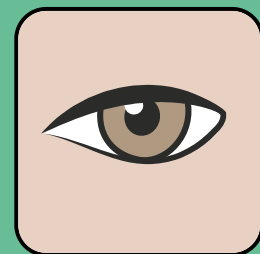
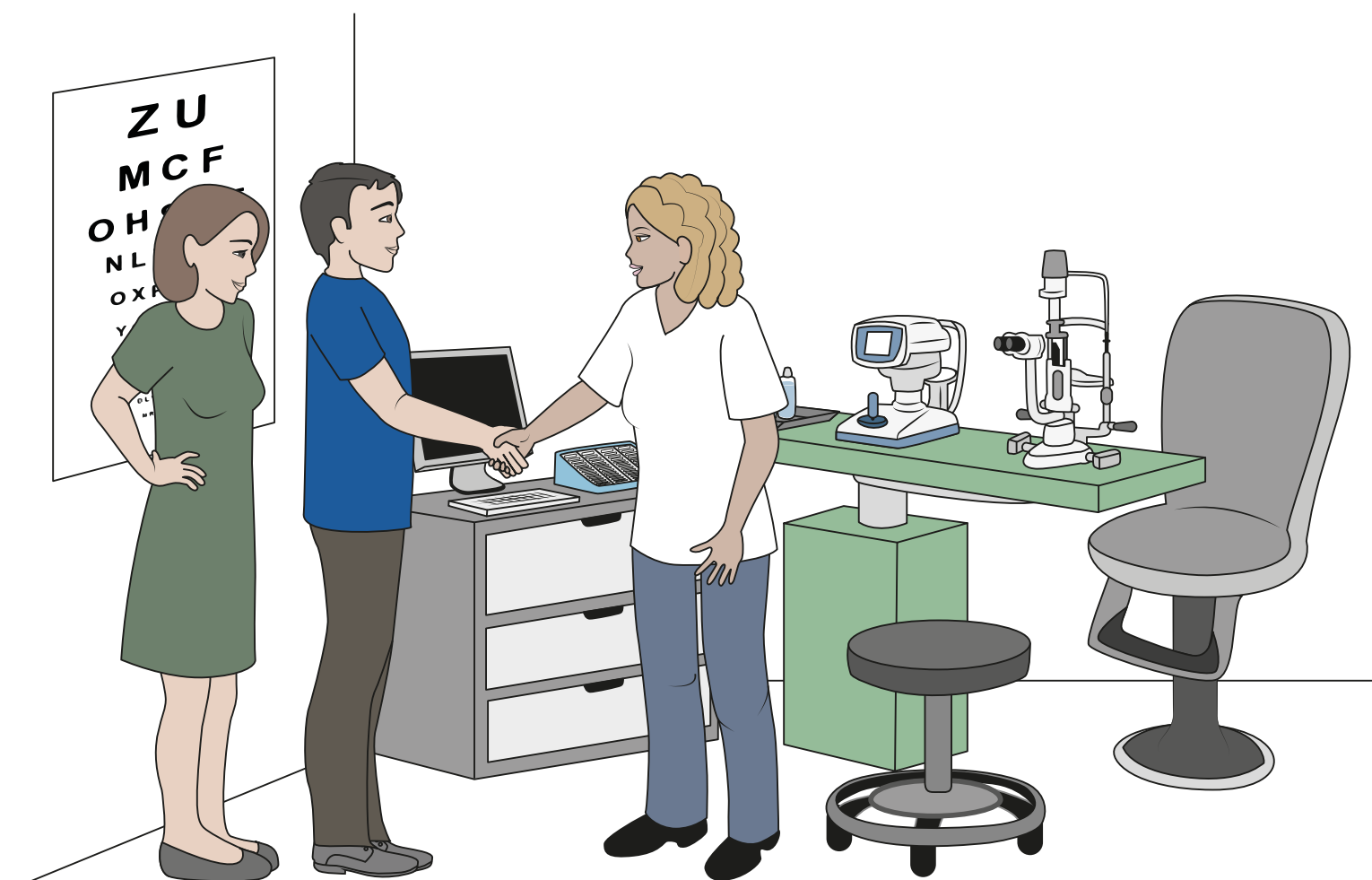


