# New Horizons in Glaucoma Devices

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# Case 1. Clinical History

72 y.o. man presents for regular yearly examination complaining of ocular redness, ocular FB sensation and difficulty reading fine print
Past Ocular History: POAG OU
Past Medical History: Coronary artery disease
Family History: Multiple family members with POAG
Medications: Timolol 0.5% OU QAM; Latanoprost OU QHS



# **Clinical Examination**

Best-corrected Visual Acuity: 20/30 OU, but does glare to 20/50 OU
Manifest Refraction: -1.50 sphere OU
Visual fields: Early arcuate defects OU
Corneal Pachymetry: 540 um OD; 546 um OS
Goldmann Tonometry: 23 mm Hg OU
OHS: 0.7 OU with disc heme inferiorly

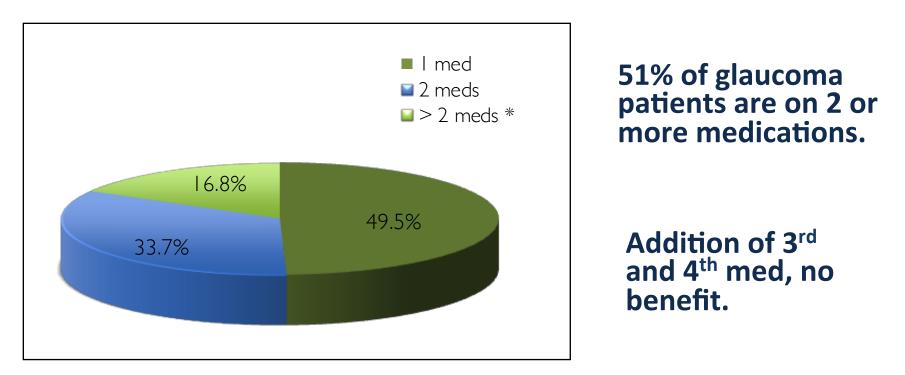


# How do you recommend that we manage this patient?

- 1) Alter glaucoma medication regimen
- 2) Laser trabeculoplasty
- 3) Filtration surgery alone
- 4) Combined cataract and filtration
  - surgery
- 5) Combined cataract and iStent surgery



### **Current Standard Treatments and Limitations**



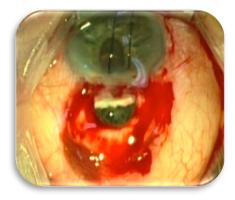
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Okeke, Constance, et al, "Adherence with Topical Glaucoma Medication Monitored Electronically", Ophthalmology, Volume 116, Number 2, Feb 2009

### **Current Standard Treatments and Limitations**

	Trab	External Shunts
Complications: Intra Op	10%	7%
Post Op (  Yr):	57%	34%
Choroidal Effusion	19%	16%
Choroidal Hemorrhage	3%	2%
Shallow / Flat AC	10%	11%
Hyphema	8%	2%
Endophthalmitis	3%	1%
Vision Loss (≥2 lines)	28%	17%





1. ASO Gedde et al 2007, Vol 143: 9-22 TVT Study



# MIGS is transforming the way we treat combined cataract and glaucoma

% Patients with Concurrent Glaucoma and Cataracts Receiving Combined Phaco-Glaucoma Surgery 60% 50% 40% MIGS 30% **MIGS** Introduction Trabs/Tubes 20% 10% 0% 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2008 2009 2010 2011



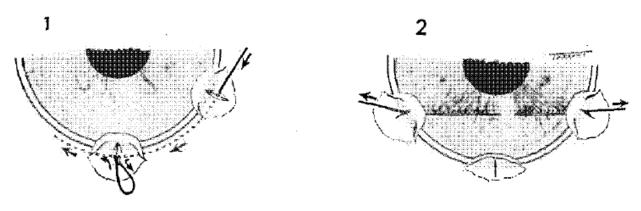
Market Scope, 2012

## The Evolution of Trabecular Bypass Procedures in Adults



Nylon Filament Trabeculotomy. Comparison with the results of conventional drainage operations in glaucoma simplex REDMOND SMITH (London) 1969 Transactions of the Ophthalmological Society

of New Zealand



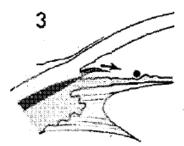




FIG. 1 (a)—Diagram to show the technique of nylon filament trabeculotomy.

