# Retinopathy of Prematurity

## Children's Special Health Parent's Sheet

#### **Description**

Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP) is a pathological process that occurs in immature retinal tissue and can progress to retinal detachment or can result in blindness. The normal pattern of progressive blood vessel growth within the retina is interrupted by premature birth.

#### What services will CSH cover?

- Only **providers** listed on the Eligibility Letter will be paid
- Labs/Tests must be performed by a Wyoming Medicaid provider
- Well Child Checks (coverage limited to Pediatrician) according to AAP Periodicity Schedule
- Medications
  - None
- Equipment/Supplies
  - Eyeglasses (Not for refractive errors only)

Contact CSH for questions regarding additional medication and/or equipment/supplies

### Minimum requirements for coverage to continue with CSH:

- Compliance of medical care and care coordination
- Annual review with Public Health Nurse, financial eligibility
- Please keep your Public Health Nurse informed of any changes throughout the year for example: address, provider, diagnosis and/or insurance coverage
- Keep in contact with the local Public Health Office for additional requirements





