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Dear eye care professional,

Thank you for your participation in the Versant Health panel of eye care professionals. As part of our ongoing commitment to open lines of communication, we are sending this letter to inform you of updates and additional medical policies recently approved by the Versant Health Medical Policy Council.

The following policies have been added or updated with effective dates as noted.

Policy Number and Name	Criteria Changes	Effective Date
1305 YAG Capsulotomy	Remove CPT code 66999 (unlisted procedure)	01/01/2023
1312 Amniotic Membrane	Remove CPT code 66999 (unlisted procedure)	01/01/2023
1332 Punctal Plugs	Policy is retired	01/01/2023
1333 Refractive Surgery	Remove CPT code 66999 (unlisted procedure)	01/01/2023

Versant Health, which brings you the Superior Vision network and the Davis Vision network, maintains and provides access to our policies which can be accessed via the Eye Care Professional Portal located at [ecp.versanthealth.com](http://ecp.versanthealth.com). The medical policies can be found by selecting "Health Plans" and then "Medical Management" from the left side navigation bar on the portal home page. Additionally, the most current Prior Authorization list can be found in the same location.

We greatly appreciate the professional services which you render to our members. Thank you for being a part of the Versant Health network of eye care professionals.

Sincerely,

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Chief Medical Officer

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