



# Blaney Vision Center

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## WHY DO WE NEED AN EMAIL ADDRESS?

Understandably, many patients are reluctant to give out a current email address. In today's environment of spam and security issues, we certainly empathize with this position.

However, in order to access your online health portal, your email is needed so that we are able to send the appropriate information to the portal. This is not just an eye care issue; all healthcare providers who use electronic records are required to send information to this same portal. Using the portal, a patient can access all of their health information from their own computer.

As part of ongoing regulations, we are required to send information to this portal when we see patients. We can't fulfill our obligation without your help. Please consider sharing your email address with us. As with all information you give us, it is secure and confidential. Your email will never be used by us for any other purposes than sharing your eye care information following your visit in our office.

Thank you very much,

  
Dr. Scott A Blaney, OD