The Ophtalmologist



The consultation

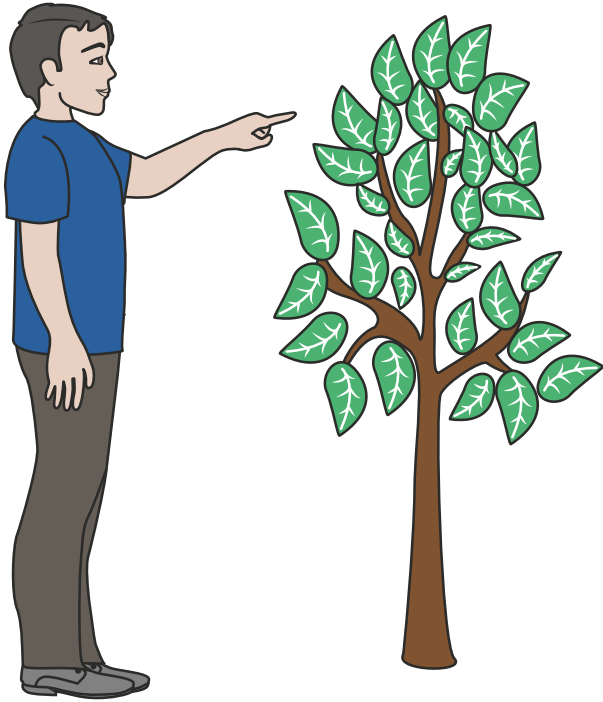


Why do I need to go to the ophtalmologist ?

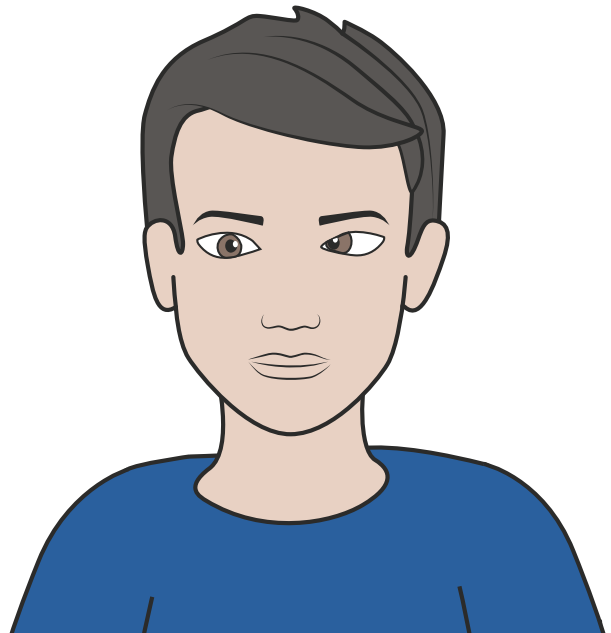
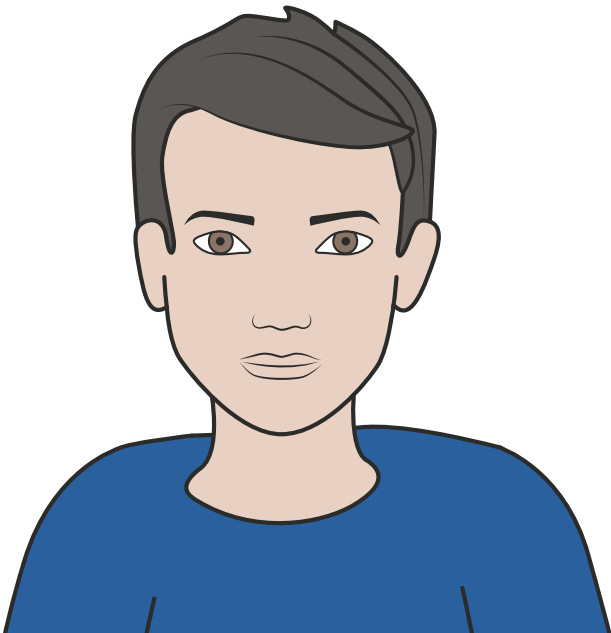
The ophtalmologist takes care of my eyes.

