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Define 1-Day ACUVUE Brand Contact Lenses

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1.0 Indications for Use

The 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses are indicated for daily disposble wear to enhance or alter the appearance of the eye. These lenses are also indicated for the optical correction of refractive ametropia (myopia and hyperopia) in phakic or aphakic persons with non-diseased eyes who may have 1.00D or less of astigmatism.

The 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses contain a UV Blocker to help proect against transmission of harmful UV radiation to the cornea and into the eye.

1.1 Purpose

1.1.1 Single use

1.1.2 Prescription use only

CAUTION: U.S. federal law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a licensed practitioner.

1.1.3 Where used

Indicated for use in any clinical or non-clinical environment.

1.2 Intended Use Population

Indicated for use in the general population.

2.0 Individual Patient Selection Considerations

Patients selected to wear 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses should be chosen based on:

- Motivation to wear lenses
- Ability to follow instructions regarding lens wear
- General health
- Ability to adequately handle and care for the lenses
- Ability to understand the risk and benefits of lens wear

Patients who do not meet the above criteria should not be provided with contact lenses.

- Patients who wear the 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses to correct presbyopia using monovision may not achieve the best corrected visual acuity for either far or near vision. Visual requirements vary with the individual and should be considered when selecting the most appropriate type of lens for each patient.

3.0 Contraindications

DO NOT USE the 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses when any of the following conditions exist:

- Acute or subacute inflammation or infection of the anterior chamber of the eye
- Any eye disease, injury or abnormality that affects the cornea, conjunctiva or eyelids
- Severe insufficiency of lacrimal secretion (dry eye)
- Corneal hypoesthesia (reduced corneal sensitivity)
- Any systemic disease that may affect the eye or be exaggerated by wearing contact lenses
- Ocular irritation due to allergic reactions which may be caused by use of contact lens solution (i.e., rewetting eye drops) that contain chemicals or preservatives (such as mercury or Thimerosal, etc.) to which some people may develop an allergic response

- Allergic reactions of ocular surfaces or adnexa that may be induced or exaggerated by wearing contact lenses
- Any active corneal infection (bacterial, fungal, protozoal or viral)
- If eyes become red or irritated

4.0 General Warnings and Precautions

4.1 Eye Problems leading to Vision Loss

Patients should be advised of the following warnings pertaining to contact lens wear:

EYE PROBLEMS, INCLUDING CORNEAL ULCERS, CAN DEVELOP RAPIDLY AND LEAD TO LOSS OF VISION; IF THE PATIENT EXPERIENCES:

- **Eye discomfort,**
- **Excessive Tearing,**
- **Vision Changes,**
- **Loss of Vision,**
- **Eye Redness,**
- **Or Other Eye Problems,**

THE PATIENT SHOULD BE INSTRUCTED TO IMMEDIATELY REMOVE THE LENSES AND PROMPTLY CONTACT THE EYE CARE PROFESSIONAL.

- When prescribed for daily wear, patients should be instructed not to wear lenses while sleeping. Clinical studies have shown that the risk of serious adverse reactions is increased when lenses are worn overnight, and that the risk of ulcerative keratitis is greater for extended wear contact lens users than for daily wear users.[3]
- Studies have shown that contact lens wearers who are smokers have a higher incidence of adverse reactions than nonsmokers.
- Problems with contact lenses or lens care products could result in serious injury to the eye. Patients should be cautioned that proper use and care of contact lenses and lens care products are essential for the safe use of these products.
- The overall risk of ulcerative keratitis may be reduced by carefully following directions for lens care.

4.2 Specific Instructions for Use and Warnings about Water Activity

Water can harbor microorganisms that can lead to severe infection, vision loss or blindness. If lenses have been submersed in water when participating in water sports or swimming in pools, hot tubs, lakes or oceans, the patient should be instructed to discard them and replace them with a new pair. The Eye Care Professional should be consulted for recommendations regarding wearing lenses during any activity involving water.

