

LOCAL INFORMATION FOR OPTOMETRISTS WORKING IN MILTON KEYNES

		FORM
URGENT & EMERGENCY	<p>For 'red flag' emergencies (see separate 'urgent & emergency pathway') use BUS referral form & refer via EeRS/ EyeV platform. NB: BUS clinic runs Mon – Fri 8am-5pm</p> <p>BUS referrals received before 3pm will be triaged the same day. After 3pm, referrals will be triaged on the next working day.</p> <p>If a patient presents to you after 3pm Mon – Fri, or anytime on a Saturday / Sunday, and requires same day urgent care, please refer to MKUH A&E</p> <p>For other recent onset eye problems (see separate 'urgent & emergency pathway') ask the patient to contact CUES Hub.</p>	<p>BUS referral form</p> <p>Patient to contact CUES Hub</p>
WET AMD	<p>If discovered during a sight test then refer via EeRS/ EyeV.</p> <p>(Patients presenting with wet AMD during a CUES examination should be referred using the CUES pathway.)</p>	Wet AMD referral form
ROUTINE	<p>Refer via EeRS</p> <p>For technical support with EeRS email blmk-eers@eyev.health</p>	GOS 18
CATARACT	Refer via EeRS	GOS 18
DIABETICS	<p>Diab Retinopathy screening takes place at Milton Keynes Hospital. If you see a diabetic who has never been screened or not within the past twelve months, please inform their GP and request that they are included on the screening register.</p>	GOS 18
CHILDREN	<p>School nurses check the visual acuity of most children in state schools around the age of five. Any child not meeting their standards will be referred to the orthoptic department.</p>	GOS 18
GLAUCOMA	Refer via EeRS	GOS 18
LOW VISION	<p>Refer via EeRS for assessment by hospital optometrists at MKUH LV clinic. LVLs should be issued to patients who may require access to social services.</p>	GOS 18, LVL

USEFUL PHONE NUMBERS:

Milton Keynes Hospital Eye Dept. – 01908 995501
 BUS Clinic Admin. – 01908 995515
 CUES Hub – 0800 316 9200
 SARC (Sensory Advice Resource Centre) – 01908 401135
 Bucks Vision Resource Centre (MK) – 01296 487556

FURTHER INFORMATION & FORMS ARE AVAILABLE FROM BUCKS LOC:

<https://www.loc-online.co.uk/buckinghamshire-loc/>

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