

Eye Communication Booklet



Ophthalmology Department Hertford County Hospital

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Welcome to Clinic D, Hertford County Hospital. Please tell the Receptionist your name.

Do you have a Purple Folder and glasses?



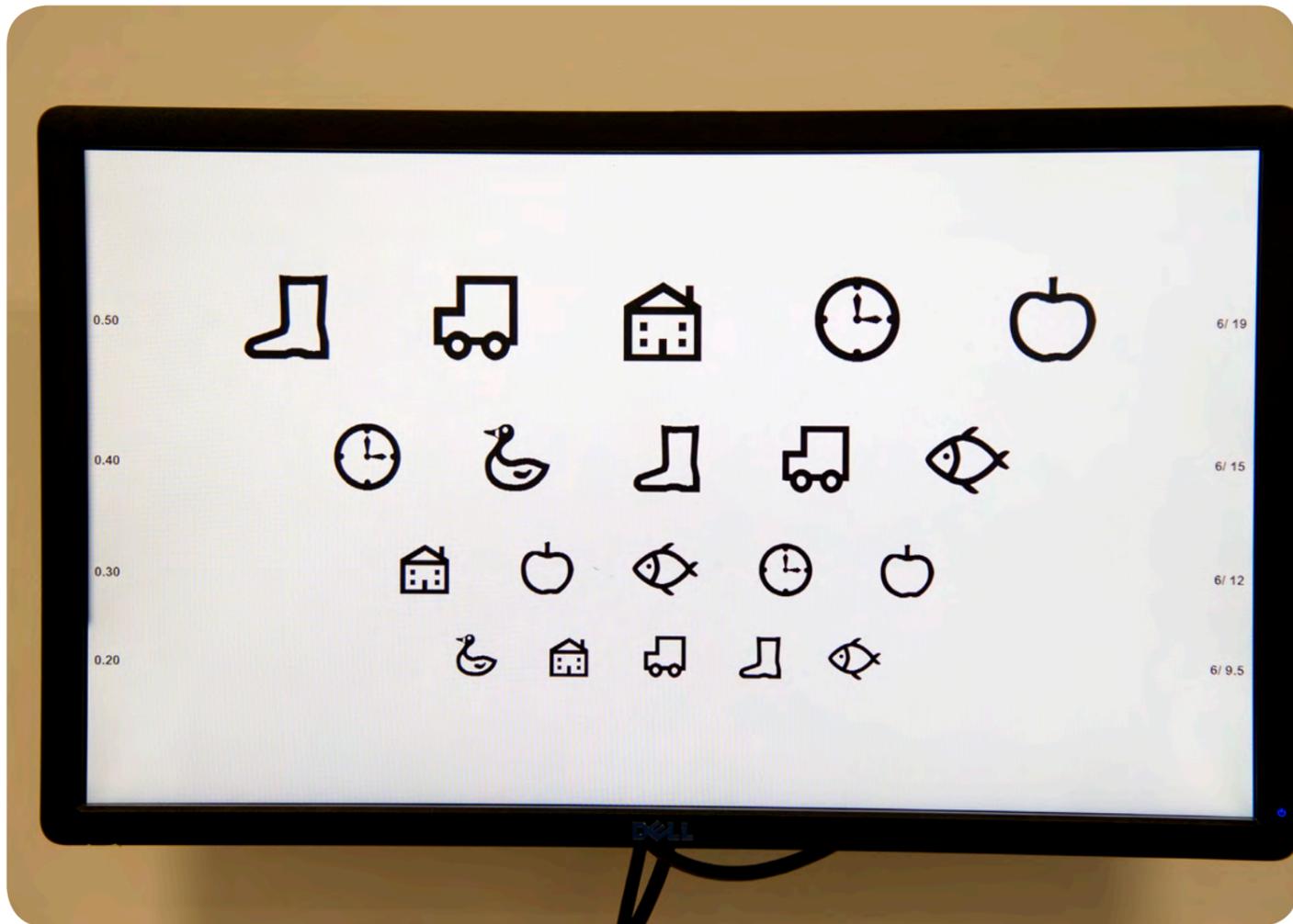
Do you have a Purple Folder?



