

# **EYEGASSES/CONTACT LENSES**

All inmates/detainees shall be assessed during the intake process for eyeglasses and/or their use of contact lenses by a Correctional Police Officer and Medical staff.

## **Inmates/Detainees with Eyeglasses**

- Plastic frames are permitted.
- Metal frames will be confiscated and retained in the inmate/detainees property.
- The inmate/detainee may need to remain in the infirmary based on assessment of their vision until a family member can provide plastic framed eyeglasses or they are scheduled for an Optometrist visit.

## **Inmates/Detainees with Contact Lenses**

- They will be medically assessed in order to determine the persons need for the contact lenses.
- The inmate/detainee may need to remain in the infirmary based on assessment of their vision until a family member can provide plastic framed eyeglasses or they are scheduled for an Optometrist visit.
- The medical staff may need to consult with the inmate/detainees Optometrist in order to confirm a prescription.

Once on a housing unit, the inmate/detainee shall contact the medical department by making a request using the tablet system.

After they have completed all the internal assessments and processing, a family member will be notified as to when they can bring in the plastic framed eyeglasses.

The plastic framed eyeglasses must be moderately priced.

No name brand frames will be permitted.

(i.e. Gucci, Prada, Versace, Coach, Fendi, Michael Kors, Oakley, Ray-Ban, etc.)