

**PARTNERSHIP HEALTHPLAN OF CALIFORNIA
POLICY / PROCEDURE**

Policy/Procedure Number: CLPM-35		Lead Department: Claims	
Policy/Procedure Title: Vision Services		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> External Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Internal Policy	
Original Date: 9/1/25		Next Review Date: 01/01/2026 Last Review Date:	
Applies to:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medi-Cal	<input type="checkbox"/> Employees	
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Approval Signature: <i>Lisa Malvo</i>			Approval Date: 9/1/25

I. RELATED POLICIES:

A. N/A

II. IMPACTED DEPTS:

A. Claims

III. DEFINITIONS:

A. N/A

IV. ATTACHMENTS:

A. N/A

V. PURPOSE:

To provide, for the provider, general guidelines and requirements relating to vision services.

VI. POLICY / PROCEDURE:

Partnership has a capitated contract with Vision Services Plan (VSP) to provide vision services to Partnership members. The capitation includes a basic eye examination and a frame from an Optometrist or Ophthalmologist on the VSP panel of providers, once every 24 months.

Partnership members may self-refer to any of the optometrists or ophthalmologists listed on the VSP provider list for the two services mentioned above. Claims for services provided by VSP are submitted to VSP for payment.

Vision Lenses

The State of California has a contract with the Prison Industry Authority (PIA) to make and provide lenses for all Medi-Cal members in California, this includes Partnership Medi-Cal members. Vision lenses are excluded from the services provided by Partnership as they should be obtained through PIA.

VII. REFERENCES:

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VIII. DISTRIBUTION:

A. PARTNERSHIP4ME PowerDMS Policies & Procedures

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IX. POSITION RESPONSIBLE FOR IMPLEMENTING PROCEDURE: Senior Director, Claims Department

X. REVISION DATES: 9/1/25