Do you have any Glasses?



Vision testing



Can you say or sign names of pictures?



Can you say or sign letters?





The nurse will cover one of your eyes to test your vision

Seeing the doctor

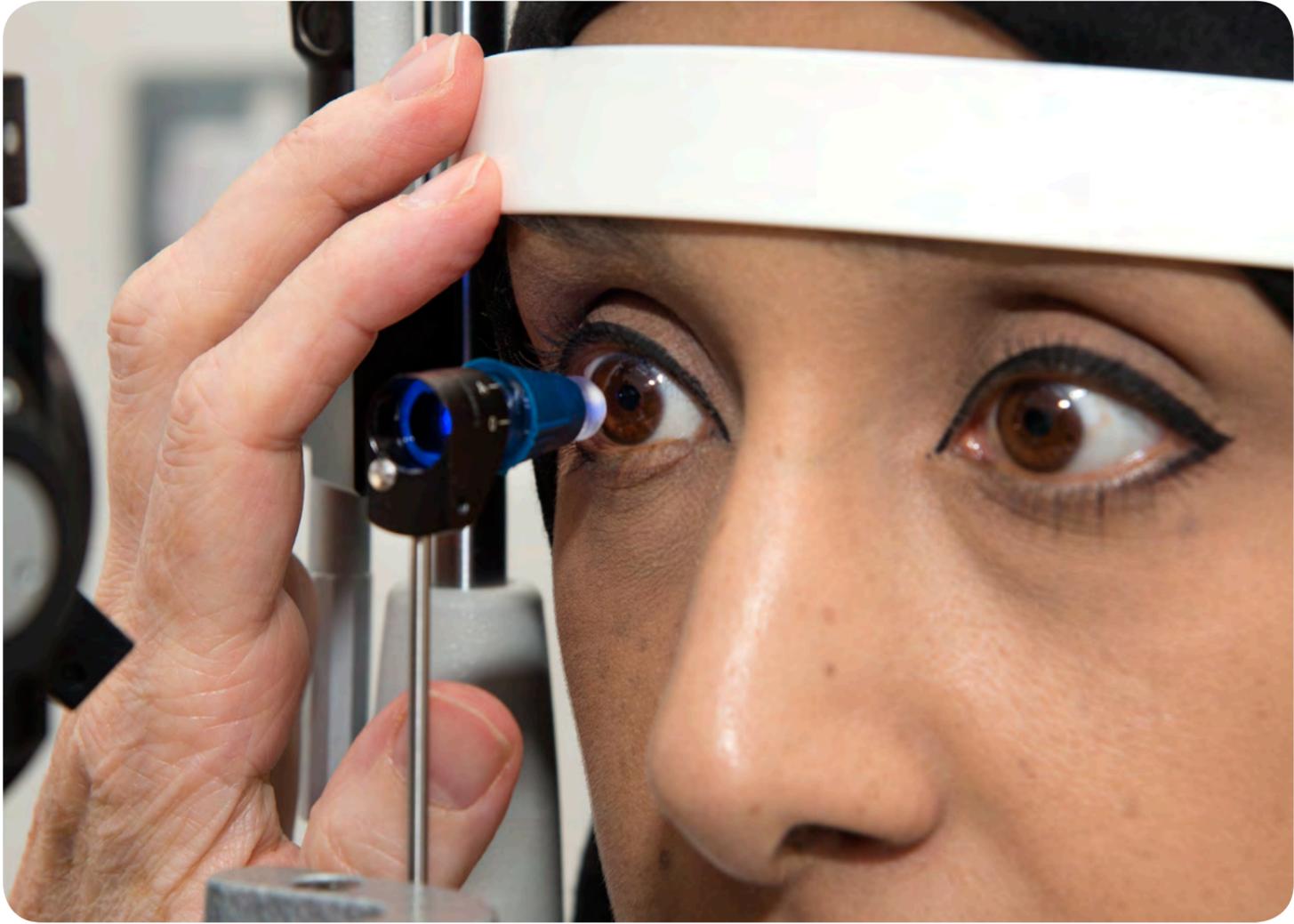


Please sit and wait.