Do not expose contact lenses to water while wearing them.

4.3 UV Absorption and Radiation Exposure

WARNING: UV absorbing contact lenses are NOT substitutes for protective UV absorbing eyewear, such as UV absorbing goggles or sunglasses because they do not completely cover the eye and surrounding area. The patient should continue to use UV absorbing eyewear as directed. Long-term exposure to UV radiation is one of the risk factors associated with cataracts. Exposure is based on a number of factors such as environmental conditions (altitude, geography, cloud cover) and personal factors (extent and nature of outdoor activities). UV–blocking contact lenses help provide protection against harmful UV radiation. However, clinical studies have not been done to demonstrate that wearing UV–blocking contact lenses reduces the risk of developing cataracts or other eye disorders. The Eye Care Professional should be consulted for more information.

4.4 Special Precautions for Eye Care Professionals

- Fluorescein, a yellow dye, should not be used while the lenses are on the eyes. The lenses absorb this dye and become discolored. Whenever fluorescein is used in eyes, the eyes should be flushed with a sterile saline solution that is recommended for in-eye use.
- Due to the small number of patients enrolled in clinical investigation of lenses, all refractive powers, design configurations or lens parameters available in the lens material are not evaluated in significant numbers. Consequently, when selecting an appropriate lens design and parameters, the Eye Care Professional should consider all characteristics of the lens that can affect lens performance and ocular health, including oxygen permeability, wettability, central and peripheral thickness, and optic zone diameter.

  The potential impact of these factors on the patient's ocular health should be carefully weighed against the patient's need for refractive correction; therefore, the continuing ocular health of the patient and lens performance on the eye should be carefully monitored by the prescribing Eye Care Professional.

4.5 Instructions for Patients

Eye Care Professionals should carefully instruct patients about the following care regimen and safety precautions:

4.5.1 Handling precautions

- **DO NOT** use if the sterile blister package is opened or damaged.
- Always wash and rinse hands before handling lenses. Do not get cosmetics, lotions, soaps, creams, deodorants or sprays in the eyes or on the lenses. It is best to put on lenses before putting on makeup. Water-based cosmetics are less likely to damage lenses than oil-based products.
- **DO NOT** touch contact lenses with the fingers or hands if the hands are not free of foreign materials, as microscopic scratches of the lenses may occur, causing distorted vision and/or injury to the eye.
- Carefully follow the handling, application, removal, cleaning, disinfecting, storing and wearing instructions in the "Patient Instruction Guide" for the 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses and those prescribed by the Eye Care Professional.
- Always handle lenses carefully and avoid dropping them.
- Never use tweezers or other tools to remove lenses from the lens container unless specifically indicated for that use. Slide the lens up the side of the bowl until it is free of the container.
- Do not touch the lens with fingernails.

4.5.2 Lens wearing precautions

- Due to the reduction in light transmittance with cosmetically tinted lenses, some patients may experience visual symptoms while wearing the 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses. In addition, some patients may experience peripheral awareness due to the opaque iris pattern.
- If the lens sticks (stops moving) on the eye, follow the recommended directions in "Care for a Sticking (Non-Moving) Lens". The lens should move freely on the eye for the continued health of the eye. If non-movement of the lens continues, the patient should be instructed to immediately consult the Eye Care Professional.
- Never wear lenses beyond the period recommended by the Eye Care Professional.
- The patient should be advised to never allow anyone else to wear their lenses. They have been prescribed to fit their eyes and to correct their vision to the degree necessary. Sharing lenses greatly increases the chance of eye infections.
- If aerosol products, such as hair spray, are used while wearing lenses, exercise caution and keep eyes closed until the spray has settled.
- Avoid all harmful or irritating vapors and fumes while wearing lenses.

4.5.3 Lens care precautions

- The patient should be informed that no cleaning or disinfection is needed when lenses are worn for daily disposable wear. Patients should always dispose of lenses when removed and have spare lenses or spectacles available.

