



Capsulotomy

Capsulotomy is a procedure that eliminates eye cloudiness that sometimes follows cataract surgery. This laser procedure has been performed since the early 1980s.

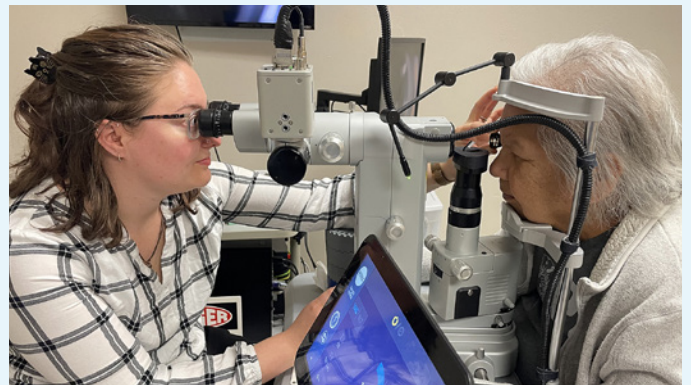
This treatment addresses the most common complication of cataract surgery, which is the clouding of parts of the eye lens capsule after cataract surgery. This is called posterior capsule opacification. It can occur months or years after cataract surgery and can impair vision more significantly than the initial cataract.

Capsulotomy helps patients see clearly again by using a laser to create an opening in the clouded area of the lens capsule to allow light to pass through to the retina and restore clear vision. The procedure takes approximately 5 minutes to complete.

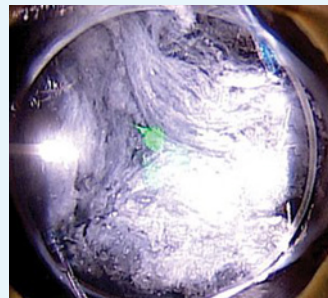
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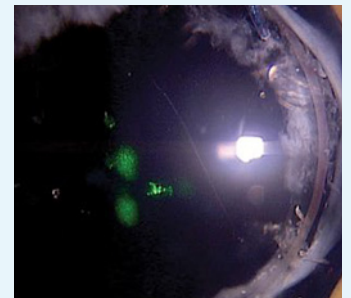
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Typical Capsulotomy Laser set-up for the optometrist and patient.



Before



After

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