

MULTIFOCAL

Over time, the eye's lens loses its elasticity and ability to flex and change shape to see close objects. This loss of near vision, called *presbyopia*, is why we find ourselves wearing reading glasses, or bifocals, by age 45, or so.

When your surgeon removes your cataract, advanced replacement lens technology may make it possible to restore more youthful vision and reduce your dependence on reading glasses and bifocals.

FDA-approved implantable advanced *multifocal* replacement lenses provide a wide range of quality vision in any type of lighting by working with the eye's pupil to allocate light for optimal vision at near, intermediate, and far distances.

In clinical trials, most multifocal IOL patients reported never needing glasses following implantation in both eyes.



Near



Intermediate



Distance



Drs. Del Negro, Senft, and Glatman recommend the Multifocal lens because...

This lens offers a better chance of achieving a full range of quality, more youthful vision for seeing at:

- NEAR distances, for reading the latest best seller or restaurant menu
- INTERMEDIATE distances, for surfing the Internet or recognizing the smiling face of a friend
- FAR distances, for driving and enjoying the scenery

...with less dependence on reading glasses or bifocals.

CONTINUOUS RANGE OF VISION

If you are interested in pursuing functional vision for normal, everyday activities a continuous range of vision IOL may be the right choice for you.

The TECNIS Symphony® IOL is the first and only presbyopia correcting continuous range of vision IOL. The Lens corrects at near, intermediate, and distance and provides continuous high-quality vision for patients favoring intermediate and longer reading distances for activities such as computer work and magazine reading.

It delivers a continuous, full range of high-quality vision with incidence of halos and glare comparable to the monofocal IOL. The advanced design introduces a novel pattern of light diffraction that elongates the focus of the eye resulting in an extended range of vision.

The TECNIS Symphony IOL offers two options:

Symfony:

- Corrects for presbyopia
- Excellent visibility in all lighting conditions

Symfony Toric:

- Corrects for astigmatism and presbyopia
- Excellent visibility in all lighting conditions

Your candidacy would be determined during your Cataract Evaluation. If you select a monofocal replacement lens, you will still be dependent on reading glasses, or bifocals, for close-up vision.

Near



Intermediate



Distance



Will a MONOFOCAL replacement lens implant meet your needs?

If you believe that you will not mind wearing bifocals, or reading glasses, to focus for close-up tasks after surgery, a *monofocal* lens might be a good choice. If being less dependent on glasses is important to you, an advanced *presbyopia-correcting* replacement lens implant may be more appropriate.