I need to go to the eye doctor :

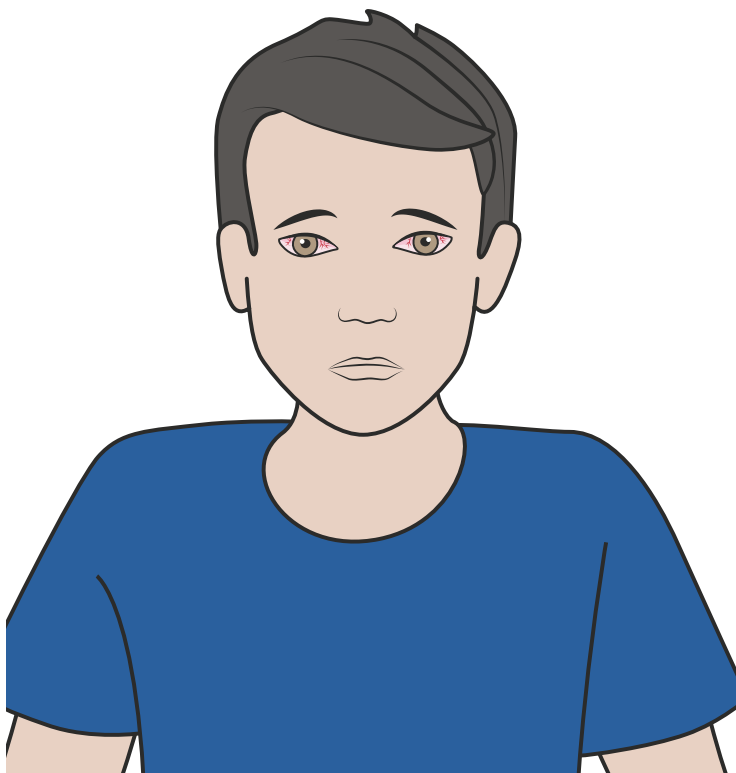
- To find out if my vision needs correcting.



- To find out if I see straight or not.



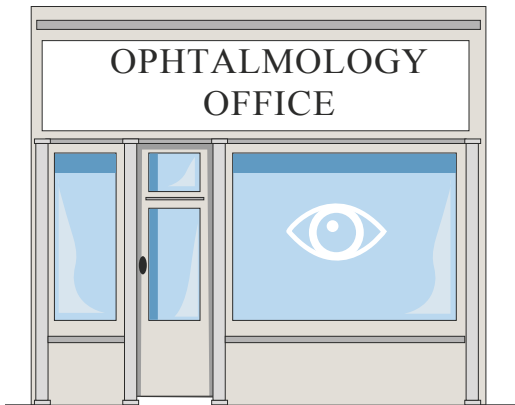
- To find out if I have an eye disease.



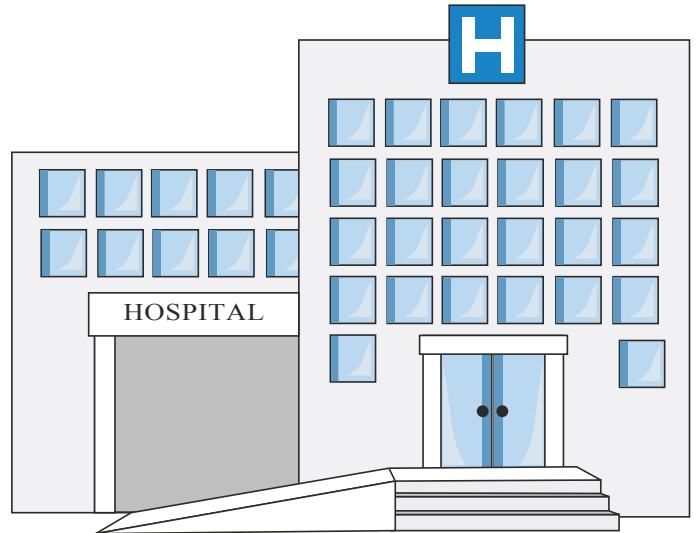
What happens when I'm there ?

I can have an eye doctor appointment :

