

Expert eyecare for your employees



**It's a wonderful world.
We'll help you see it that way.**

Only Optical Express can offer your company all of this.

We've been looking after our patients' eye health since 1991. State-of-the-art, advanced technology, clinical excellence, and exemplary standards of care have always been at the heart of our business.

No one is better placed to help you meet your employee eye care commitments than Optical Express. We know how precious good eyesight is, so our highly experienced optometrists, surgeons and eyecare specialists provide expert advice. While our one-of-a-kind iSCAN report gives crucial information relating not only eye health, but can also lead to the diagnosis of conditions such as diabetes and high cholesterol, too.

With Optical Express as your corporate eye care partner, you'll discover the difference that working with the market leader in eye health makes.

Working with a true leader in eyecare

Choose to partner with us, and you will be working with the UK and Ireland's only complete eye care provider. No one else can offer both optical and surgical solutions to remedy poor vision.

All our locations across the country offer unparalleled levels of patient care and ophthalmic standards, and with over £400 million invested in recent years, we are now one of the most technologically advanced eye care specialists in the country.

Optical Express has the widest geographical coverage for corrective eye surgery in the UK, and treats six out of every ten laser eye surgery patients.

Whatever level of employee eye care your organisation wants to provide, we can help.

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Charlotte Supria
Optometrist



£400m

has been invested
in our clinics and
technology.

Exceptional eyecare benefits for employees, a more motivated workforce for you

Employee eye care benefits are an increasingly important aspect of many workplace wellbeing initiatives, as more employers than ever before realise that a healthy workforce is a productive one.

Higher levels of engagement, lower rates of absence, reduced errors and improved effectiveness are just some of the positive results which that can be gained from an eye care partnership with Optical Express.

We understand that every organisation has its own individual requirements for employee eyecare. In this pack, we'll show you the key aspects of our corporate eyecare service. Work with us, and you can choose your preferred services to create a bespoke wellbeing package suited to your organisation's requirements.

Support for staff working with display screen equipment

The Health and Safety (Display Screen Equipment) Regulations 1992 aim to protect the health of people who work with DSE.

Using computer screens in the office can see employees suffer from fatigue, eye strain, upper limb problems and backache. By law, they're entitled to ask their employer to provide an eye test if they regularly use DSE or visual display units as a significant part of their normal day to day work.

We will make sure that you are meeting your obligations by providing your employees with a full eye examination. If glasses are required, we'll also provide them with a complete pair including frames and single vision prescription lenses from our basic collection. They will also have the option to personally pay for an to upgrade their frames or for prescription lenses, too.



Additional eyewear provision

Employers have no legal obligation to provide employees with a glasses allowance if not specifically required for DSE or VDU use, but many now offer this as an additional benefit.

Should you choose to include it in your own corporate eyecare package, we can help with the planning and implementation of your scheme.

Protect your employees' sight at work

Whether you need to protect your employees from dust, wind or chemicals, Optical Express can provide prescription safety glasses to suit your company's unique requirements. We can even provide specialist safety glasses which contain lead, which blocks radiation.

Employees working in certain roles are required to wear industrial safety glasses, but these can only fulfil their purpose if the people they're meant to protect can see clearly when wearing them.

It's essential that safety eyewear gives clear vision at the correct working distance, and matches the lens strength to working conditions.

All of the safety glasses in our range can be customised to suit individual needs. You and your employees can choose from a number of styles, made from metal or plastic frames, which we'll fit with prescription polycarbonate lenses that are fully compliant with current Health & Safety standards.



Eyecare for drivers



It's been estimated that around 5million people driving on the roads today would fail the basic DVLA number plate sight test.

Employers must follow the relevant health and safety regulations for employees who drive as part of their job. Let us help you reduce risk, by testing the sight of your drivers or heavy machine operators on a regular basis.

We'll not only help you to protect your employees, but also other road users and the general public. Eyesight deteriorates gradually over time, and there's a real possibility that the poor eyesight of some employees could increase the risk of an accident.

In fact, more than a quarter of road traffic incidents involve someone driving for work.