4.5.4 Emergencies

The patient should be informed that if chemicals of any kind (household products, gardening solutions, laboratory chemicals, etc.) are splashed into the eyes, the patient should: FLUSH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH TAP WATER AND IMMEDIATELY CONTACT THE EYE CARE PROFESSIONAL OR VISIT A HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOM WITHOUT DELAY.

4.5.5 Other topics to discuss with patients

- Always contact the Eye Care Professional before using any medicine in the eyes.
- Certain medications, such as antihistamines, decongestants, diuretics, muscle relaxants, tranquilizers and those for motion sickness may cause dryness of the eye, increased lens awareness or blurred vision. Should such conditions exist, proper remedial measures should be prescribed. Depending on the severity, this could include the use of lubricating drops that are indicated for use with soft contact lenses or the temporary discontinuance of contact lens wear while such medication is being used.
- Oral contraceptive users could develop visual changes or changes in lens tolerance when using contact lenses. Patients should be cautioned accordingly.
- As with any contact lens, follow-up visits are necessary to assure the continuing health of the patient's eyes. The patient should be instructed as to a recommended follow-up schedule.

The patient should be instructed to conduct a simple 3-part self-examination at least once a day. They should ask themselves:

- How do the lenses feel on my eyes?
- How do my eyes look?
- Have I noticed a change in my vision?

If the patient reports any problems, he or she should be instructed to IMMEDIATELY REMOVE THE LENS. If the problem or discomfort stops, the patient should discard the lens and place a new fresh lens on the eye.

If after inserting the new lens, the problem continues, the patient should be directed to IMMEDIATELY REMOVE THE LENS AND CONTACT THE EYE CARE PROFESSIONAL.

The patient should be instructed NOT to use a new lens as self-treatment for the problem.

The patient should be advised that when any of the above symptoms occur, a serious condition such as infection, corneal ulcer, neovascularization or iritis may be present. The patient should be instructed to seek immediate professional identification of the problem and prompt treatment to avoid serious eye damage.

4.5.6 Who should know that the patient is wearing contact lenses?

- Patients should inform all doctors (Health Care Professionals) about being a contact lens wearer.
- Patients should always inform their employer of being a contact lens wearer. Some jobs may require use of eye protection equipment or may require that the patient not wear contact lenses.

5.0 Adverse Events

Due to the reduction in light transmittance with cosmetically tinted lenses, some patients may experience visual symptoms while wearing the 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses. In addition, some patients may experience peripheral awareness due to the opaque iris pattern.

The patient should be informed that the following problems may occur when wearing contact lenses:

- The eye may burn, sting and/or itch.
- There may be less comfort than when the lens was first placed on the eye.
- There may be a feeling of something in the eye (foreign body, scratched area).
- There may be the potential for some temporary impairment due to peripheral infiltrates, peripheral corneal ulcers or corneal erosion. There may be the potential for other physiological observations, such as local or generalized edema, corneal neovascularization, corneal staining, injection, tarsal abnormalities, iritis and conjunctivitis; some of which are clinically acceptable in low amounts.
- There may be excessive watering, unusual eye secretions or redness of the eye.
- Poor visual acuity, blurred vision, rainbows or halos around objects, photophobia or dry eyes may also occur if the lenses are worn continuously or for too long a time.

6.0 Device Description

The 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Brand Contact Lenses with LACREON® Technology are soft (hydrophilic) contact lenses available as spherical lenses. The lens material (etafilcon A) is a copolymer of 2-hydroxyethyl methacrylate and methacrylic acid cross-linked with 1, 1, 1-trimethylol propane trimethacrylate and ethylene glycol dimethacrylate.