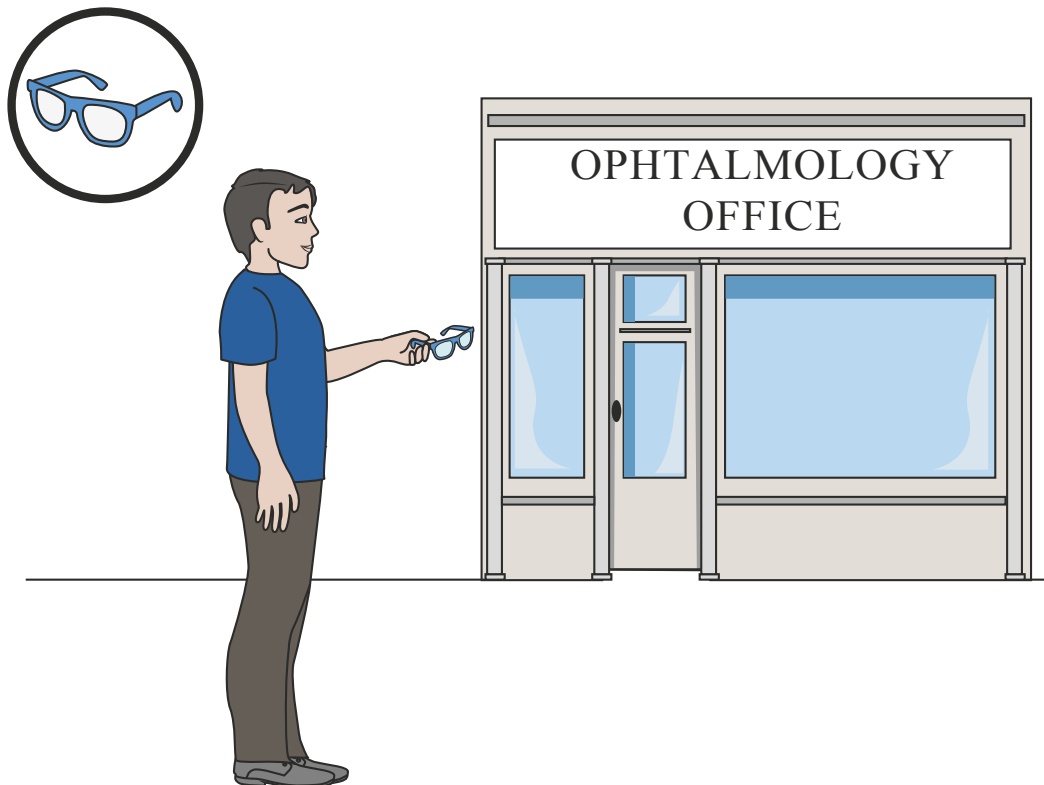
- at an ophtalmology office



- or at a hospital or clinic.



- If I have glasses, I should wear them.

