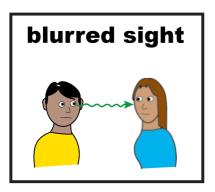






This booklet uses easy words and pictures.

You might want to ask someone to help you read it.



You are having trouble with your eyes. It might be hard to see clearly.



You have come to the hospital to have your eyes checked.



You can bring someone with you to support you.



You will meet nurses, doctors and optometrists.

All our staff will be wearing name badges.



You will go to a clinic room.



You will wear some hospital glasses and they will ask you to read letters and numbers on the wall.

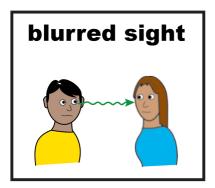


The nurse might put eye drops in your eyes.

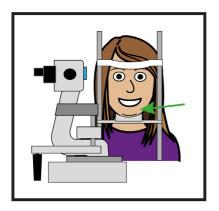
These will feel cold and may sting a bit.



You will wait until the drops work.

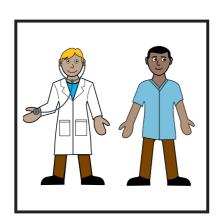


Things might look more blurred.



You may have pictures taken of your eyes.

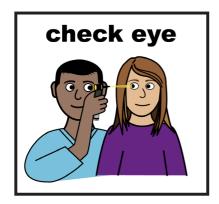
You will need to put your chin and forehard on the metal bar in front of a special camera.



A doctor or Optometrist will come and see you.



The doctor/Optometrist will look in to your eyes.

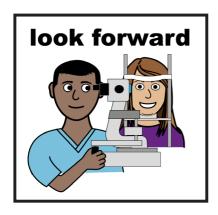


The doctor/Optometrist will shine a light in your eyes.

This is ok.



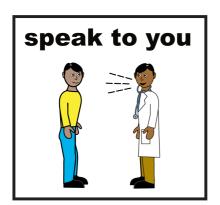
You will need to put your chin and forehead on the metal bar.



The doctor/Optometrist will ask you to look in different directions.
They might take some pictures of your eyes.



This will not hurt.



They will let you know the plan after the test.



You can then usually go home.



Please let staff know if you have a Hospital Passport or if you need any reasonable adjustments making.





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