The 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Brand Contact Lenses are tinted blue using Reactive Blue Dye #4 to make the lenses more visible for handling. The lenses contain a pigmented area that will alter or enhance the appearance of the natural iris. The lens is colored with one or more of the following color additives: iron oxides, titanium dioxide, phthalocyaninato (2-) copper, phythalocyanine green, and Reactive Blue Dye #4.

The 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses are available in the following variants (i.e., patterns):

- ACCENT STYLE
- NATURAL SHIMMER™
- NATURAL SHINE™
- NATURAL SPARKLE™
- VIVID STYLE

A benzotriazole UV absorbing monomer is used to block UV radiation. The UV Blocking averages 97% in the UVB range of 280 nm to 315 nm and 81% in the UVA range of 316 nm to 380 nm.

6.1 Available Lens Parameters

The 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses are hemispherical shells of the following dimensions:

Diameter:	14.20 mm
Center Thickness:	Low minus lens-varies with power (e.g., -3.00D, 0.084 mm)
	Plus lens-varies with power (e.g., +1.00D, 0.130 mm)
Base Curve:	8.5 mm
Power Range:	-9.00D to -6.50D (in 0.50D increments)
	-6.00D to -0.25D (in 0.25D increments)
	0.00 to +1.00D (in 0.50D increments)

6.2 Lens Properties

The physical/optical properties of the lens are:

- Specific Gravity (calculated): 0.98 – 1.13
- Refractive Index: 1.40
- Light Transmittance: 70% minimum
- Surface Character: Hydrophilic
- Water Content: 58%

6.3 Oxygen Permeability

VALUE	METHOD
21.4 x 10^{-11} (cm^2/sec) (ml O_2/ml x mm Hg) at 35°C	Fatt (boundary corrected, edge corrected)
28.0 x 10^{-11} (cm^2/sec) (ml O_2/ml x mm Hg) at 35°C	Fatt (boundary corrected, non-edge corrected)

6.4 How Supplied

Each sterile lens is supplied in a foil-sealed plastic package containing buffered saline solution with povidone. The plastic package is marked with base curve, diameter, diopter power, variant, lot number, and expiration date.

6.5 Theory of Operation

In its hydrated state, the contact lens, when placed on the cornea, acts as a refracting medium to focus light rays onto the retina.

The UV Blocking for 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses averages 97% in the UVB range of 280 nm to 315 nm and 81% in the UVA range of 316 nm to 380 nm for the entire power range.

7.0 Instructions for Use

7.2 Preparation

7.2.1 General fitting guidelines

Pre-fitting examination

Initial evaluation of the patient should begin with a thorough case history to determine if there are any contraindications to contact lens wear. During the case history, the patient's visual needs and expectations should be determined as well as an assessment of their overall ocular, physical, and mental health.

Preceding the initial selection of trial contact lenses, a comprehensive ocular evaluation should be performed that includes, but is not limited to, the measurement of distance and near visual acuity, distance and near refractive prescription (including determining the preferred reading distance for presbyopes), keratometry, and biomicroscopic evaluation.

Based on this evaluation, if it is determined that the patient is eligible to wear the 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses, the Eye Care Professional should proceed to the lens fitting instructions as outlined below.

Initial Power Determination

A spectacle refraction should be performed to establish the patient's baseline refractive status and to guide in the selection of the appropriate lens power. Remember to compensate for vertex distance if the refraction is greater than ±4.00D.

7.2.2 Monovision fitting guidelines

Monovision needs assessment

For a good prognosis, the patient should have adequately corrected distance and near visual acuity in each eye. The amblyopic patient with significant astigmatism (greater than 1.00D) in one eye may not be a good candidate for monovision correction with the 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses.

Occupational and environmental visual demands should be considered. If the patient requires critical vision (visual acuity and stereopsis), it should be determined by trial whether this patient can function adequately with monovision correction. Monovision contact lens wear may not be optimal for such activities as:

1. visually demanding situations such as operating potentially dangerous machinery or performing other potentially hazardous activities; and
2. driving automobiles (e.g., driving at night). Patients who cannot pass their state driver's license requirements with monovision correction should be advised to not drive with this correction, or may require that additional over-correction be prescribed.