At the forefront of optical technology, we use some of the most advanced equipment available to monitor your employees' eyesight. This means that we can make sure that any changes are identified quickly and monitored, minimising the risks to your business.

4 simple steps to better employee eyecare



It couldn't be more simple and straightforward to meet the eyecare needs of your employees. There are no upfront costs, and you are in control of your invoicing schedule. We provide only those which have been agreed by you.

Step 1

We'll create a corporate eye care package tailored to the specific needs of your organisation.

Step 3

Each employee takes the form to their local Optical Express to claim their eyecare benefit.

Step 2

We'll supply you with forms, which you can distribute to eligible employees.

Step 4

You'll receive one invoice each month for all tests carried out in the previous month.

Save money on
eyecare at no
cost to you.



Eye-care benefits for employees and their families.

A partnership with Optical Express brings other benefits to your employees and their families, saving them money on eyecare at no cost to you.

FREE

eye examination including
iSCAN report

10% discount

on complete glasses, sunglasses
and contact lenses bought in-clinic*

FREE

second pair of glasses**

FREE

initial consultation and 10% discount
on corrective eye surgery (including
cataract surgery)†

10% discount

on LipiFlow, our revolutionary
dry eye treatment

*Cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer

**A free second pair is available on glasses (frame and lenses) purchases worth £150 or more. The free second pair must be fitted to the same prescription as the first and must be chosen from the Special Collection.

†Free consultation is with one of our optometrists and for patients new to corrective eye surgery who have not previously been treated by Optical Express.

If you're a large company
we'll come to you.

Troy Scott
Optometrist

Our optometrists will
visit your workplace
and carry out full eye
examinations.



To help you look after the health and wellbeing of your employee's eyes, Optical Express can provide free on site eye tests and screenings to businesses with a large number of employees.

Our optometrists will visit your workplace and carry out full eye examinations, helping to minimise the time required for employees to be off-site, and ensuring that they receive the eye care that they need.

We would be delighted to attend any wellbeing days that you may already hold at your premises. Our aim is to make a real impact on your employees physical and mental health, and in turn help improve motivation and productivity. Our friendly and informative visits will raise awareness of the importance of

good eyecare, and offer any advice or support that is required.

Research conducted with UK employers showed that there was a link, not just between workplace eye healthcare and health and wellbeing, but with productivity too.

For more information on how Optical Express can help your business and your employees, please contact our Corporate Team on:

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Corrective eye surgery

Year by year, we're setting new clinical standards throughout the eyecare sector.

At the forefront of technological and surgical innovation, Optical Express has become the UK's leading provider of corrective eye surgery, transforming lives of millions of people by freeing them from the burden of glasses and contact lenses.

All of our surgical treatment results and procedures are overseen by an International Medical Advisory Board, made up of world opinion leaders in corrective eye surgery, to make sure that we remain the UK's leading provider of optical care.

While our surgeons treat more patients than anyone else in Europe, we will only treat people when we are confident that surgery is the best option. As a result, we've advised more than 250,000 people against corrective eye surgery.

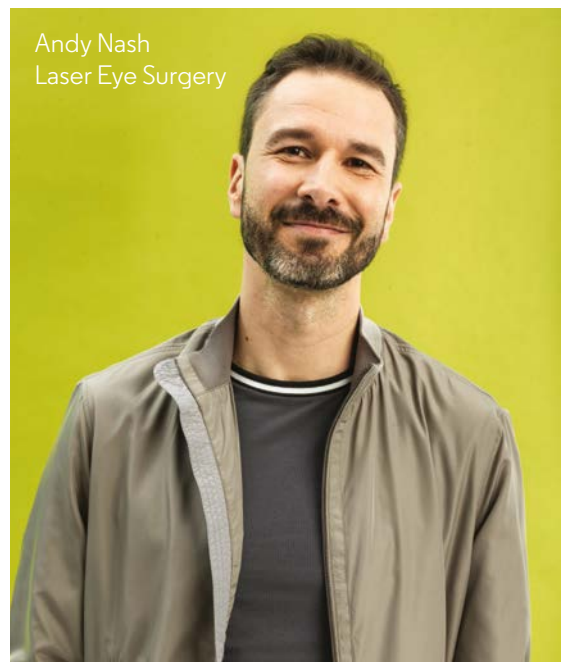
Our care doesn't stop when surgery is completed. Our extensive geographical network of optometrists and ophthalmologists is available 24 hours a day, to support our patients' aftercare.

