



Overlooking your vision health...

...can impact your overall well-being.

## Why You Need A Vision Plan

The importance of healthy vision to maintain an overall good quality of life is often overlooked. The advantages of routine vision examinations go far beyond diagnosing and improving your ability to see. Each year many potentially serious health conditions are discovered during a simple, painless eye exam. As with any health matter, early detection and prevention are the best defense to maintaining your health.

Choosing the Avēsis plan will give you and your covered family members the care to help maintain a healthy and happy lifestyle. With some of the more flexible program options on the market, Avēsis members have more options and receive a better value.

## Check Out Our Provider Network

Choosing Avēsis gives you access to one of the most comprehensive vision networks in the nation. Avēsis contracts with independent optometrists, ophthalmologists and most retail chain centers. With a network of over 53,000 provider access points, Avēsis members have more options in using their benefits. Find a provider by visiting the [www.avesis.com/maricopa](http://www.avesis.com/maricopa) website or by calling customer service at 1-888-211-4012.

## Eye Care and Your Health

Routine vision exams can aid in the early detection or prevention of diseases and eye care problems such as:

- Diabetes
- Hypertension
- Glaucoma
- Cataracts
- Age-related Macular Degeneration

# Frequently Asked Questions

## Do I get an ID Card?

Yes! Although you only need to present your member number for service, Avēsis issues ID cards to help providers quickly identify your plan and benefits, at a glance.

## Is there a specific frame selection that I must to choose from?

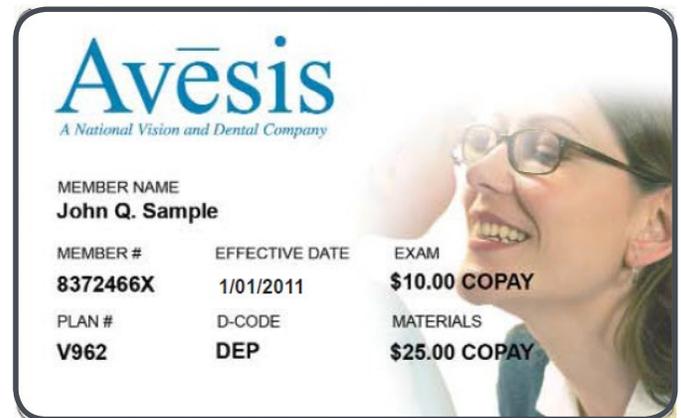
No! Avēsis members can select any frame from a participating provider's selection. Frames that fall within the member's plan allowance are covered in full.

## How can I see if I am eligible for benefits?

Using [www.avesis.com](http://www.avesis.com), members can perform tasks such as verifying eligibility, accessing plan descriptions and much more – 24 hours a day.

## Does Avēsis cover LASIK surgery?

Avēsis plans provide a generous funded allowance in addition to significant discounts for LASIK surgery when an in-network provider is utilized. Call 1-877-712-2010 for additional information or to locate a Participating LASIK Provider in your area.



## Member Website

You will find [www.avesis.com](http://www.avesis.com) to be a valuable tool in learning more about vision care and how to use your benefit.

- Search for providers
- Check benefit eligibility
- Review plan summary
- Print replacement ID cards
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Facts on Vision
- Important Vision Terms

## How To Use Your Benefits

When you need to see an eye care professional, simply call Avēsis, Monday through Friday, 5AM to 6PM (MST), Saturday – 10:00am to 5:00pm and Sunday – 11:00am to 3:00pm at 1-888-211-4012 or visit [www.Avēsis.com/maricopa](http://www.Avēsis.com/maricopa). Avēsis' Customer Service Representatives and its website have the most current listing of participating providers.

1. Select a Participating Provider
2. Call and identify yourself as an Avēsis member
3. Schedule an appointment
4. Present your ID Card and pay any co-pays or charges not covered under the vision plan

### Out-of-Network Information

Members who elect to use an out-of-network provider must pay the provider in full at the time of service and submit a claim to Avēsis for reimbursement. Out-of-network benefits are subject to the same eligibility, availability, frequency of benefits and limitation and exclusion provisions of the plan and are in lieu of services provided by a participating Avēsis provider. Out-of-network claim forms can be obtained by visiting [www.avesis.com](http://www.avesis.com), contacting Avēsis' Customer Service Center, or your group administrator.