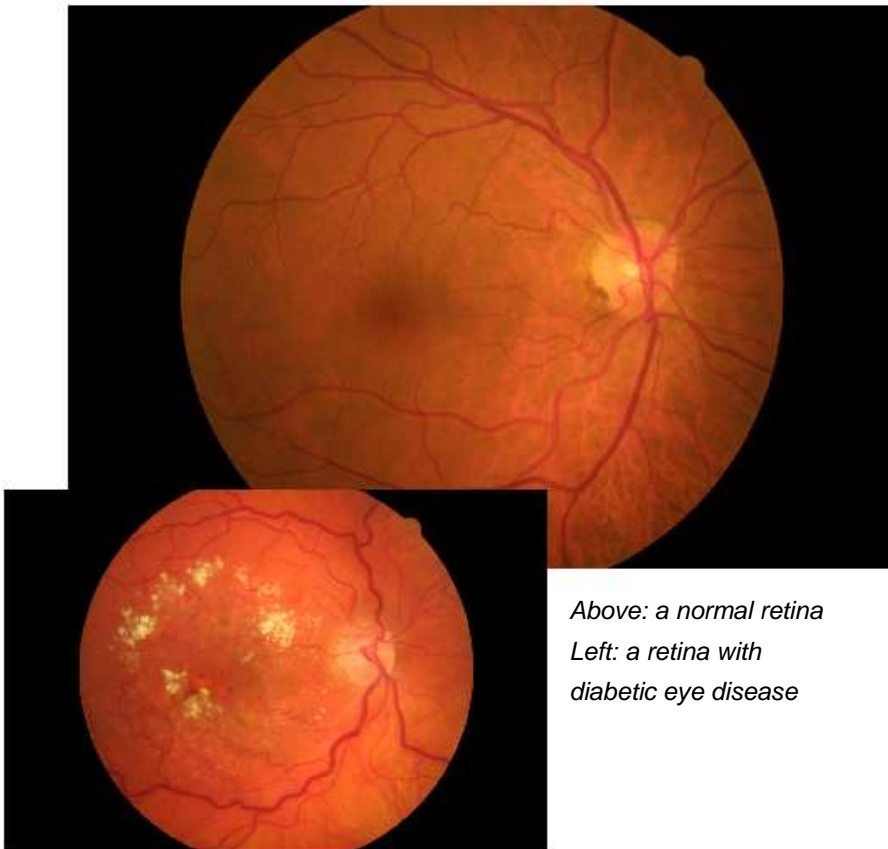


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*Above: a normal retina
Left: a retina with
diabetic eye disease*

New testing method improves checks for diabetic eye disease

Since the start of 2007 optometrists in this area have been using digital imaging when they check to see whether you have diabetic eye disease. Previously they used a slit-lamp microscope, a bright light and a small hand-held lens. Digital imaging has brought improvements.

Digital imaging can often improve our detection of retinopathy (disease of the retina). Optometrists use a digital retinal camera to take photographs of the back of the eye. They then use a computer to help examine the photographs, looking for any problems caused by diabetes. They only need to use the old method in a few cases where the photos are unclear.

As a patient, you will not notice much difference. Optometrists will still offer you the screening check for diabetic eye disease and still

use drops to enlarge your pupils. If you're due for a sight test, you can often have it at the same time as the screening.



Not all optometrists will provide the new type of screening. If yours doesn't, you should visit your own optometrist for a sight test and have your screening done elsewhere. Optometrists across South Manchester who can offer screening are listed on the next pages. Or you can see the most up-to-date list on the website at:

www.smdrs.org.uk

You can be screened by any of the optometrists listed overleaf.