# Long-term Outcome of Trabeculotomy for the Treatment of Developmental Glaucoma

Arch Ophthalmol. 2004;122:1122-1128; Tomoyuki Muto, MD; Hidenobu Tanihara, MD; Makoto Nagata, MD

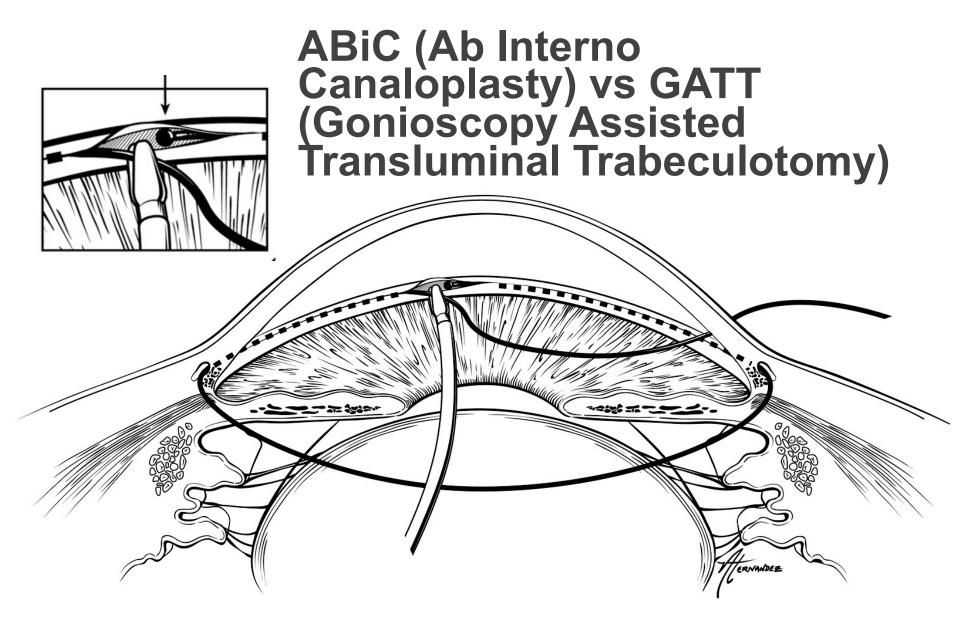
Retrospective review of 149 eyes Ab externo trabeculotomies Mean +/- SD follow up time: 9.5 +/- 7.1 years Mean +/- SD IOP at last follow up: 15.6 +/- 5.0 Success rate of nearly 90%



# Problems with Trabeculotomy Ab Externo

Length of time (30-60+ minutes) Numerous Conjunctival and Scleral sutures required Violate the superior conjunctiva May preclude or diminish success rates for a subsequent trabeculectomy Relatively invasive















#### Glaucoma Laser System



### MicroPulse<sup>®</sup> P3 – Cyclophotocoagulation with **MicroPulse Technology**

- Excellent Safety Profile
  Efficient & Straightforward for physician and patient
- Cán be performed in the Office & OR
- Predictability

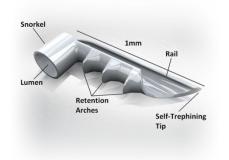




### MicroPulse P3 Device

### Next-Generation Glaucoma Microstents and Implants: Right Around the Corner

First-Generation Devices Paving the Way



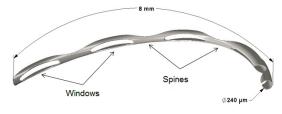




**Ex-PRESS** 

Next-Generation Trabecular Microstents





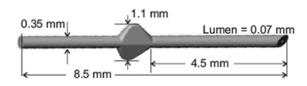
#### Next-Generation Uveoscleral Microstents





