Frequently asked questions:

Q. When will I be able to return to my normal activities?
A. Typically, you will be able to return to normal activities within several days. Your eyes may be sensitive to touch for a few days, and you should avoid rubbing them. It is important to avoid any lifting or straining that could increase pressure on your eyes.

Q. Will I be able to see without glasses?
A. Since everyone’s vision, expectations, and lifestyles differ, it is difficult to determine how much you will be dependent on glasses after your surgery. As with all monofocal IOLs, most patients will need to continue to wear reading glasses for near vision activity.

Q. How often will I need to have my eyes checked after surgery?
A. Your doctor will advise you based on your procedure. Make sure you follow the appropriate recommendations from your doctor for the best outcomes.

Questions to ask your doctor:

Knowing what to ask your doctor can be important. In addition to getting answers to the questions you already have, consider getting answers to the questions listed below.

- What are the risks and benefits associated with each of these treatment options?
- Which cataract treatment do you recommend?
- Am I a good candidate for the enVista® IOL?
- What does this procedure involve?
- What are the benefits, risks, and possible complications of having cataract surgery?
- How should I prepare for the procedure?
- What will my vision be like after recovery?

Bausch + Lomb is committed to high standards:

- Founded in 1853, Bausch + Lomb has over 160 years of eye health experience and has been at the forefront of some of the most significant advancements in eye health technologies
- Unique design and materials ensure vision quality that lasts for years to come
- Advanced lens technologies provide unique advantages versus other lens designs and materials currently available

Indications: enVista is indicated for use in patients for visual correction after cataract removal. Cataract surgery is not completely risk-free. Complications may occur as a result of the removal of your cataract whether or not an intraocular lens is implanted. Complications of cataract surgery range from minor, usually temporary side effects, to sight-threatening complications. Fortunately, significant sight-threatening complications are extremely rare and include, but are not limited to: infection, hemorrhage, and retinal detachment. People with existing medical conditions such as diabetes and chronic eye infections are at a higher risk of developing complications. The risks of implantation with the enVista AO IOL include the same risks that exist for all cataract surgery with IOL implantation. The long term safety and effectiveness of this lens have not been proven. The safety of the enVista IOL has not been substantiated in patients with preexisting conditions. This is not all you need to know. Please discuss any questions with your eye doctor.

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You have cataracts. Your doctor has a great way to correct your vision.

Today’s advancements in medical procedures allow eye surgeons to correct your cataracts using the best technologies available. In many cases, cataract surgery may reduce the need for eyeglasses. However, it is important to understand that since everyone’s vision, expectations, and lifestyles differ, it is difficult to determine how much you will be dependent on glasses after surgery.

You’ve got a lot to do and see. That’s why your doctor may recommend that you have cataract surgery using an innovative lens from Bausch + Lomb made of an advanced material and design to provide you with exceptional vision.

Before you learn more about the enVista® intraocular lens, let’s take a closer look at how cataracts are affecting your vision...

Cataracts — Why aren’t you seeing as clearly as you used to?

Cataracts are a natural part of the aging process and will eventually develop in all of us. In fact, cataract surgery is the most commonly performed procedure in the United States with over 3 million procedures annually.

As you grow older, the lens in your eye can stiffen, harden, and become cloudy. Since the lens is no longer as flexible or as clear as it used to be, the eye can’t focus light properly. This makes it difficult to see as clearly as you once did.

Common signs and symptoms of cataracts:

- Double vision
- Blurred vision
- Poor night vision
- Faded colors
- Sensitivity to light and glare
- Frequent changes to your eyeglass prescription

enVista® Intraocular Lens

enVista is designed not only to treat your cataracts, but provide you with the best possible quality of vision. In addition, the enVista IOL is made of an advanced, next-generation material designed to provide long term clarity. See the difference enVista can offer:

**Sharp focus**
- For clearly defined images

**Excellent contrast**
- Helpful for driving at night

**Clear vision**
- Advanced material stays clear inside the eye 

Simulated image of what you may see with/without cataracts

Simulated image of what you may see prior to cataract surgery

Simulated image of what you may see after cataract surgery with the enVista IOL