Laser Eye Surgery

To ensure we achieve the best surgical outcomes, we use the same state-of-the-art technology that led NASA to approve laser eye surgery for their astronauts.

As you begin your journey to wonderful vision without glasses and contact lenses, you will attend an initial consultation with one of our specialist refractive optometrists, who will make a preliminary recommendation regarding the best treatment option for you. Then you will discuss your treatment plan with your surgeon before you move on to the day of treatment. The procedure is a safe and effective way of improving your vision.

Our expert team includes some of the world's leading ophthalmic surgeons. With a success rate which sees over 99% of our patients achieve 20/20 vision or better, it's little wonder that we can promise '20/20 vision – or your money back'.*



Andy Nash
Laser Eye Surgery

*Available only to those receiving iDesign iLASIK. Terms and conditions apply. Ask in clinic or visit www.opticalexpress.co.uk for further information.

Refractive Lens Exchange and Phakic Intraocular Lens Procedures

Both refractive lens exchange and phakic intraocular lens procedures are excellent alternatives to Laser Vision Correction.

Optical Express uses only the latest state-of-the-art technology and the most experienced surgeons, in order to ensure exceptional results for patients who undertake an intraocular lens procedure. In Refractive Lens Exchange, the dysfunctional natural lens is replaced with a synthetic lens to improve your vision. In a phakic intraocular lens procedure, the synthetic lens is placed on top of the natural lens. A synthetic lens replaces the cloudy natural lens, helping people whose vision has become blurred to return to a world of clarity and colour.

We're the UK's leading provider of private cataract surgery after the NHS.

After the NHS, Optical Express carries out the highest number of cataract operations in the UK.

Lipiflow Dry Eye Treatment

Eyes which are gritty, itchy and watery could be caused by a common eye condition called Meibomian Gland Disease (MGD), which blocks the glands in the eyelids. 9 out of 10 dry eye symptoms are caused by MGD.

Optical Express provides treatment for MGD via the revolutionary LipiFlow Thermal Pulsation System. Sometimes described as a 'spa for the eyes', Lipiflow is a gentle, non-invasive treatment which uses pulses of heat and pressure to remove the blockages, providing welcome relief for the patient.

79% of patients report improvement in overall dry eye symptoms following treatment.

Sally Cross
Lens Surgery



At the forefront of optical technology

EMR

Our electronic medical record system is one of the most advanced digital platforms in the world.

Partner with Optical Express, and your employees can visit any of our clinics and have their clinical records available at the touch of a button.

We understand these records contain personal information and we make sure the security and confidentiality of customer records is secure. Your employees can be certain that we will never disclose patient information to third parties.



iSCAN

Exclusive to Optical Express, this revolution in advanced eyecare is a one-of-a-kind diagnostic report which includes eye health details not generally included in a typical eye prescription.

It features detailed results about eye health and prescription, which are not generally included in a typical eye prescription.

The results of an eye examination can lead to the diagnosis of general health conditions such as diabetes, raised blood pressure and high cholesterol.



iDesign

iDesign laser technology is available in every Optical Express clinic.

iDesign iLASIK surgery is the world's most frequently performed and advanced method of laser eye surgery. It's so advanced that NASA has approved it for use on astronauts.

With iDesign, your treatment plan can be tailor-made to achieve the best results. An incredibly precise and personalised 3-D 'map' of each eye captures more than 1200 unique, microscopic eye imperfections. This means that poor vision can be corrected 25 times more accurately than a standard glasses prescription.

Our investment in iDesign iLasik technology has led to over 99% of our patients achieving 20/20 vision or better after surgery.



iDesign produces a 3-D 'map' of each eye that is as unique as a fingerprint.



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