**Central Manchester****Boots Opticians Professional Services**

32 Market Street,
Manchester M1 1PL
0161 832 3823

Specsavers

Unit 84, Halle Mall, The Arndale Centre,
Manchester M4 2HU
0161 834 6665

Toni & Guy Opticians

1-3 St Ann's Passage,
King Street, Manchester M2 6AB
0161 839 6753

Cheetham Hill**Robert Glass Opticians (Glasses 4 Less)**

3 King Edward Buildings, Bury Old Road
Cheetham Hill, Salford M7 4QJ
0161 740 3069

The Eye Site

58 Bury Old Road, Cheetham Hill,
Manchester M8 5BN
0161 795 2341

Vision Service Opticians

4 Progress Buildings, Halliwell Lane,
Manchester M8 9ER
0161 740 9009

Chorlton**A. H. Mertons**

448 Barlow Moor Road, Chorlton,
Manchester M21 0BQ
0161 881 2588

Dollond & Aitchison

426 Barlow Moor Road, Chorlton,
Manchester M21 8AD
0161 881 9661

Cadman Opticians

420A Wilbraham Road, Chorlton-Cum-Hardy,
Manchester M21 0AS
0161 860 5494

David Singh Visioncare

420 Barlow Moor Road, Chorlton,
Manchester M21 8AD
0161 860 6656

Didsbury**Didsbury Eyecare**

717 Wilmslow Road,
Didsbury, Manchester M20 6WF
0161 445 7668

Michael J. Leeming

1A School Lane, Didsbury,
Manchester M20 6RD
0161 445 5307

Murray & Haggerty

238 Fog Lane, Didsbury,
Manchester M20 6EL
0161 434 4597

Wheeldons Opticians

106 Palatine Road, West Didsbury,
Manchester M20 3YB
0161 445 4253

Fallowfield**Specsavers**

114 Mauldeth Road, Fallowfield
Manchester M14 6SQ
0161 434 2755

Gorton**Roger Fisher**

646 Hyde Road, Gorton
Manchester M18 7EE
0161 223 2001

Selby & Glover

167 Chapman Street, Gorton
Manchester M18 8LY
0161 223 0694

Harpurhey**Arrowsmith Opticians**

672 Rochdale Road, Harpurhey
Manchester M9 5TT
0161 205 2575

Optical Express

31 North City Shopping Centre, Rochdale Road,
Harpurhey, Manchester M9 4DH
0161 205 6925

Specsavers

41 North City Shopping Centre, Moston Lane,
Harpurhey, Manchester M9 4DH
0161 202 8710

Levenshulme**Blustons Opticians**

904 Stockport Road, Levenshulme
Manchester M19 3AD
0161 224 2290

Lindop Opticians

923 Stockport Road, Levenshulme
Manchester M19 3PZ
0161 224 6878

Longsight**JSR Opticians**

558 Stockport Road, Longsight
Manchester M12 4JJ
0161 225 5943

Robert Glass Opticians (Glasses 4 Less)

380 Dickenson Road, Longsight
Manchester M13 0WQ
0161 256 2266

Middleton**D. Igoe**

36 Long Street, Middleton
Manchester M24 6UQ
0161 653 0771

Moss Side**Murray & Haggerty**

173 Princess Road, Moss Side,
Manchester M14 4RL
0161 226 1031

MANCHESTER CONTINUED**Moston****FSL Opticians Ltd**

217 Lightbowne Road, Moston
Manchester M40 9DD
0161 681 2425

New Moston**Gent Brothers (Ian M. Creek)**

325 Hollingwood Avenue
New Moston, Manchester M40 0JA
0161 681 1348

Newton Heath**Paul Toleman**

86 Old Church Street, Newton Heath
Manchester M40 2JF
0161 681 5931

Northenden**Vision Service Opticians**

379 Palatine Road, Northenden
Manchester M22 4FY
0161 998 7874

Openshaw**Openshaw Optical**

1313 Ashton Old Road, Openshaw
Manchester M11 1JS
0161 370 1800

Rusholme**JSR Opticians**

60 Wilmslow Road, Rusholme
Manchester M14 5AL
0161 224 0163

University**The Vision Centre**

Moffat Building, University of Manchester
Altrincham St., Manchester M60 1QD
0161 306 3860

University Vision Service Opticians

Students Union, Manchester University,
Oxford Road, Manchester M13 9PR
0161 273 2996

