Cornerstone Eye Associates First to Offer RxSight Light-Adjustable Lens (LAL) to Western New York

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Rochester, **NY** Cornerstone Eye Associates, Dr. Steve Park, MD and Dr. Omar Hanuch, MD are proud to be the first in Western New York to offer a first-of-its-kind intraocular lens, the RxSight Light-Adjustable Lens (LAL). This revolutionary technology is available to cataract and clear lens exchange (CLE) patients who are looking for the most accurate post-surgical results.

Over 24 million Americans over the age of 40 are affected by cataracts, making cataract surgery the most commonly performed procedure in the US. While the modern implants provide excellent vision for most patients, the exact power cannot always be predicted. If a patient was dissatisfied with their results, their only options were for additional surgery or turn back to glasses.

RxSight LAL is the first and only implantable lens that can be adjusted post-surgically. Made of material that is sensitive to light, Dr. Park and Dr. Hanuch use ultraviolet (UV) light delivered by a Light Delivery Device (LDD) to adjust the sharpness of vision during post-operative visits. The adjustments take only a few minutes, are non-invasive and painless. A study of 600 subjects by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration found that patients who received the LAL were 200 percent more likely to achieve 20/20 vision without glasses than patients who received a standard monofocal interocular lens (IOL).

"The Light Adjustable Lens (LAL) will allow us to offer an ideal option to our patients who want to tailor their vision to precisely fit their lifestyle. It's like getting a custom-made suit rather than picking one out from the rack," states Dr. Steve Park, owner and Cataract Surgeon of Cornerstone Eye Associates.

For more information about the Light Adjustable Lens, contact Cornerstone Eye Associates at (585) 328-0158, or visit the company's website, Cornerstone Eye.com.

About Cornerstone Eye Associates

Cornerstone Eye Associates has been providing quality eye care to the Rochester area for over 50 years. As one of the most comprehensive and advanced eye care centers in the region Cornerstone Eye Associates offers the most advanced diagnostics and treatments including LASIK, advanced laser cataract removal, intraocular lenses, the diagnosis and treatment of many eye conditions and diseases, as well as general eye care. Cornerstone Eye Associates has four Rochester offices in Gates, Brighton, Irondequoit and Victor as well as Cornerstone Eye Surgery Center in Greece.

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