#### Next-Generation Subconjuntival Implants





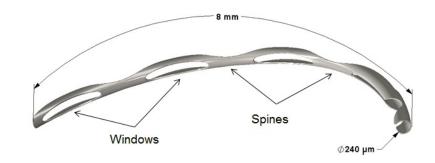
### Next-Generation Trabecular Microstents

Increasing access to Schlemm's canal to drive more flow



#### iStent Inject

- CE Mark in 2009
- US IDE trial in progress
- Allow for 2 access points through the trabecular meshwork, expanding potential outflow through Schlemm's canal
- Multiple iStents have been shown to have improved IOP-lowering effect<sup>1</sup>



#### **Hydrus Microstent**

- CE Mark in 2011
- US IDE trial in progress
- Creates entry point through trabecular meshwork and stents open several clock hours to enhance outflow through Schlemm's canal

# Hydrus Surgical Video

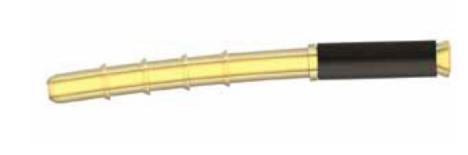




### Next-Generation Uvoescleral Microstents

Unlocking the eye's natural potential through a new mechanism of action





#### **CyPass Micro-Stent**

- CE Mark in 2009
- US IDE trial completed
- Leverage uveoscleral outflow, bypassing potentially diseased trabecular outflow pathway
- 6.35 mm length, with lumen of 0.3 mm
- Currently undergoing FDA review, estimated approval end of 2016

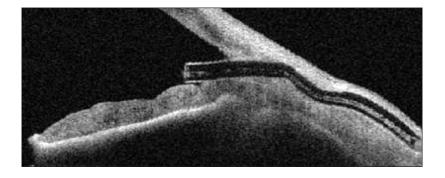
#### iStent Supra

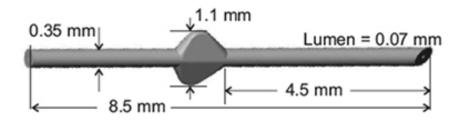
- CE Mark in 2011
- US IDE trial in progress
- Leverages uveoscleral outflow, bypassing potentially diseased trabecular outflow pathway
- 4mm length, with lumen of 0.16 mm



### Next-Generation Subconjuntival Implants

Accessing a well-worn path in new ways





#### **XEN Gel Stent**

- CE Mark in 2012
- US IDE trial in progress
- Placed ab interno with outflow into subconjunctival space
- Used in conjunction with Mitomycin-C

#### **InnFocus Microshunt**

- CE Mark in 2012
- US IDE trial in progress
- Only trial randomized vs trabeculectomy
- Place ab externo into conjunctival pocket
- Used in conjunction with Mitomycin-C



### **Estimated FDA approval for MIGS implants**

MIGS – Ab-interno implants	Estimated FDA approval
Glaukos iStent (PMA)	Q3 – 2012
Transcend Medical CyPass Micro-Stent (PMA)	Q3 – 2016
Glaukos iStent Inject (PMA)	QI - 2018
Ivantis Hydrus (PMA)	Q4 – 2018
Glaukos iStent Supra (PMA)	QI – 2020