Patient education

All patients do not function equally well with monovision correction. Patients may not perform as well for certain tasks with this correction as they have with spectacles (multifocal, bifocal, trifocal, readers or progressives). Each patient should understand that monovision, as well as other presbyopic alternatives, can create a vision compromise that may reduce visual acuity and depth perception for distance and near tasks. Therefore, caution should be exercised. During the fitting process, it is necessary for the patient to realize the disadvantages as well as the advantages of clear near vision and straight ahead and upward gaze that monovision contact lenses provide.

Eye selection

Generally, the non-dominant eye is corrected for near vision. The following two methods for eye dominance can be used.

1. **Ocular Preference Determination Methods**

   Method 1: Determine which eye is the "sighting eye." Have the patient point to an object at the far end of the room. Cover one eye. If the patient is still pointing directly at the object, the eye being used is the dominant (sighting) eye.

   Method 2: Determine which eye will accept the added power with the least reduction in vision. Place a hand-held trial lens equal to the spectacle near ADD in front of one eye and then the other while the distance refractive error correction is in place for both eyes. Determine whether the patient functions best with the near ADD lens over the right or left eye.

   Other methods include the "Refractive Error Method" and the "Visual Demands Method."

2. **Refractive Error Method**

   For anisometropic correction, it is generally best to fit the more hyperopic (less myopic) eye for distance and the more myopic (less hyperopic) eye for near.

3. **Visual Demands Method**

   Consider the patient's occupation during the eye selection process to determine the critical vision requirements. If a patient's gaze for near tasks is usually in one direction, correct the eye on that side for near.

Unilateral vision correction requirement

There are circumstances where only one contact lens is required for vision correction purposes (e.g., presbyopic emmetripoc patient would only require a near lens, whereas a bilateral myope would require corrective lenses on both eyes).

Due to the indication of altering and/or enhancing the natural appearance of the eye, the non-corrected eye may be fit with a 0.00D lens to ensure consistent appearance.

Example: A presbyopic emmetropic patient who requires a +1.75D ADD would have a +1.75D lens on the near eye and a 0.00D lens (uncorrected) may be fit on the other eye.

A presbyopic patient requiring a +1.50D ADD who is –2.50D myopic in the right eye and –1.50D myopic in the left eye may have the right eye corrected for distance and the left eye may be fit with a 0.00D lens (uncorrected) for near.

Near ADD determination

Always prescribe the lens power for the near eye that provides optimal near acuity at the midpoint of the patient's habitual reading distance. However, when more than one power provides optimal reading performance, prescribe the least plus (most minus) of the powers.

7.3 Use

7.3.1 Base curve selection (trial lens fitting)

For the 1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses, an 8.5 mm/14.2 mm trial lens should be selected for patients regardless of keratometry readings. However, corneal curvature measurements should be performed to establish the patient's baseline ocular status.

The trial lens should be placed on each of the patient's eyes and evaluated after the patient has adjusted to the lenses.

Criteria of a properly fit lens

A properly fit lens will center and completely cover the cornea (i.e., no limbal exposure), have sufficient movement to provide tear exchange under the contact lens with the blink, and be comfortable. The lens should move freely when manipulated digitally with the lower lid, and then return to its properly centered position when released.

Criteria of a flat fitting lens

A flat fitting lens may exhibit one or more of the following characteristics: decentration, incomplete corneal coverage (i.e., limbal exposure), excessive movement with the blink and/or edge standoff. If the lens is judged to be flat fitting, it should not be dispensed to the patient.

Criteria of a steep fitting lens

A steep fitting lens may exhibit one or more of the following characteristics: insufficient movement with the blink, conjunctival indentation and resistance when pushing the lens up digitally with the lower lid. If the lens is judged to be steep fitting, it should not be dispensed to the patient.