Withington**Guys Opticians**

492 Wilmslow Road, Withington
Manchester M20 3BG
0161 445 4723

The Eye Team

458 Wilmslow Road, Withington
Manchester M20 3BG
0161 445 4441

Wythenshawe**FSL Opticians**

166 Hollyhedge Road Benchill,
Manchester M22 9UE
0161 998 0269

Jennings Opticians

Unit 7, Hale Top, Civic Centre, Wythenshawe
Manchester M22 5RN
0161 437 3042

Specsavers

17 The Birtles, Wythenshawe
Manchester M22 5SA
0161 437 9252

SALFORD**Eccles****D. J. & M. M. Smith**

263 Monton Road, Monton, Eccles
Manchester M30 9LF
0161 789 1353

W. E. Sime Optometrists

15 Church Street, Eccles
Manchester M30 0DF
0161 789 1322

Irlam**Alan Miller Ltd**

596 Liverpool Road, Irlam
Manchester M44 5AA
0161 775 2238

Pendlebury**Maudsleys Opticians**

718 Bolton Road, Pendlebury
Manchester M27 6EW
0161 794 2661

Salford**Alan Miller Ltd**

557 Liverpool Street
Salford M6 5GY
0161 736 3640

The Eye Site Opticians

47 Leicester Road
Salford M7 4AS
0161 792 8181

Swinton**Specsavers Swinton**

15 The Parade, Swinton
Manchester M27 4BH
0161 794 1887

Stotts Opticians

137 Chorley Road, Swinton
Manchester M27 4AE
0161 794 7703

Wallwork Opticians

308 Worsley Road, Swinton
Manchester M27 0AG
0161 794 2454

Walkden**Robin Hall Opticians**

3 Bridgewater Road, Walkden
Manchester M28 3JE
0161 790 2000

Walkden Eye Centre

14 Hodge Road, Walkden
Manchester M28 3AT
0161 790 2367

SALFORD CONTINUED**Yates & Suddell**

Unit 79, The Ellesmere Centre, Walkden
Manchester M28 3ZD
0161 702 9000

STOCKPORT**Bramhall****Bramhall Eyecare**

30 Bramhall Lane South, Bramhall
Stockport SK7 1AH
0161 440 9700

Dollond & Aitchison

13 Woodford Road, Bramhall
Stockport SK7 1JN
0161 439 1770

Cheadle**S. French-Teeling**

2 Rectory Court, 13 Wilmslow Road, Cheadle
Stockport SK8 1DW
0161 491 4271

Wheeldons

4 Stockport Road, Cheadle
Stockport SK8 2AA
0161 428 2396

Cheadle Hulme**Barradells**

21B The Shopping Centre, Cheadle Hulme
Stockport SK8 5BB
0161 485 1164

Davenport**Knuttons**

132 Bramhall Lane, Davenport
Stockport SK3 8SB
0161 456 3623

Gatley**Optique Limited**

179 Gatley Road, Gatley, Cheadle
Cheshire SK8 4BB
0161 428 4858

Hazel Grove**Harries Opticians**

313 London Road, Hazel Grove
Stockport SK7 4PS
0161 483 9009

Heald Green**Ashworth Opticians**

214 Finney Lane, Heald Green
Stockport SK8 3QA
0161 437 3400

Heaton Moor**FSL Opticians Ltd**

1A Moorside Road, Heaton Moor
Stockport SK4 4DT
0161 442 8141

STOCKPORT CONTINUED**Marple****Ridings Opticians**

39 Market Street, Marple
Stockport SK6 7AA
0161 427 4945

Roger Fisher

29 Stockport Road, Marple
Stockport SK6 6BD
0161 427 1319

Offerton**T J Warburton Optometrist**

415 Hempshaw Lane, Offerton
Stockport SK1 4QA
0161 480 6432

Reddish**Dixon Optometrists**

416 Reddish Road, Reddish
Stockport SK5 7AA
0161 432 8101

Romiley**Garlands Opticians**

14 Berrycroft Lane, Romiley
Stockport SK6 3AU
0161 430 5198

Taylor & Dewhurst

33 Compstall Road, Romiley
Stockport SK6 4BT
0161 430 2037

Stockport**Aarons**

46 St. Petersgate
Stockport SK1 1HL
0161 480 4307

Boots Opticians Professional Services

47-49 Merseyway
Stockport SK1 1PU
0161 429 0515

John Lyne Opticians

15 Great Underbank, Chestergate
Stockport SK1 1LF
0161 474 0974

Kay-Downs Opticians (formally Maloney opticians)

20 Bridge Street
Stockport SK1 1XR
0161 480 4980

Specsavers

50-52 Princes Street
Stockport SK1 1RY
0161 477 6161

TAMESIDE & GLOSSOP

Ashton-Under-Lyne

Boots Opticians Professional Services
15-17 Staveleigh Way, Ashton-Under-Lyne
Lancashire OL6 7JL
0161 308 4428

John Blease

15 Fletcher Street, Ashton-Under-Lyne
Lancashire OL6 6BY
0161 330 2321

Muldoon & Tonge

178 Stamford Street, Ashton-Under-Lyne
Lancashire OL6 7LR
0161 330 4643

Tameside & Glossop PCT

Ashton Primary Care Centre
193 Old St., Ashton-Under-Lyne, OL6 7SR
0844 811 1020

Denton

Cartwright Optometrists
41 Manchester Road, Denton
Manchester M34 3JU
0161 336 3726

