



## Useful resources: glaucoma

### The International Glaucoma Association (IGA)

Formed in 1974 at King's College Hospital, London, the IGA is the longest-running and largest patient-based glaucoma association worldwide. Their mission is to help prevent glaucoma blindness throughout the world by providing high-quality patient information material. They believe that the best people to judge what is needed in a particular country are the eye specialists who work there, and they actively seek partners across the world with whom to work.

The IGA produce patient information material in English, German, French, Italian and Spanish, and are working to develop materials in other languages, as and when funding and ophthalmic expertise become available. The materials, at present, are produced in generic form so they are not specific to the medical services in any particular country, but the IGA are pleased to develop specific materials to suit the needs of a specific country.

As a subscriber to the *Community Eye Health Journal* you have already demonstrated your commitment to the prevention of blindness in your area. If your glaucoma service would benefit from patient information support and you would like to examine the possibility of a partnership with the IGA, you are invited to contact the IGA at Tel: 00 44 (0) 1233 648162  
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### Shaarawy T, Flammer J – Editors. Glaucoma therapy – current issues and controversies. Martin Dunitz 2004.

A 328-page comprehensive textbook. Available from ICEH, while very limited stocks last, free of charge to ophthalmologists working in the developing world at tertiary level only. Applications (stating name, work address and job title) should be sent to the Resource Centre at ICEH.

### Dhull C, Katenga S, McGavin DDM. The glaucomas. ICEH 1995.

A teaching text and slide set – consisting of a 60-page booklet and 24 colour transparencies. Available from ICEH. UK £20 (UK £15 to developing countries) plus post and packing.

### Yorston D. Eye surgery for the prevention of blindness. ICEH 2000.

A video showing two procedures – surgery for upper lid entropion (14 minutes) and trabeculectomy for glaucoma (9 minutes). Available from ICEH. UK £10 plus post and packing.

### Stevens SM. Practical ophthalmic procedures. Volume 4. ICEH 2005.

A teaching text and slide set – consisting of a 34-page booklet and 24 colour transparencies covering six procedures. This volume includes detailed instructions for Schiotz and applanation tonometry with a total of 15 illustrations.

Available from ICEH. UK £20 (UK £15 to developing countries) plus post and packing. Free to download from the ICEH website [www.iceh.org.uk/files/tsno10/04/start.htm](http://www.iceh.org.uk/files/tsno10/04/start.htm)

### Understanding glaucoma – poster. Anatomical Chart Company, US 2005.

Available from Waterstones. UK £4

### Stewart WC. Clinical practice of glaucoma. McGraw-Hill Health Professions Division 1990.

Available from Waterstones. UK £19

### Spaeth GL, Eid TM. The glaucomas: concepts and fundamentals. Lippincott Williams & Wilkins 1999.

Available from Waterstones. UK £19

### Sherwood MB, Brandt JD, Choplin NT, Schuman JS. Clinical update on glaucoma. AAO 1997.

A CD-ROM containing information on diagnostic tools, the role of anti-metabolites,

glaucoma pharmaceuticals, etc. Contact AAO, stating name, work address and job title.

### Zorab AZ, Strauss H, Dondrea CL, Arturo C, Garrett M. Basic clinical science course. Section 10 – Glaucoma.

#### Updated annually.

A 242-page comprehensive paperback with colour plates. Contact AAO, stating name, work address and job title.

### Community Eye Health Journal – back issues

#### Volume 9, Issue 18, 1996

Primary surgical treatment of glaucoma

#### Volume 9, Issue 19, 1996

Diagnosis and treatment of the glaucomas

#### Volume 14, Issue 39, 2001

The adult glaucomas

### Suppliers' addresses

#### Waterstones

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