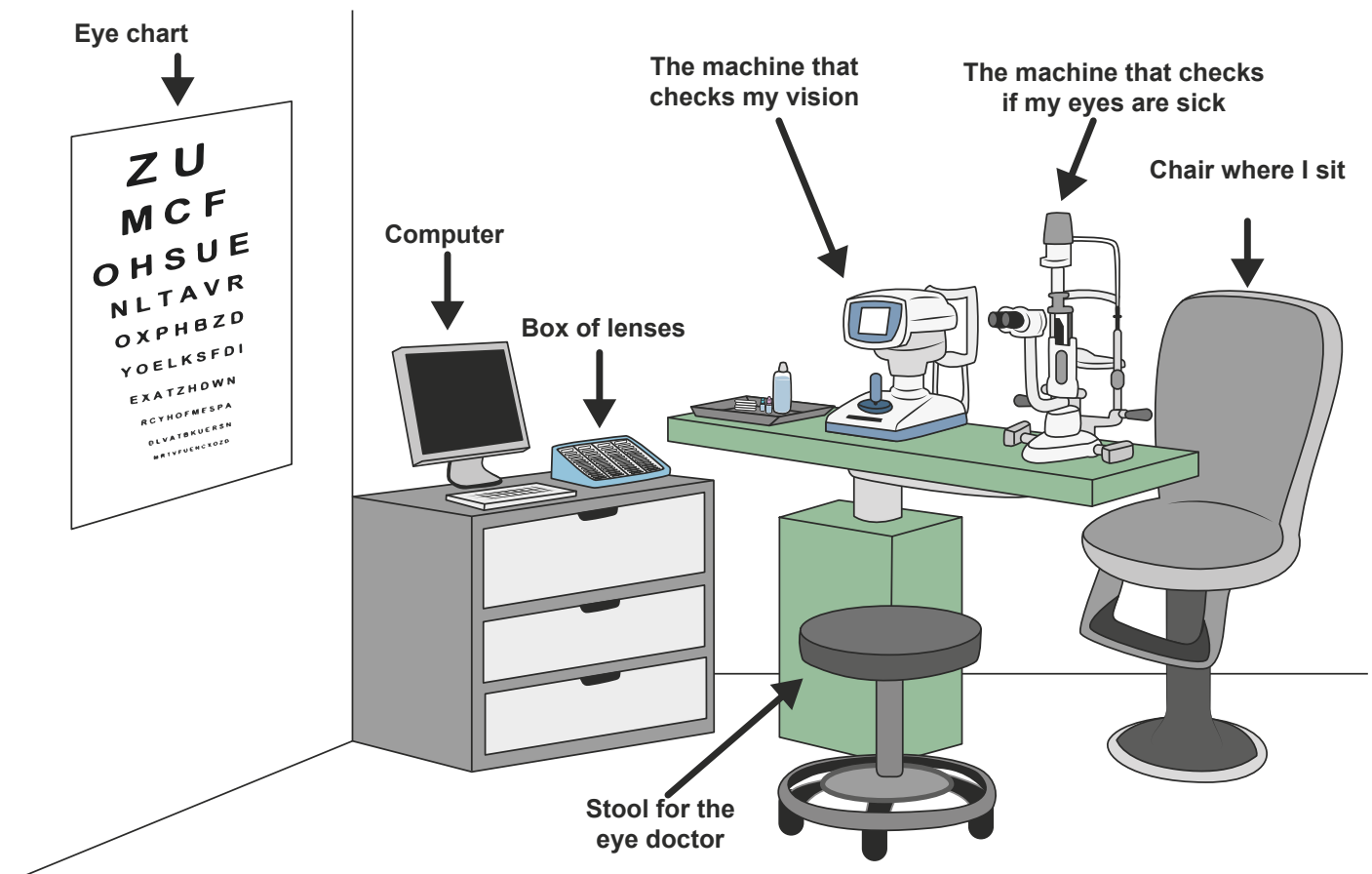


I wait for my turn in the waiting room.



I go into the consultation room.

- There are several machines.



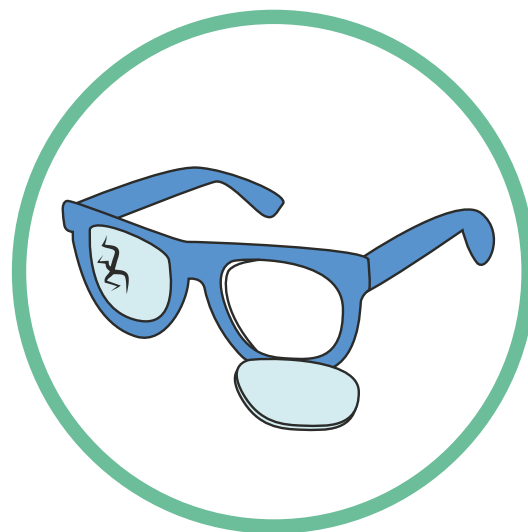


● She asks me why I am here.

Do my eyes hurt ?

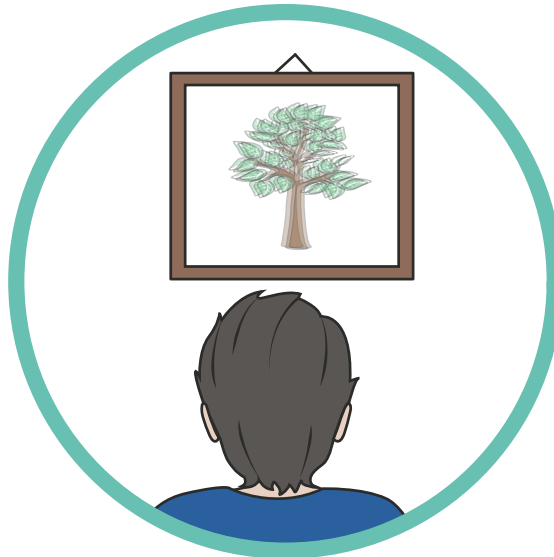


Do I need to change my glasses ?



● She asks me about my vision :

Can I see far away ?



How do I look at my computer ?



How do I read ?

