

Service Summary

Glaucoma Repeat Readings

Overview

This service enables the repeat of specific tests in cases of raised intraocular pressure and/or suspect glaucomatous visual fields defects where there are no other signs of glaucoma prior to the decision to refer (normal optic discs and open angles)

Help and Support

For help and support, visit the OPERA help menu at <https://help.optom-referrals.org>.

To access the Glaucoma Services help pages click here [Glaucoma Referral Filtering \(GRR/GERS\)](#).

For further assistance, contact us at hello@referral.support or use the blue bubble on OPERA.



Service Information

Patient Eligibility

- Patients of ≥ 18 registered with a GP in Gloucestershire ICB
- IOP ≥ 24 mmHg and < 32 mmHg with no other signs of glaucoma
- Visual fields at sight test is suspicious for glaucoma with no other signs of glaucoma.

Source of Referral/Signposting to Service

- Following a sight test at a participating practice
- Intra-practice referral (e.g. from non-accredited colleague)
- Note: Referrals from non-participating practices do not come into GRR. These patients should be directed to the Glaucoma Enhanced Case Finding (GECF) Service.

Accreditation

- WOPEC Glaucoma Level 1

Service Delivery

| | Inclusion in Service | Equipment | Timeframe |
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| IOP Repeat 1 | Yes | Goldmann or Perkins | Immediately (or within max 14 days) |
| IOP Repeat 2 | Yes | | Within 4 weeks of the sight test |
| Visual Field Repeat | Yes | Suprathreshold or Full threshold automated perimetry | Within 4 weeks of the sight test |
| Referral from non - participating practice | No - refer to GERS not GRR | N/A | N/A |