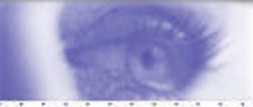


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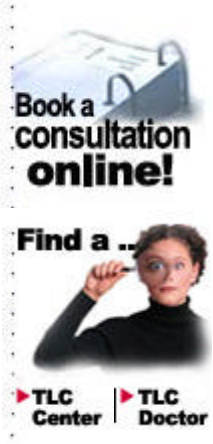


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1. Am I a [good candidate](#)?

Yes, if you're at least 18 years old, in good general health, and have good eye health with no diseases such as cataracts or glaucoma. Laser vision correction can treat a very broad range of [nearsightedness](#), [farsightedness](#), and [astigmatism](#). In most cases, even patients with the most severe degrees of nearsightedness, farsightedness, and astigmatism can be treated. Good candidates have [realistic expectations](#).

8. What will my recovery be like?

Most [LASIK](#) patients usually see quite well the day following their procedure and may be able to resume most of their normal daily activities, but patients with higher prescriptions may recover more slowly. Although the speed of visual recovery depends on personal healing patterns, most patients notice dramatic visual results within the first few days following their procedure.

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9. Are there any risks?

There are [risks](#) of having a laser vision correction procedure. However, the chance of having a vision-reducing complication has been documented in a number of clinical studies to be less than 1%. There have been no reported cases of blindness resulting from laser vision correction.

The extensive training received by TLC doctors reduces the probability of any risks still further. TLC doctors' expertise also lets us help patients if they ever experience any difficulty with their procedure or recovery. Our commitment to patient care means that we will always do our best for you before, during, and after your procedure.

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10. Does TLC stand behind my results?

At TLC, we stand behind your distance vision results for life because we have confidence in our surgeons and in the stability of our patients' outcomes over the long-term. We call it the [TLC The Lifetime Commitment](#)SM. And, while we cannot guarantee that patients will have perfect distance vision for a lifetime, we will do everything we can to help you maintain your best possible distance vision for life. You will receive free re-treatments when they are medically advisable and will help maintain your distance vision. Although hyperopic patients are not covered by the TLC The Lifetime Commitment, they are eligible for enhancements at no charge within 24-months of their initial procedure.

Most myopic and astigmatic TLC patients qualify for the Lifetime Commitment program. To retain eligibility, you must simply return to your TLC eye doctor each year for an annual exam. You will receive a Lifetime Commitment membership record to use in documenting these annual visits.

You are eligible for TLC's Lifetime Commitment if you are in good general health, have your initial laser vision procedure at