

Ophthalmology

Basic Education: M.D. or D.O.

Minimal Formal Training: Successful completion of an ACGME or AOA-approved residency training program in ophthalmology. Must be Board Eligible or Board Certified.

Required Previous Experience: Demonstration of completion of at least 50 ophthalmologic surgical procedures in the past 12 months.

Core Privileges: Ability to admit, work up, diagnose, consult, order diagnostic studies and procedures for and perform surgical procedures on patients of all ages presenting with illnesses, injuries, and disorders of the eye, including related structures and visual pathways.

Core privileges do not include: use of the laser, penetrating keratoplasty, lamellar keratoplasty, radial keratotomy, epikeratophakia, placement of external radiotherapeutic source.

Other privileges requested for which you have current clinical competency may be listed below. Documentation of training and/or experience must be provided for any special privileges requested. I understand that by making this request, I am bound by the applicable laws and policies of the Medical Center and hereby stipulate that I meet the minimum threshold criteria for this request.

I understand that it is my obligation to notify the President of the Medical Staff of any procedure or mode of medical care in which I might engage that is not listed. I certify to the best of my knowledge, I am qualified and have professional liability insurance coverage for practice within the scope of privileges requested.

Signature

Date

**OPHTHALMOLOGY PROCEDURES
CHECK PROCEDURES REQUESTED**

Privileges requested	Minimum formal training	Required previous experience	Reappointment criteria
Photorefractive keratectomy (PRK) <input data-bbox="204 394 265 472" type="checkbox"/>	Successful completion of an accredited residency in ophthalmology , followed by a fellowship or experience in refractive or corneal surgery; and an FDA-approved post-graduate PRK course that included one day of didactic training, a wet lab, or on-site instruction, and observation of the physician using his or her own laser. <i>Note: Hospitals should further consider proctoring physicians who have completed the appropriate training for a series of PRK procedures before granting full privileges.</i>	Performance of a specified number of PRKs, as determined by the Medical Center.	
Radial keratotomy <input data-bbox="227 1094 289 1171" type="checkbox"/>	Successful completion of an accredited residency in ophthalmology, followed by an accredited fellowship in refractive or corneal surgery. <i>Note: In lieu of a fellowship, the physician should be required to have obtained radial keratotomy training through a post-graduate training course accredited by the Accreditation Council of Continuing Medical Education.</i>	Performance of a specified number of radial keratotomies, as determined by the Medical Center.	

Signature

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