The doctor will call your name and talk to you about your eyes.

Testing Intraocular pressure



The doctor will ask you to look straight ahead. Please sit still. Some machines blow a puff of air into your eye or touch your eye gently. It feels strange, but this test needs to be done.

Eye drops



These are the eye drops.



The doctor may ask to put drops in your eyes. The drops will make you blink.

Waiting



The eye drops will take about 20 minutes to work.

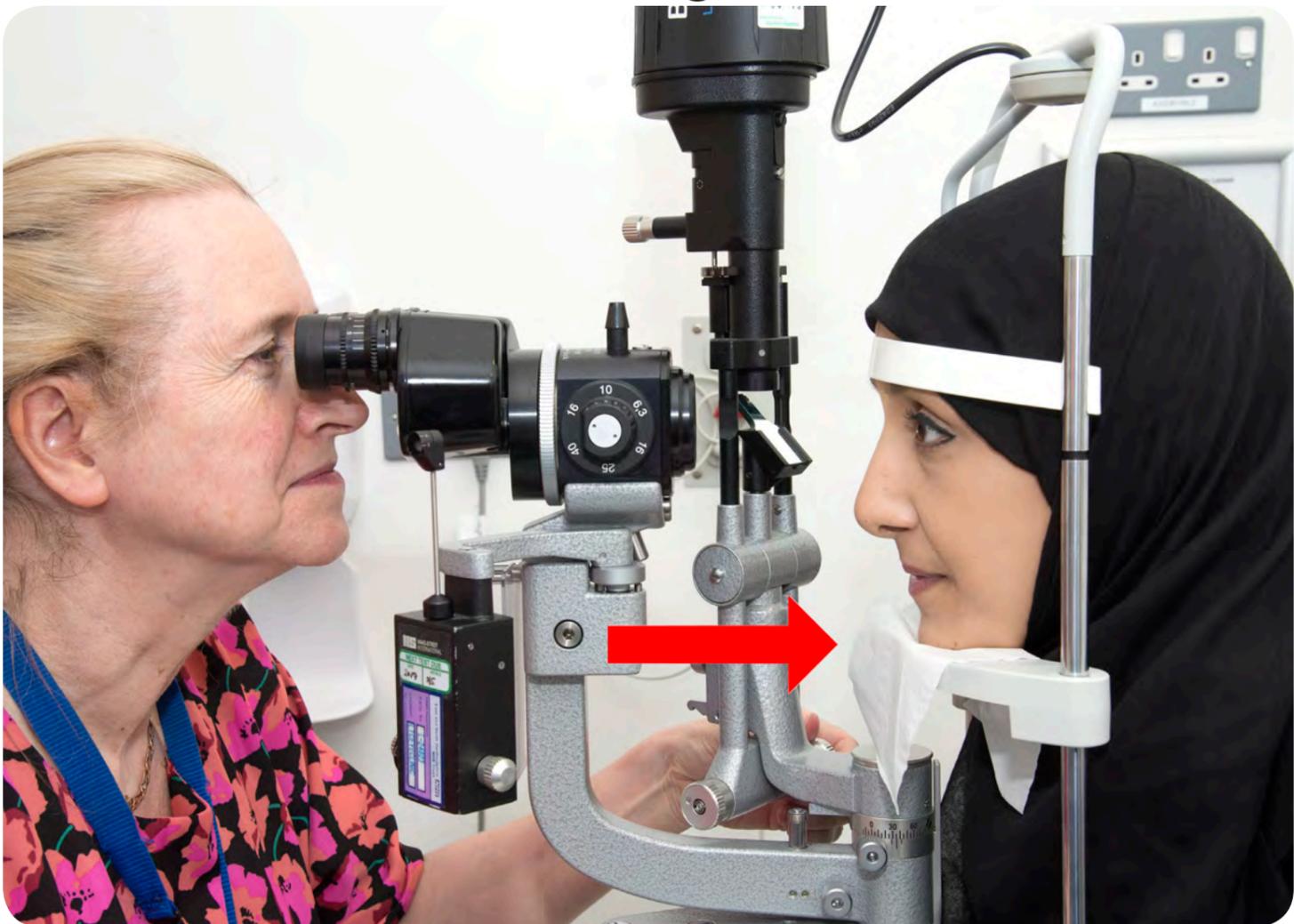


Please sit and wait.

Slit- Lamp examination



The doctor will ask you to come into their room again.



The doctor will ask you to sit at a special machine, like this. You will see a bright light.



The doctor may touch your eye lid.

