



PLASTIC SURGERY CENTRAL

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Dear Optometry colleague

Thank you kindly for reviewing this patient who is seeing me for consideration of Upper eyelid blepharoplasty. As you would be aware, government legislation around this procedure necessitates an optometry review to confirm visual obstruction, for this to be applicable to funding under Medicare.

Please advise if the degree of skin excess in the patient's upper lid is objectively affecting vision, by perimetry evidence of interference with visual fields. The visual fields may be measured with the lid resting down (potentially obscuring the field) and then with the lid taped up out of the way. If there is a difference in these fields of view then the patient is considered to have a visual field obstruction.

In addition, the patient should have a routine eye exam including intraocular pressure and visual acuities pre-operatively.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Please contact me if you require any further information.

Kind regards