

VSP® Flexible Lens Enhancement Coverage Tip Sheet



Flexible lens enhancements allow partial coverage for the most popular VSP lens enhancements, including anti-reflective (AR) coatings, photochromics, and progressives. Always refer to the online Patient Record Report and Lens Enhancements Charges Report for complete information on option coverage.

3 Types of Flexible Lens Enhancements Coverage:

1 Allowance

Patients have an allowance that can be applied towards the cost of the lens enhancement. They're responsible for any remaining cost beyond their allowance.

- **Example:** A VSP Signature Plan® patient has a \$30 allowance for an AR coating and chooses a Carat Advantage® coating.
- **Tip:** Use the Lens Enhancements Charges report under the reports menu to determine how much to charge the patient—we'll calculate the patient cost for you.

2 Copay

Patients have a copay that covers the lens enhancement

- **Example:** A VSP Signature Plan patient has a \$50 copay for progressive lenses and chooses a UNITY® PLxtra (category O).
- **Tip:** Don't forget to collect any other applicable copays for the exam, lenses, or materials.

3 Standard Progressive Coverage Only

Standard progressive lenses (category K) are covered for the patient, at no additional cost. The patient pays the full Patient for Premium and Custom lenses (categories F, J, N, and O listed in the VSP Signature Plan Lens Enhancements Chart).

- **Example 1:** A VSP Signature Plan patient chooses an Ovation® progressive lens. Because Ovation is a standard progressive lens (category K), it's covered with no charge to the patient.
- **Example 2:** A VSP Signature Plan patient chooses a UNITY® PLx lens. Because UNITY PLx is a premium progressive lens (category F), the patient would pay the full \$90 Patient Copay listed in the VSP Signature Plan Lens Enhancements Chart.*

1. Allowance

Step 1 Use the VSP Signature Plan Lens Enhancements Chart* to determine the Patient Copay for Carat Advantage (AR category C).	\$61
Step 2 Deduct the patient's AR allowance.	-\$30
Step 3 Collect only the remaining balance from the patient.	\$31

2. Copay

Step 1 Use the VSP Signature Plan Lens Enhancements Chart* to determine the Patient Copay for UNITY PLxtra (Progressive category O).	
Step 2 Collect only the progressive copay from the patient.	\$50

3. Standard Progressive

VSP Signature Plan Patient Out-of-pocket:	
Example 1: Standard Progressive Lens	\$0
Example 2: Premium Progressive Lens	\$90

*For VSP Choice Plan® patients, refer to the VSP Choice Plan Lens Enhancements Chart. The latest options charts are available on [VSPOnline at eyefinity.com](http://VSPOnline.eyefinity.com).