

Intravitreal Anti-VEGF Treatment

What Should I Expect After Treatment?

- Irritation and burning sensation
 - This is typically due to Iodine used at the time of treatment. The eye is thoroughly rinsed after treatment which will minimize this but does not eliminate the symptoms completely.
 - Use artificial tears 4-6 times on the day of treatment and the following day, as well as tear gel / ointment at night to minimize this issue.
 - Examples of artificial tears: Thealoz Duo, Hyabak, Hydrasense, Systane, Refresh, Liposic
 - Examples of tear gel: Ocunox, Lacrilube, Tear gel, Liposic gel
- Floaters immediately after treatment could be from the medication or a bubble floating in the eye.
 - This should resolve within 24h. If this does not resolve or accompanied by loss of vision, you need an urgent assessment.
- You can return to normal daily activities right after the treatment.
- Avoid contact lenses for 2 days after treatment.