



In order to help you understand the care we have provided; I have prepared this examination report to address the principal features of your eye health and your vision correction requirements.

FUCH'S DYSTROPHY

Fuch's dystrophy is a degeneration of tissue of the outer clear window of your eye, the cornea. This corneal degeneration begins with a decline in function of the cells that keep the cornea clear. As these cells weaken, the cornea may swell intermittently, thereby affecting vision. This swelling may eventually cause the formation of blisters on the corneal surface. As these blisters form, you may experience episodes of discomfort, pain and variable vision.

In most instances, Fuch's dystrophy affects women more than men and is hereditary in nature, making it important for us to know if other family members have similar symptoms. When patients suffer from significant pain as the result of this disorder, they may benefit from replacement of the disease tissue through corneal transplantation.

Since this condition is chronic in nature, there is no complete cure apart from surgery when indicated to decrease pain and/or to improve vision. Comfort can generally be improved and the possibility of recurrence reduced significantly by carefully following my treatment recommendations.

I hope you have found this report interesting and informative. This personalized report has been motivated by my goal to provide excellence in eye care. I look forward to seeing you for your future eye care needs.