Optometry examination

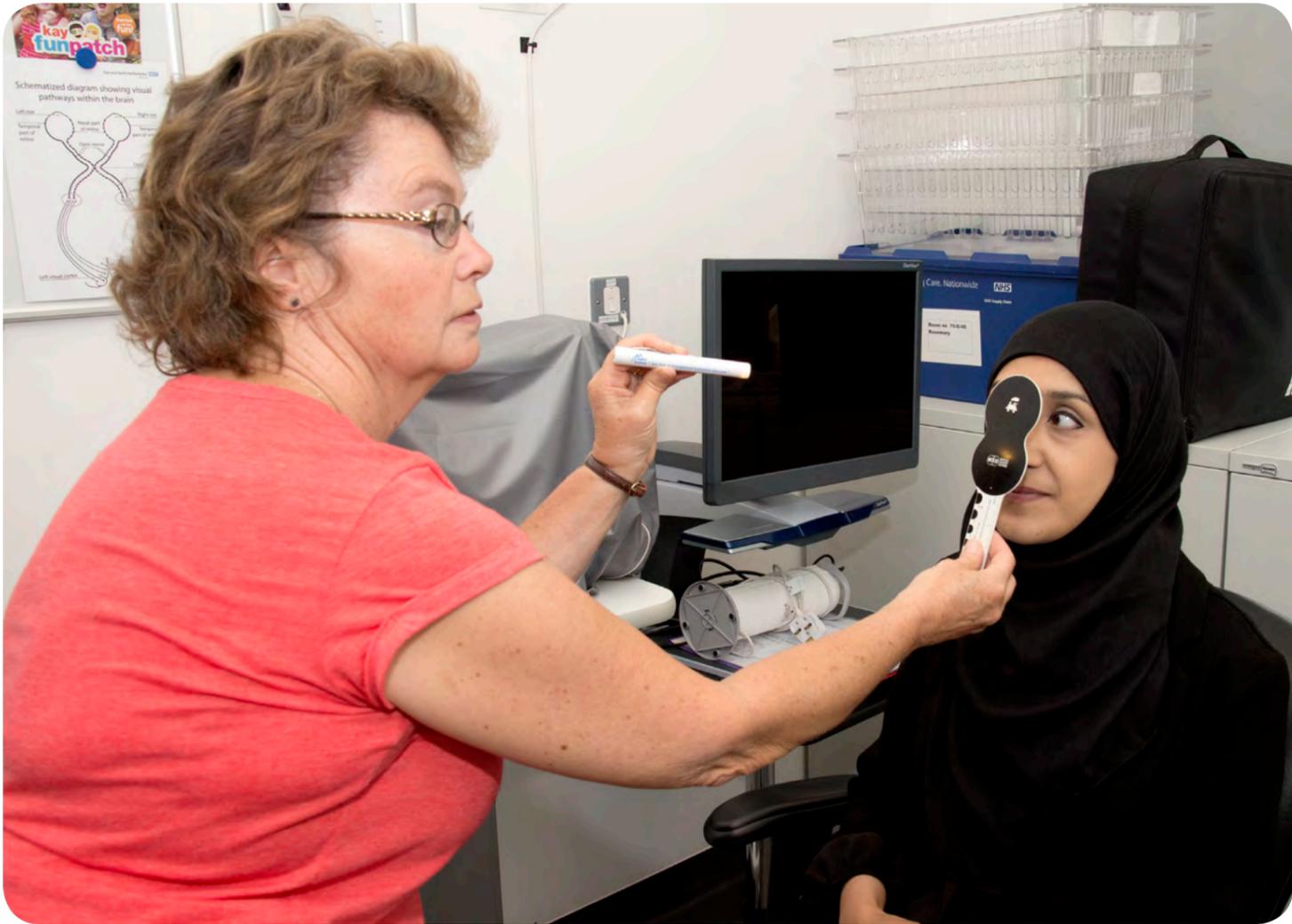


The optometrist will place special glasses on your face



The optometrist will use a bright light to look at your eye.

Orthoptic examination

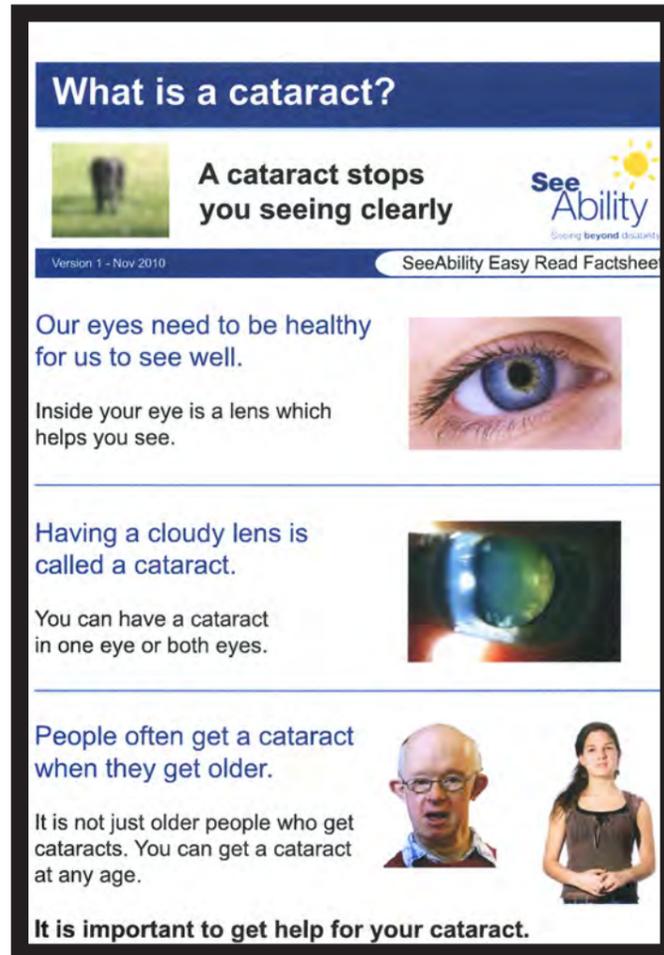


The orthoptist will ask you to look at the light or an object.



The orthoptist may ask you to look through a special window bar.

Leaflets



Please ask for an information leaflet on your condition.



Please ask for comments leaflet if needed.



Prescription



The doctor may give you a prescription form for eye drops.



Please take your prescription form to the local pharmacy chemist

Departing / end of appointment



Please go to reception to say goodbye and ask for your next appointment.



Goodbye.