You have been scheduled for an Urgent Evaluation with VitreoRetinal Surgery.

Important Information About Your Evaluation. Please Read:

1. Based on your scheduled Evaluation, your VRS Retinal Physician will determine if/when surgery is recommended. Forms of surgical care vary significantly. If surgery is recommended, your VRS physician will review your specific surgical plan with you.

2. If surgery is recommended, the day and time will be communicated to you, following your Evaluation. Next, you will meet with a Surgical Coordinator who will review additional details, including: the location of your surgery, your insurance coverage, the recovery process, etc. Both the surgical facility and surgeon will be determined, based on urgency.

3. Retinal surgeries require very specialized equipment, in a sterile operating room and cannot be performed in the clinic where you will be evaluated.

4. All VRS surgical facilities are located in the Minneapolis / St. Paul area. If you are traveling from outside the metro, you will need arrangements for overnight accommodations.

5. You will need a driver, to and from your Evaluation. You will also need to make plans to have someone stay with you overnight, if surgery is performed.

6. It is important that you do not eat or drink anything 8 hours prior to surgery, and surgery could possibly be scheduled within 1-2 hours following your Evaluation. Failure to accommodate this requirement may result in the delay or postponement of surgery.

7. On the day following surgery, plan on being seen again, for a post-op evaluation. (Again, you will need a driver.) This Evaluation allows our doctors to check your eye pressure and rule out any evidence of infection. After this evaluation you can schedule future appointments at the clinic most convenient for you. For additional information:

Call Toll-free: 800-877-2500 or Visit: www.VRSsurgery.com

Clinic Locations of VitreoRetinal Surgery PLLC

- **Blaine**: 11091 Ulysses Street NE, #200 Blaine 763-235-4104
- **Duluth**: North Shore Bank Place 4815 W Arrowhead Rd #210 Hermantown 218-625-5020
- **Edina**: Centennial Lakes Office Park 3601 W 76th St, Suite 300 Edina 952-929-1131
- **Minneapolis**: Park Avenue Medical Bldg. 710 E 24th Street #103 Mpls. 612-746-1515
- **Plymouth**: WestHealth Office Bldg. 2855 Campus Drive #510 Plymouth 763-550-1002
- **St. Cloud**: Midsota Center 3701 12th St. N #102 St. Cloud 320-654-8353
- **St. Paul**: Court International 2550 University Ave. W, #135N St. Paul 651-644-8993
- **Woodbury**: 7115 Tamarack Rd Suite 100 Woodbury 651-361-8100

Document: Patient Instructions for a Presurgical Evaluation