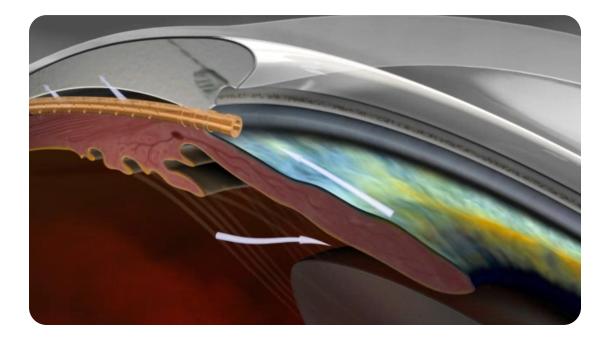
Market Scope 2015 Analyst reports



### **CyPass Micro-Stent**

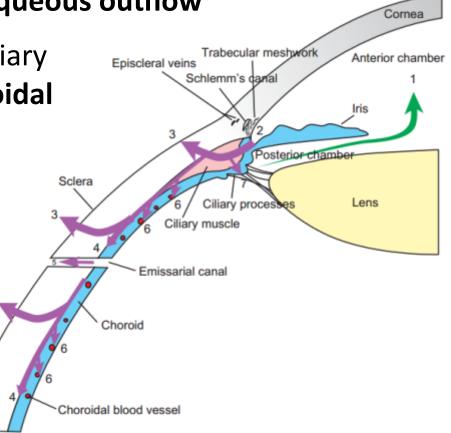
- Recently approved by FDA
- Novel aqueous outflow enhancement: non-trabecular
- Supraciliary vs trabecular stenting
- Ab interno, non-perforating, no bleb, no MMC



