Are You a LASIK Candidate?



Are you between the ages of

18-60? Yes - Good

No – The FDA requires you to be 18 to have LASIK surgery and typically by the age of 60 eye health begins to decline making LASIK not an optimal procedure



Astigmatism?
Yes - Good

LASIK can correct astigmatism in most situations

No - Good



Are your eyes **healthy** (no cataracts, retinal issues, current infections, etc.)?

Yes - Good

No – This may not be the right time for LASIK for you



Are you Nearsighted with a prescription up to

-12.0? Yes - Good

No – We should consider alternatives to LASIK like EVO Visian ICL



Do you have

Presbyopia

(the need for reading glasses)?

Yes - Good

LASIK can correct presbyopia - Monovision

No - Good



Pregnant?
No - Good

Yes — You may not have LASIK while pregnant, there is no need to wait a specific length of time after your baby is born



Are you Farsighted with a prescription up to

+5.0?

No – We should consider alternatives to LASIK like RLE



Has your prescription been relatively consistent for

12 months or more?

Yes - Good

No — It is important that your vision be stable "within tolerance" to ensure longevity of the results of your procedure



For women, are you

Nursing?

Yes - Good

LASIK is okay for nursing moms.



A comprehensive consultation with a LASIK surgeon, preferably a cornea specialist since LASIK is surgery on the cornea, is the only way to know if you are truly a LASIK candidate. Call or visit our website today to schedule your free consultation. 704.540.9595 • ProvidenceEye.com