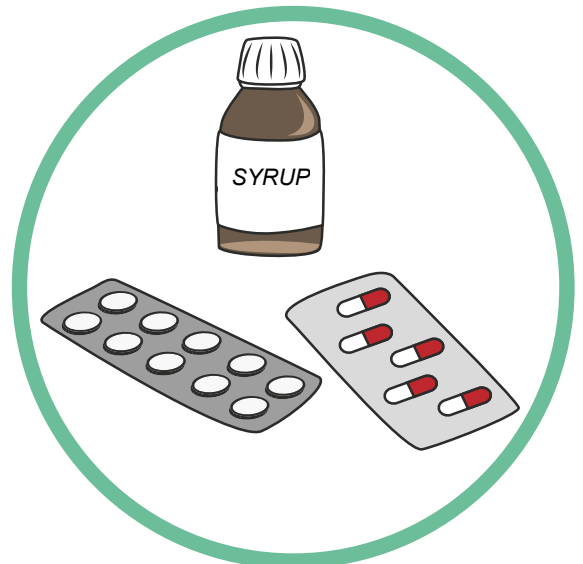


● She asks me how I am doing :

Am I in good health ?



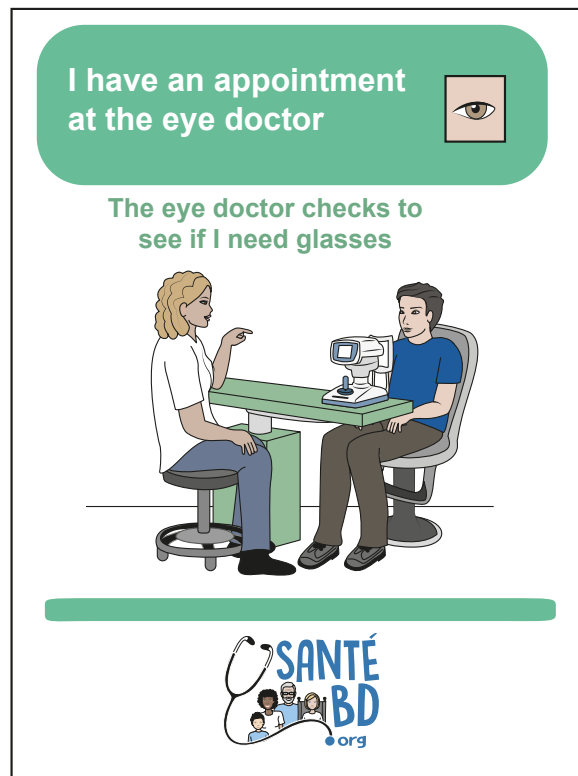
Do I take medication ?



The eye doctor starts the eye exam.

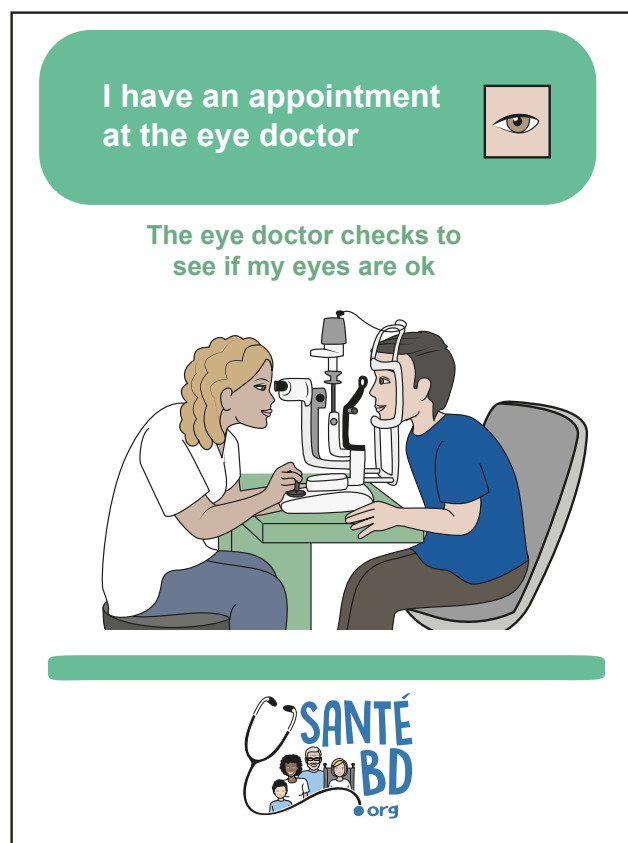
- **To check to see if I need glasses.**

See the booklet on "The eye doctor checks to see if I need glasses".



- **To check how my eyes are.**

See the booklet on "The eye doctor checks to see if my eyes are ok".



The consultation is over.

The eye doctor gives me a prescription.



● For glasses.



● For eye drops.



● For medical tests.



● For other eye tests.



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