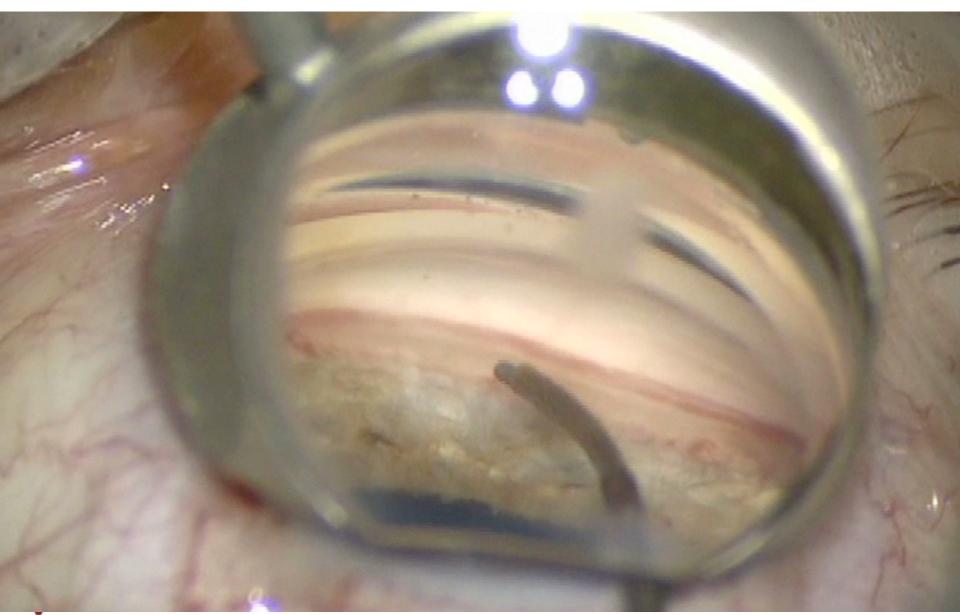


### **Tapping into the Uveoscleral Outflow Pathway**

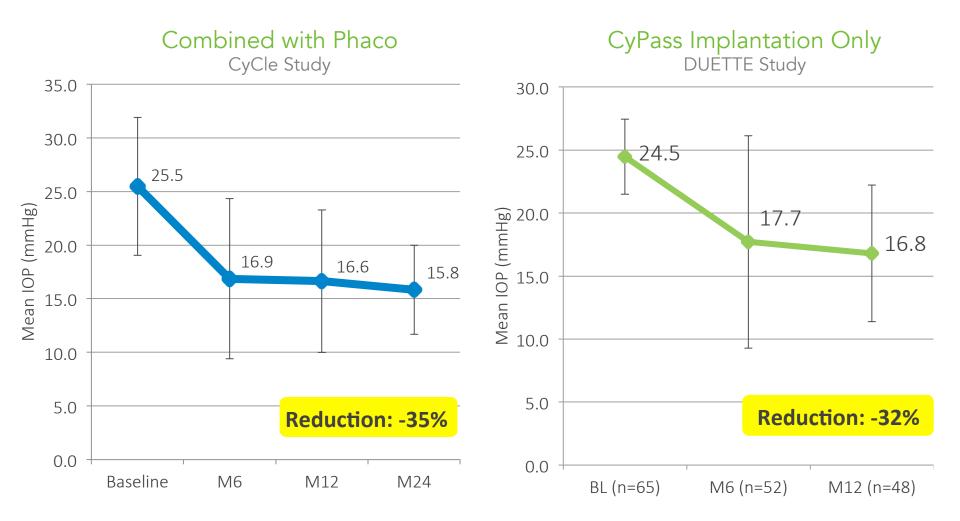
- Uveoscleral outflow: considered pressure independent and contributes up to 57% of natural aqueous outflow
- Aqueous percolates through the ciliary body and exits into the suprachoroidal space, primarily through the sclera and choroidal blood vessels
- Bypasses Schlemm's canal and collector channels, which may be atrophic in glaucoma patients



Toris, Camras. Ch 8. Aqueous humor dynamics II. Clinical studies. Curren Topics in Membranes, Vol 62. 2008, Elsevier Inc. 235-7 Fellman. Episcleral venous fluid wave correlates with the type and extent of canal-based surgery. AGS 2014 abstract.



### CyPass Clinical Outcomes Mild – Moderate Glaucoma

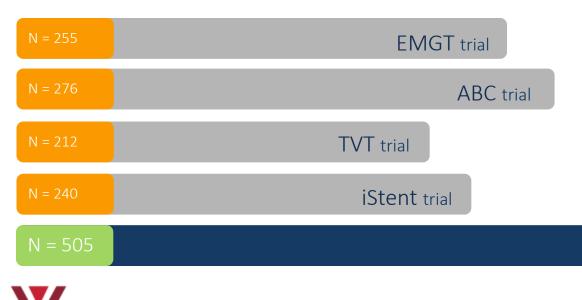


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### **COMPASS Study of the CyPass Micro-Stent**

Largest randomized controlled trial of a glaucoma implant to date

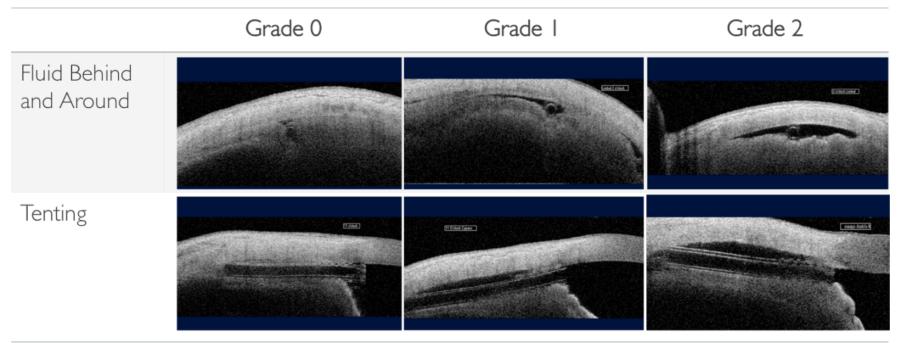
- Terminal wash out at 12 and 24 months
- Strict criteria for re-introduction of meds
- Rigorous analysis of endothelial cell density
- Strong primary endpoint outcome: 2-year diurnal unmedicated IOP change



COMPASS trial

### The Future of Uveoscleral Microstents

- Presence of aqueous lake posterior to and around the micro-stent was imaged and identified using OCT and UBM
- Some patients had a greater degree of subscleral aqueous lake
- This increased lake correlated with improved IOP outcomes



