

## **Post-Injection Instructions**

You have undergone an injection to treat your eye condition. The results of this procedure will not be known for at least several weeks. You will most likely need at least 3 injections to control the leakage. The goal of the treatment is to stabilize your vision. It is possible that your vision will improve. You may resume all normal activity right after the injection.

There is a **very small** risk of an infection developing within several days of the injection. If undetected, this could lead to blindness in the eye. It is very important that you monitor your vision for the first 4 days following the injection. There is often some redness, a burning sensation in the eye and bloody tears immediately after the injection. This will **gradually improve** over the first several days. You may take artificial tears, 4-6 times per day, to help with the discomfort. The following are warning signs of an infection developing in your eye.

- 1. SUDDEN DECREASE IN VISION 1-4 DAYS POST INJECTION
- 2. PROGRESSIVE PAIN AND REDNESS 1-4 DAYS POST INJECTION

If these symptoms occur, please call my office immediately at **406.284.2370**. Your next visit will be in 4 weeks to have repeat testing (dye test and OCT) to determine the need for additional injections. Call my office to make an appointment if you do not have one already. If you are on additional eye drops, continue them as normally directed.

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