7.3.2 Final lens power

A spherical over-refraction should be performed to determine the final lens power after the lens fit is judged acceptable. The spherical over-refraction should be combined with the trial lens power to determine the final lens prescription. The patient should experience good visual acuity with the correct lens power unless there is excessive residual astigmatism.

Example 1	
Diagnostic lens:	-2.00D
Spherical over-refraction:	-0.25D
Final lens power:	-2.25D

Example 2	
Diagnostic lens:	-2.00D
Spherical over-refraction:	+0.25D
Final lens power:	-1.75D

If vision is acceptable, perform a slit lamp examination to confirm adequate fit (centration and movement). If the fit is acceptable, dispense the lenses and instruct the patient to return in one week for reassessment (see dispensing and follow up information in **PATIENT MANAGEMENT**).

7.3.3 Trial lens fitting – monovision

A trial fitting is performed in the office to allow the patient to experience monovision correction. Lenses are fit according to the **GENERAL FITTING GUIDELINES** for base curve selection described in this guide.

Case history and standard clinical evaluation procedure should be used to determine the prognosis. Determine the distance correction and the near correction. Next determine the near ADD. With trial lenses of the proper power in place, observe the reaction to this mode of correction.

Allow the lenses to settle for about 20 minutes with the correct power lenses in place. Walk across the room and have the patient look at you. Assess the patient's reaction to distance vision under these circumstances. Then have the patient look at familiar near objects such as a watch face or fingernails. Again assess the reaction. As the patient continues to look around the room at both near and distance objects, observe the reactions. Only after these vision tests are completed should the patient be asked to read print. Evaluate the patient's reaction to large print (e.g., typewritten copy) at first and then graduate to news print and finally smaller type sizes.

After the patient's performance under the above conditions is completed, tests of visual acuity and reading ability under conditions of moderately dim illumination should be attempted.

An initial unfavorable response in the office, while indicative of a guarded prognosis, should not immediately rule out a more extensive trial under the usual conditions in which a patient functions.

Adaptation

Visually demanding situations should be avoided during the initial wearing period. A patient may at first experience some mild blurred vision, dizziness, headaches and a feeling of slight imbalance. You should explain the adaptation symptoms to the patient. These symptoms may last for a brief minute or for several weeks. The longer these symptoms persist, the poorer the prognosis for successful adaptation.

To help in the adaptation process, the patient can be advised to first use the lenses in a comfortable familiar environment such as in the home.

Some patients feel that automobile driving performance may not be optimal during the adaptation process. This is particularly true when driving at night. Before driving a motor vehicle, it may be recommended that the patient be a passenger first to make sure that their vision is satisfactory for operating an automobile. During the first several weeks of wear (when adaptation is occurring), it may be advisable for the patient to only drive during optimal driving conditions. After adaptation and success with these activities, the patient should be able to drive under other conditions with caution.

Other suggestions

The success of the monovision technique may be further improved by having your patient follow the suggestions below:

- Have a third contact lens (distance power) to use when critical distance viewing is needed.
- Have a third contact lens (near power) to use when critical near viewing is needed.
- Having supplemental spectacles to wear over the monovision contact lenses for specific visual tasks may improve the success of monovision correction. This is particularly applicable for this patients who cannot their meet state driver's licensing requirements with a monovision correction.
- Make use of proper illumination when carrying out visual tasks.

Monovision fitting success can be improved by the following suggestions:

- Reverse the distance and near eyes if a patient is having trouble adapting.
- Refine the lens powers if there is trouble with adaptation. Accurate lens power is critical for presbyopic patients.
- Emphasize the benefits of clear near vision and straight-ahead and upward gaze with monovision.

The decision to fit a patient with a monovision correction is most appropriately left to the Eye Care Professional in conjunction with the patient after carefully considering the patient's needs.

