Check Your Eyesight Regularly with the Amsler Grid



TIP: Tape the grid somewhere like the refrigerator or bathroom mirror so you remember to use it regularly.

The Amsler Grid is a square containing a grid pattern and a dot in the middle. This grid, when used correctly, can show problem spots in your field of vision.

To check your vision, follow these simple steps:

- **1.** Download and print the Amsler Grid.
- 2. Wear the glasses you normally use when reading.
- **3.** Make sure the grid is about 12-15 inches away from your face and in bright light.
- 4. Cover 1 eye.
- **5.** Focus your uncovered eye on the center dot.
- 6. Continue looking at the dot. Note if all grid lines look straight or if any lines or areas look blurry, wavy, dark, or blank in your side vision.
- **7.** Repeat these steps with your other eye.

Repeat regularly for each eye.

If any sections appear blurry, wavy, darker, or blank, **see your eye doctor as soon as you can.**



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