHINE CAN CAPTURE A 3D SCAN OF YOUR RETINA THAT SHOWS ITS VARYING THICKNESS LEVELS, WHICH CAN HELP YOUR OPTOMETRIST MAKE A MAP OF THE INSIDE OF YOUR EYE. THIS SCAN REVEALS CROSS SECTIONS OF YOUR RETINA FOR ALL ITS LAYERS TO BE VIEWED.

THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL FEE OF \$39. THIS TEST IS A VALUABLE SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEDURE THAT ALLOWS DR. IWAMOTO TO GET AN EXTREMELY DETAILED IMAGE OF THE PATIENT'S EYE WHILE MAINTAINING SAFE SOCIAL DISTANCING.