All patients should be supplied with a copy of the "1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Brand Contact Lenses with LACREON® Technology (etafilcon A) Patient Instruction Guide." Copies are available for download at www.acuvue.com

- Before leaving the Eye Care Professional's office, the patient should be able to promptly remove lenses or should have someone else available who can remove the lenses for him or her.

7.4 After Use

7.4.1 Wearing schedule

The wearing schedule should be determined by the Eye Care Professional. Regular checkups, as determined by the Eye Care Professional, are also extremely important.

Patients tend to over wear the lenses initially. The Eye Care Professional should emphasize the importance of adhering to the initial maximum wearing schedule. Maximum wearing time should be determined by the Eye Care Professional based upon the patient's physiological eye condition, because individual response to contact lenses varies.
The maximum suggested wearing time for these lenses is:

DAYS	HOURS
1	6-8
2	8-10
3	10-12
4	12-14
5 and after	all waking hours

7.4.2 Replacement schedule

1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Contact Lenses when prescribed for daily disposable wear should be discarded upon removal.

When disposed of after a single daily use, these lenses may reduce the risk of developing giant papillary conjunctivitis.[4]

When worn as a daily disposable lens, the lenses may provide improved comfort for many patients who experience mild discomfort and itching associated with allergies during contact lens wear, compared to lenses replaced at intervals of greater than 2 weeks.

Clinical Research has shown that when worn on a daily disposable basis, these lenses may provide improved comfort for 2 out of 3 patients who reported suffering from discomfort associated with allergies during contact lens wear.

7.4.3 Lens care directions

When lenses are prescribed for daily disposable wear, the Eye Care Professional should provide the patient with appropriate and adequate warnings and instructions for daily disposable lens wear at the time they are dispensed.

The Eye Care Professional should review with patients that no cleaning or disinfection is needed with daily disposable lenses. Patients should always dispose of lenses when they are removed and have spare lenses or spectacles available.

Basic instructions

- Always wash, rinse, and dry hands before handling contact lenses.
- Do not use saliva or anything other than the recommended solutions for lubricating or rewetting lenses. Do not put lenses in the mouth.
- Eye Care Professionals may recommend a lubricating/rewetting solution which can be used to wet (lubricate) lenses while they are being worn to make them more comfortable.

Care for a sticking (non-moving) lens

If the lens sticks (stops moving), the patient should be instructed to apply a few drops of the recommended lubricating or rewetting solution directly to the eye and wait until the lens begins to move freely on the eye before removing it. If non-movement of the lens continues after a few minutes, the patient should **immediately** consult the Eye Care Professional.

7.4.4 Patient management

Dispensing visit

Each sterile lens is supplied in a foil-sealed plastic package containing buffered saline solution with povidone. To remove the lens from the container, peel back the foil seal, place a finger on the lens ,and slide the lens up the side of the bowl of the lens package until it is free of the container.

- Evaluate the physical fit and visual acuity of the lens on each eye.
- Teach the patient how to apply and remove his or her lenses.
- Explain the daily disposable lens wear and schedule a follow-up examination.
- PROVIDE THE PATIENT WITH A COPY OF THE "1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Brand
- Contact Lenses with LACREON® Technology PATIENT INSTRUCTION GUIDE." Copies are available for download at www.acuvue.com.

REVIEW THESE INSTRUCTIONS WITH THE PATIENT SO THAT HE OR SHE CLEARLY UNDERSTANDS THE PRESCRIBED WEARING AND REPLACEMENT SCHEDULES.

Follow-up examinations

Follow-up care (necessary to ensure continued successful contact lens wear) should include routine periodic progress examinations, management of specific problems, if any, and a review with the patient of the wear schedule, daily disposable modality, and proper lens handling procedures.

Recommended follow-up examination

1. One week from the initial lens dispensing to patient
2. One month post-dispensing
3. Every three to six months thereafter

NOTE: Preferably, at the follow-up visits, lenses should be worn for at least six hours.

