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# Oculoplastics

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**Reporting instructions**

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**Aims and Objectives**

* Learn the range of common oculoplastic and lacrimal disorders which ophthalmologist will encounter.
* To assess the patient with a ptosis.
* To carry out lacrimal syringing.
* To interpret orbital CT and MRI scans.
* Learn about a new branch of ophthalmology – ophthalmology sub-specialty oculoplastic lacrimal and orbital surgery.

**Background information**

* Subspecialty covers eyelid and lachrymal assessment and surgery including laser lachrymal surgery.
* Clinical conditions include thyroid eye disease ptosis and watering eyes, and tumour excision/reconstruction lids.
* Attachment to clinic and theatre.
* Project-centred clinical care supervised by Dr Sarangapani

**Key Learning Events**

* 6 clinical sessions per week and 2 research sessions (supervised)
* Timetable available on request – 3 clinic and 3 theatre sessions based on consultant sessions.
* Teaching Friday morning at Western Eye Hospital

**Recommended reading**

*“Ophthalmology at a Glance” by Jane Olver & Lorraine Cassidy*

**Assessment**

By case assessment and case report.

**Timetable**

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| **Monday AM**  Miss Olver private cases, Wellington Hospital, St John’s Wood.  Miss Olver mobile: 07973 118 847 |  | **Monday PM**  1 pm, operating local anaesthetic oculoplastics Western Eye Hospital Day Surgery Unit. Tel: 020 8846 1460 |
| **Tuesday AM**  8.45 am, Adnexal Out-Patients, Western Eye Hospital, 020 7886 3236 | **Tuesday lunchtime**  12.15 pm, Ward Round, Alex Cross Ward, 020 7886 3227 | **Tuesday PM**  1 pm, Theatre A & Theatre B oculoplastics surgery, Western Eye Hospital. 020 7886 3213 |
| **Wednesday AM**  8.30 am, Post-op Ward Round, Alex Cross Ward.  9 am Minor Eyelid Operating Theatre, Eye Casualty, Western Eye Hospital.  Fellow in Charge,  020 7886 3241 |  | **Wednesday PM**  Optional Accident & Emergency Department.  020 7886 3241. |
| **Thursday AM**  8.30 am till 12.30 pm  (Pre-Op Ward Round 8.00am)  Oculoplastic General Anaesthetic Theatre List, Day Surgery Unit, Charing Cross Hospital 020 8846 1460 |  | **Thursday PM**  Oculoplastics Out-Patients, Charing Cross Hospital, First Floor, Eye Department.  020 8846 1126 |
| **Friday AM**  8 am till Noon  Western Eye Hospital  Postgraduate Ophthalmology Teaching, 3rd Floor N.B. Post-op Ward Round often at 10 am for 30 minutes on Alex Cross Ward | **Thursday lunchtime**  Weekly Journal club in Eye Department, Charing Cross Hospital  Orbital meeting |  |

**Maximum number of students per period:** 2