TEXAS OPHTHALMIC PLASTIC, RECONSTRUCTIVE AND ORBITAL SURGERY ASSOCIATES SURGERY FINANCIAL POLICY

SURGERY FEES

OUR COSMETIC FEES ARE COLLECTED IN FULL PRIOR TO SURGERY - UNLESS OTHER ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE PRIOR TO SURGERY. SHOULD FOLLOW UP SURGERY BE REQUIRED OR DESIRED - YOU WILL BE FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY AND ALL FEES.

INSURANCE PREDETERMINATION

INSURANCE COMPANIES ROUTINELY REQUIRE PREDETERMINATION PRIOR TO ANY SURGICAL PROCEDURES. IF YOU ELECT TO PROCEED WITH SURGERY WITHOUT WAITING FOR PREDETERMINATION (CAN TAKE UP TO 4 WEEKS WITH SOME INSURANCE COMPANIES) YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY MAY DENY YOUR CLAIM.

FILING WITH YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY Initials

IN-NETWORK PATIENTS

IF COSMETIC SURGERY AND FUNCTIONAL SURGERY IS PERFORMED AT THE SAME TIME -YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY AND ALL AMOUNTS DEEMED DUE BY YOU BY YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY IN ADDITION TO THE COSMETIC FEES – INCLUDING COPAYS AND DEDUCTIBLES

OUT-OF-NETWORK PATIENTS

Patients WHO ARE scheduling surgery will be required to pay a **deposit** prior to surgery – usually 65% of estimated surgery charges. We do expect to be paid 100% of billed charges for surgery. Many times patients receive all or part of their deposit back depending upon insurance company payment (i.e. if the total payment by patient and insurance company exceed 100% of billed charges).

BAYLOR MEDICAL CENTER

BAYLOR MEDICAL CENTER CHARGES A FIXED FEE FOR COSMETIC SURGERY. THIS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE TO BAYLOR. IF IT IS NOT PAID IN ADVANCE, BAYLOR MAY ASSUME YOUR SURGERY IS NOT COSMETIC AND BILL YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY (AND ULTIMATELY YOU) SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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