Recommended procedures for follow-up visits

1. Solicit and record patient's symptoms, if any.
2. Measure visual acuity monocularly and binocularly at distance and near with the contact lenses.
3. Perform an over-refraction at distance and near to check for residual refractive error.
4. With the biomicroscope, judge the lens fitting characteristics (as described in the **GENERAL FITTING GUIDELINES**) and evaluate the lens surface for deposits and damage.
5. Following lens removal, examine the cornea and conjunctiva with the biomicroscope and fluorescein (unless contraindicated).
   - The presence of vertical corneal striae in the posterior central cornea and/or corneal neovascularization is indicative of excessive corneal edema.
   - The presence of corneal staining and/or limbal-conjunctival hyperemia can be indicative of an unclean lens, a reaction to solution preservatives, excessive lens wear and/or a poorly fitting lens.
   - Papillary conjunctival changes may be indicative of an unclean and/or damaged lens.
6. Periodically perform keratometry and spectacle refractions. The values should be recorded and compared to the baseline measurements.

If any observations are abnormal, use professional judgment to alleviate the problem and restore the eye to optimal conditions. If the criteria for successful fit are not satisfied during any follow-up examinations, repeat the patient's trial fitting procedure and refit the patient.

12.0 Glossary

12.1 Symbols Key

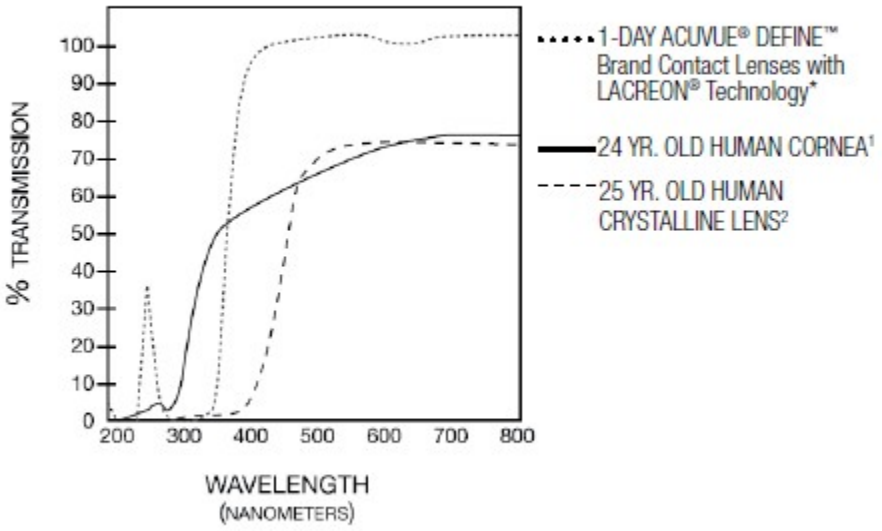
The following symbols may appear on the label or carton:

SYMBOL	DEFINITION
	Consult Instructions for Use
	Date of Manufacture
	Manufactured by or in
	Use By Date (expiration date)
LOT	Batch Code
STERILE	Sterile Using Steam or Dry Heat
DIA	Diameter
BC	Base Curve
D	Diopter (lens power)
CE 0086	Quality System Certification Symbol
	UV-Blocking
	Fee Paid for Waste Management
℞ Only	CAUTION: Federal law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a licensed practitioner
A	ACCENT STYLE
S_H	NATURAL SHIMMER™
N	NATURAL SHINE™
S_P	NATURAL SPARKLE™
V	VIVID STYLE

13.0 Resources

Transmittance curves

1-DAY ACUVUE® DEFINE™ Brand Contact Lenses with LACREON® Technology vs. 24 yr. old human cornea and 25 yr. old human crystalline lens.



* The data are representative measurements taken through the central 3-5 mm portion for the thinnest marketed lens (-3.00D lens, 0.084 mm center thickness).

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14.0 Contact and Reporting Information

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