

OPHTHALMOLOGY

PHILOSOPHY

Our highly experienced pediatric ophthalmologists provide innovative and holistic care to improve the quality of life for children and their families.

WHAT WE EVALUATE

- Amblyopia (lazy eyes)
- Childhood glaucoma (infantile, juvenile and traumatic)
- Double vision (diplopia)
- Droopy eyelids (ptosis)
- Eye inflammation (uveitis)
- Infantile and childhood cataracts
- Nasolacrimal duct obstruction (blocked tear ducts)
- Pediatric glaucoma
- Refractive errors (need for glasses/contacts)
- Retinopathy of prematurity and its complications
- Strabismus (crossing or drifting of the eyes)
- Tearing eyes
- Traumatic eye injuries

Our pediatric ophthalmologists also treat eye problems related to other diseases such as diabetes, sickle cell disease, juvenile rheumatoid arthritis, metabolic disorders, brain tumors, genetic and chromosomal disorders, and craniosynostosis.

MAIN OFFICE

CHOC Specialists Ophthalmology

1120 W. La Veta Ave, Suite 100, Orange, CA 92868

CHOC Specialists Ophthalmology is located on the first floor of the Centrum North Building. The parking structure is located right behind the building at Centrum North Parking.

SATELLITE LOCATION

CHOC Health Center, Mission Medical Tower

26732 Crown Valley Parkway, Suite 501

Mission Viejo, CA 92691

Scheduling: 888-770-CHOC (2462)

Submit all pertinent medical records to: choc.org/referrals, or by fax 1-855-246-2329



SPECIALTY CARE PHYSICIAN CONCIERGE SERVICE

Our physician concierge service expedites communication between healthcare professionals and CHOC specialists. To connect with a physician concierge representative, please call 714-509-4013.

BOARD-CERTIFIED PEDIATRIC OPHTHALMOLOGY TEAM

Rahul Bhola, MD

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Fatema Esmail, MD

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PEDIATRIC OPTOMETRY TEAM

Hector Carrillo, OD

Jordan Ellfeldt, OD

Tammy La, OD