## EYE DROP INSTRUCTIONS FOR CATARACT SURGERY

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This Instruction Sheet Contains Valuable Information About The Medication You Will Be Taking The Day Before Your Surgery And For 4 Weeks After. Be Sure To Keep The Information Handy, Place It On Your Fridge Or Near Your Medicine Cabinet.



You will receive a prescription for Tobradex at your Pre-op appointment.  $\star$  Please make sure you fill this immediately.

## HOW TO INSTILL EYE DROPS?

Wash your hands before instilling eye drops. Tilt your head back, look upwards and gently pull down your lower lid to form a pocket. Hold the bottle close without touching the eye. Instill one drop into the operated eye. Gently dab with a tissue if needed.

EYE DROP SCHEDULE	HOW OFTEN?		
The day before surgery (Pre-op)	Instill 1 drop into the surgical eye 4x/day		
For 2 weeks after surgery (incl. day of)	Instil 1 dop into the surgical eye 4x/day		
From 2-4 weeks after surgery and <b>THEN STOP</b>	Instill 1 drop into the surgical eye 2x/day		

	DAY #1	DAY #2	DAY #3	DAY #4	DAY #5	DAY #6	DAY #7
WEEK #1	Pre-Op	Surgery					
WEEK #2							
WEEK #3							
WEEK #4							

If you have any questions or concerns, please call our office at 807-346-1000 ext. 3122

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