



**Manchester University**  
NHS Foundation Trust

**Manchester Royal Eye Hospital**

## **Information for Patients**

# **Covid-19 Urgent Eye Service (CUES)**

## **Provided by primary care Optometrists**

Accidents and emergencies related to your eye may still happen at this time; patients can seek help in the community to avoid a visit to the hospital.

A service has been set up so patients can access free urgent NHS care at an Optometry practice. There are a number of practices delivering this service, so you should not have to travel far.

A network of Optometrists in Manchester and Trafford has been working with Manchester Royal Eye Hospital to create a service which allows Optometrists in the community to assess and treat patients. Some Optometrists have equipment to take scans of the eye and others have had additional training to allow them to prescribe eye medications. The service has been set up so optometrists can share information with the hospital to get an extra opinion when required. Sometimes patients may be sent onto the hospital if further care is needed.

If you have an urgent eye problem, please look through the list of optometry practices at the end of this document, and contact a practice using the telephone numbers provided in the table.

When you call, you will be asked a number of questions about your eye problem and your general wellbeing. This will help decide whether you need a face to face appointment or a telephone or video consultation.

The optometry practice will follow social distancing guidelines and have Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to use.

If you have coronavirus, have coronavirus symptoms, are self-isolating or being shielded – please do get in touch using the contact details below if you have an eye emergency – the practice will provide advice best suited to your individual situation.

We have provided contact information below if you are registered with a Manchester or Trafford General Practice or you live within Manchester Borough Council or Trafford Council areas and are eligible for NHS care. To help you decide if this is you, consider whether you pay your council tax to these councils, if you do, this service is for you. When you contact the Optometrist they may ask for your GP practice details for them to confirm this.

There are a number of other areas across Greater Manchester where this service is running, these are listed below.

- Oldham
- Bolton
- Bury
- Heywood Middleton and Rochdale

Stockport and Tameside and Glossop have a number of Optometrists providing a Minor Eye Conditions service at this time.

If you live in one of these areas or those listed above, we recommend you visit this website to help find which Optometrists in your area are offering free urgent eye care. You can search using your postcode on this website. <https://primaryeyecare.co.uk/find-a-practice/> . You will find contact details of a practice close to you, you will need to call them and explain the problem with your eye.

Please scroll to the next page for details of practices in Manchester and Trafford.

## Manchester Optometrists

Practice Name	Address		Postcode	Tel Number
AH Mertons Opticians	448 Barlow Moor Road	Chorlton-cum-Hardy	M21 0BQ	0161 8812588
Arrowsmith Eyecare	672 Rochdale Rd	Harpurhey	M9 5TT	0161 2052575
Blustons Opticians	904 Stockport Rd	Levenshulme	M19 3AD	0161 2242290
David Singh Visioncare	420 Barlow Moor Road	Chorlton	M21 8AD	0161 8606656
Didsbury Eyecare	717 Wilmslow Road	Didsbury	M20 6WF	0161 4457668
Direct Vision Opticians	444 Wilbraham road	Chorlton	M21 0AG	0161 8606363
Direct Vision Opticians	827 Stockport Road	Levenshulme	M19 3PN	0161 2484200
Eye2c Optometry	2 Gibwood Road	Northenden	M22 4BT	0161 9984664
Eyecare Oncall	Suite 51 Cariocca Business Park, 2 Hellidon Close	Manchester	M12 4AH	0161 2736955
Gent Bros Opticians	325 Hollinwood Avenue	New Moston	M40 0JA	0161 6811348
Guys Opticians	492 Wilmslow Road	Withington	M20 4RZ	0161 4454723
Jennings Opticians	Unit 7, Haletop Civic Centre	Wythenshawe	M22 5RN	0161 4373042
Jo Padmore Eyewear	790 Wilmslow Road	Manchester	M20 2DR	0161 4458855
JSR Opticians	558 Stockport Road	Longsight	M12 4JJ	0161 2255943
JSR Opticians	60 Wilmslow Rd	Rushholme	M14 5AL	0161 2240163
Leeming Opticians	1A School Lane	Didsbury	M20 6RD	0161 4455307
Lindop Opticians	923 Stockport Road	Levenshulme	M19 3PZ	0161 2246878
Murrays Opticians	173 Princess Road	Moss Side	M14 4RL	0161 2261031
Murray and Haggerty	238 Fog Lane	Didsbury	M20 6EL	0161 4344597
Openshaw Optical	1311 Ashton Old Road	Openshaw	M11 1JS	0161 3701800
Optieye Care	646 Hyde Road	Gorton	M18 7EE	0161 2232001
Optieye Care	166 Hollyhedge Road, Benchill	Wythenshawe	M22 9UE	0161 9980269
Specsavers	114 Mauldeth Road	Fallowfield	M14 6SQ	0161 4342755
Specsavers	14b Harpurhey Shopping Centre	Harpurhey	M9 4DH	0161 2028710

Specsavers	Sainsbury's Supermarket, Heaton Park Road	Heaton Park	M9 0QS	0161 6540440
Specsavers	89 Halle Mall, Arndale Shopping Centre	Manchester	M4 2HU	0161 8346665
Specsavers	Unit 17 & 18 Lime Square, Ashton Old Road	Openshaw	M11 1DA	0161 3719188
Specsavers	17 The Birtles	Wythenshawe	M22 5SA	0161 4379252
Specsavers	Unit 9A, Manchester Fort Shopping Park	Cheetham Hill Road	M8 8EP	0161 8346665
The Eye Centre	640 Stockport Road	Longsight	M13 0SH	0161 4787473
The Eye Team	458 Wilmslow Road	Withington	M20 3BG	0161 4454441
The Eye Site Opticians	58 Bury Old Road	Cheetham Hill	M8 5BN	0161 7952341
Vision Service Opticians	379 Palatine Road	Northenden	M22 4FY	0161 9987874
Vision Service Opticians	4 Progress Buildings, Halliwell Lane	Cheetham Hill	M8 9ER	0161 7409009
Wheeldon Opticians	106 Palatine Road	West Didsbury	M20 3YB	0161 4454253
IC Optical	Domiciliary Optician			0161 7733343

## Trafford Optometrists

Practice Name	Address		Postcode	Tel Number
Boots Opticians	33 School Road	Sale	M33 7YE	0161 973 3454
Clare Haggerty Opticians	111 Northenden Road	Sale Moor	M33 3HF	0161 973 5065
David Arnold Opticians	17 Green Lane, Ashton on Mersey	Sale	M33 5PN	0161 973 3674
H&H Eyecare	4 Draybank Road, Broadheath	Altrincham	WA14 5ZL	0161 941 5335
Maloney Opticians	28 School Road	Sale	M33 7XF	0161 905 1104
Optieye Care	1 Regent road	Altrincham	WA14 1RY	0161 928 1891
Specsavers Opticians	3 Crofts Bank Road	Urmston	M41 0TZ	0161 747 0425
Specsavers Opticians	16/17 Market Walk	Sale	M33 7ZZ	0161 969 2001
Specsavers Opticians	95 George Street	Altrincham	WA14 1RN	0161 929 5555
Stotts Opticians	8 Crofts Bank Road	Urmston	M41 0TS	0161 748 4920
Thomas Carter Opticians	4 Station Road	Urmston	M41 9JN	0161 747 5555
Timperley Eyecare	371 Stockport Rd	Timperley	WA15 7UR	0161 904 8126