Dollond & Aitchison

32 Manchester Road, Denton
Manchester M34 3LE
0161 336 6944

Tameside & Glossop PCT

Ann Street Health Centre, Denton
Manchester M34 2AJ
0844 811 1020

Droylsden

Selby & Glover
393 Manchester Road, Droylsden
Manchester M43 6QF
0161 370 1017

C. H. Wass & Son Optometrists

48-50 Ashton Road, Droylsden
Manchester M43 7BP
0161 370 2037

Dukinfield

Roberts Opticians
125 King Street, Dukinfield
Cheshire SK16 4JZ
0161 330 2394

Tameside & Glossop PCT

Dewsnap Lane Clinic, Dukinfield
Cheshire SK16 5AW
0844 811 1020

Glossop

Dollond & Aitchison
23 High Street West, Glossop
Derbyshire SK13 8AL
01457 852523

A. Jacksons Opticians

27 High Street West, Glossop
Derbyshire SK13 8AZ
01457 852233

TAMESIDE & GLOSSOP CONTINUED

Glossop continued

Sarah Dineen Opticians
107A Station Road, Hadfield, Glossop
Derbyshire SK13 1AA
01457 868111

Tameside & Glossop PCT

Shire Hill Hospital, Bute Street,
Glossop, Derbyshire SK13 7QP
0844 811 1020

Hyde

D. J. Artingstall & Partner

3 Clarendon Street, Hyde
Cheshire SK14 2EL
0161 368 7460

Dollond & Aitchison

2 The Square, Hyde
Cheshire SK14 2QR
0161 368 2303

Mitchell Opticians

88 Market Street, Hyde
Cheshire SK14 1ES
0161 368 1183

Stalybridge

Stalybridge Eyecare

47 Melbourne Street, Stalybridge
Cheshire SK15 2JJ
0161 338 2561

Steve Mayer Opticians

46a Grosvenor Street, Stalybridge
Cheshire SK15 1RR
0161 303 7773

TRAFFORD

Altrincham

Toll Opticians

9 Ashley Road, Altrincham
Cheshire WA14 2DT
0161 928 0566

Ross Maskell

16 Regent Road, Altrincham
Cheshire WA14 1RP
0161 941 6517

Specsavers

95 George Street, Altrincham
Cheshire WA14 1RN
0161 929 5555

Susan Wright Ltd

1 Regent Road, Altrincham
Cheshire WA14 1RY
0161 928 1891



Ashton on Mersey

David Arnold Opticians Ltd

17 Green Lane, Ashton on Mersey, Sale
Cheshire M33 5PN
0161 973 3674

Sale

Dollond & Aitchison

33 School Road, Sale
Cheshire M33 7YE
0161 973 3454

Maloney Opticians

28 School Road, Sale
Cheshire M33 7XF
0161 905 1104

Specsavers

16 Market Walk, Sale
Cheshire M33 7ZZ
0161 969 2001

Sale Moor

Clare Haggerty

111 Northenden Road, Sale Moor
Manchester M33 3HF
0161 973 5065

Stretford

Specsavers

15 Stretford Mall, Chester Road, Stretford
Manchester M32 9BA
0161 866 9836

Timperley

David Jenrick

230 Stockport Road, Timperley
Cheshire WA15 7UN
0161 980 6323

Timperley continued

Richard Dent

371 Stockport Road, Timperley
Cheshire WA15 7UR
0161 904 8126

Urmston

Rabin Opticians

138 Flixton Road, Urmston
Manchester M41 5BG
0161 748 2501

Stotts Opticians

8 Crofts Bank Road, Urmston
Manchester M41 0TS
0161 748 4920

Thomas Carter Opticians

4 Station Road, Urmston
Manchester M41 9JN
0161 747 5555

Where can I find out more?

The accompanying facts leaflet gives more information about screening for diabetic eye disease, and about how your photographs and details will be stored on computer. If you have any questions, please contact the Salford Screening Administration Team on:

0161 212 2100

Will I get reminders?

Yes. A new computer system will store all the photos and will keep track of when you are due for screening. You will receive your reminder from the central office but should make your own appointment with an optometrist.

You will need to give the optometrist the PIN number printed on the letter so that they can find your screening details. The central office gets your address from your GP, so remember to keep your address details up to date with your GP or the system won't work for you. Your optometrist will write to you separately about your sight test.

When will I get my results?

You may get a provisional result at the time of screening. But, as many photographs are checked by a second person to reduce mistakes, you will get the final result in writing from the central office within 4 weeks.

If you want to see any more of your screening information that is stored on computer, please contact the office on 0161 212 2100 and they will be pleased to help.



Where can I get general advice on NHS Services?

You can contact your local PALS service on:

Manchester PCT
0161 219 9495 or
0161 958 4117

NHS Salford
0161 212 4832

Stockport PCT
0161 426 5888

Tameside & Glossop PCT
0161 922 4466

Trafford PCT
0161 746 2019