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**PRE AND POST-OPERATIVE  
REFRACTIVE SURGERY FORMS**

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**SUMMARY OF CHANGES**

This publication has been revised. This rewrite of 59 MDWI 44-188 includes the additional of 4 new pre and post-operative refractive surgery forms.

## 1. Overview.

1.1. The purpose of 59 MDW Form 19, *Commander's Authorization USAF Corneal Refractive (CRS) Program*; 59 MDW Form 20, *USAF Warfighter Corneal Refractive Surgery Application*; 59 MDW Form 21, *USAF Aviation & Aviation Related Special Duty Corneal Refractive Surgery Application*; 59 MDW Form 24, *Refractive Surgery Managed Care Agreement*; 59 MDW Form 97, *Universal Protocol Procedure and Surgical Site Verification*; 59 MDW Form 195, *Aviation & Special Duty Personnel Refractive Surgery Post-Operation Examination*; 59 MDW Form 196, *CRS Preoperative Evaluation*; 59 MDW Form 2913, *Refractive Surgery Patient History*; 59 MDW Form 2914, *WHASC Refractive Surgery Patient Information*; 59 MDW Form 5024, *Warfighter Refractive Surgery Post-Operative*; 59 MDW Form 5025, *WHASC Refractive Surgery Week 1 Post-Operative*; 59 MDW Form 5026, *Informed Consent for Excimer Laser Photorefractive Keratectomy* are to document applicants both eligible and non-eligible, commander's authorization, before and after patient care at the Joint Warfighter Refractive Surgery Center. The adopted form 59 MDW Form 97, *Universal Protocol Procedure and Surgical Site Verification* can be found on Air Force E-Publishing and the Knowledge Exchange located at <http://www.e-publishing.af.mil/> and [https://kx2.afms.mil/kj/kx1/AFRefractiveSurgery/Pages/how\\_to\\_apply\\_for\\_dod\\_treatment\\_apm.aspx](https://kx2.afms.mil/kj/kx1/AFRefractiveSurgery/Pages/how_to_apply_for_dod_treatment_apm.aspx)

## 2. Personnel Responsibilities.

2.1. All refractive surgery health care team members are to ensure the forms are accomplished and maintained in accordance with Air Force Manual 33-363, *Management of Records*, and disposed of in accordance with Air Force Records Information Management System Records Disposition Schedule located <https://www.my.af.mil/afrims/afrims/afrims/rims.cfm>

## 3. Forms Submission.

3.1. MDW Form 19, 59 MDW Form 20, 59 MDW Form 21, 59 MDW Form 24, 59 MDW Form 195, 59 MDW Form 196, 59 MDW Form 97, 59 MDW Form 2913, 59 MDW Form 2914, 59 MDW Form 5024, 59 MDW Form 5025, 59 MDW Form 5026, 59 MDW Form 97, 59 MDW Form 2913, 59 MDW Form 2914, are maintained indefinitely at the Joint Warfighter Refractive Surgery Center. Select data is entered into Armed Forces Health Longitudinal Technology Application to facilitate communication with other members of the Air Force Medical Service and Department of Defense Health Care teams.

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**Attachment 1****GLOSSARY OF REFERENCES AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION*****References***

AFPD 44-1, *Medical Operations*, 9 June 2016

AFMAN 33-363, *Management of Records*, 1 March 2008

***Prescribed Forms***

59 MDW Form 19, *Commander's Authorization USAF Corneal Refractive (CRS) Program*

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59 MDW Form 21, *USAF Aviation & Aviation Related Special Duty Corneal Refractive Surgery Application*

59 MDW Form 24, *Refractive Surgery Managed Care Agreement*

59 MDW Form 195, *Aviation & Special Duty Personnel Refractive Surgery Post-Operation Examination*

59 MDW Form 196, *CRS Preoperative Evaluation*

59 MDW Form 2913, *Refractive Surgery Patient History*

59 MDW Form 2914, *WHASC Refractive Surgery Patient Information*

59 MDW Form 5024, *Warfighter Refractive Surgery Post-Operative*

59 MDW Form 5025, *WHASC Refractive Surgery Week 1 Post-Operative*

59 MDW Form 5026, *Informed Consent for Excimer Laser Photorefractive Keratectomy*

***Adopted Forms***

59 MDW Form 97, *Universal Protocol Procedure and Surgical Site Verification*

AF Form 847, *Recommendation for Change of Publication*

***Acronyms and Abbreviations***

**CRS**—Corneal Refractive Surgery

**IAW**—In Accordance With

**MDW**—Medical Wing