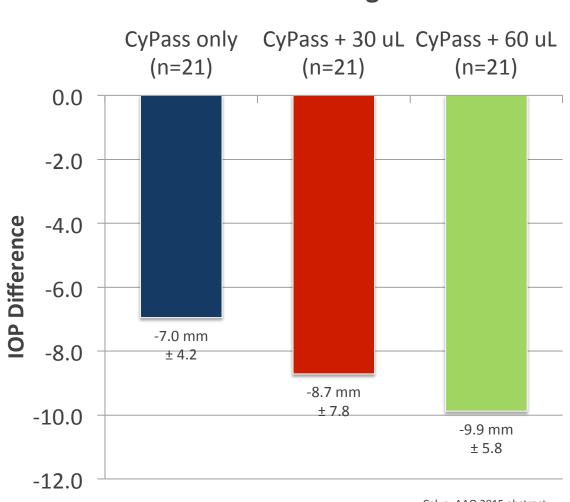
### **CyPass Vx** Enabling CyPass Micro-Stent with Visco-Expansion

- Delivers viscoelastic to the supraciliary and suprachoroidal spaces
- Creates and maintains space for enhanced aqueous outflow
- Can achieve volumetric expansion 50X current CyPass Micro-Stent





### **IOP Reduction 12M vs Baseline**



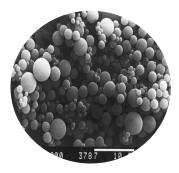
#### Mean IOP Change 12M

#### **IOP reduction**

Dose response trend identified with increasing volume of viscoinjection

Calvo. AAO 2015 abstract

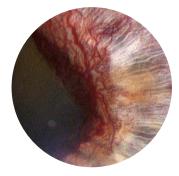
### Future Therapeutic Platform Technology in the Suprachoroidal Space



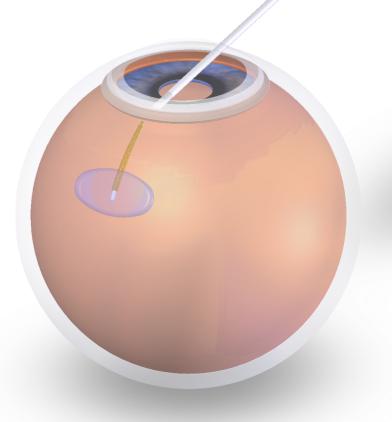
Sustained release



Drug-infused visco



Retinal disease / Neovascular glaucoma





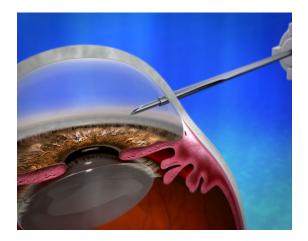


Effective Subconjunctival Drainage Made Simple

- Delivers significant and sustained reduction of IOP through the sub-conjunctival outflow pathway
- Bypasses all potential aqueous outflow obstruction through an ab interno approach
- Spares ocular tissue, leaving all other treatment options available
- Minimizes implant related complications because of its soft, gelatin material (non-inflammatory, nonmigrating)

Preloaded Injector Provides Convenience

- Pre-loaded, disposable, "IOL-like" injector comes loaded with the XEN Gel Stent.
- Can be done as a primary procedure or in combination with cataract surgery









### Portfolio Progression for Hypotony Control







#### N=100

6mm/140 micron inner lumen *Minimal hypotony protection* 

3 year IOP= 13.6 mmHg -38% IOP & -79% Meds

#### N=150

6mm/ 63 micron inner lumen Medium hypotony protection

3 Year IOP= 12.4mmHg -44% IOP & -76% Meds

#### N=~700

6mm/45 micron inner lumen Strong hypotony protection

1 Year IOP= 13.2mmHg -40% IOP & -85% Meds

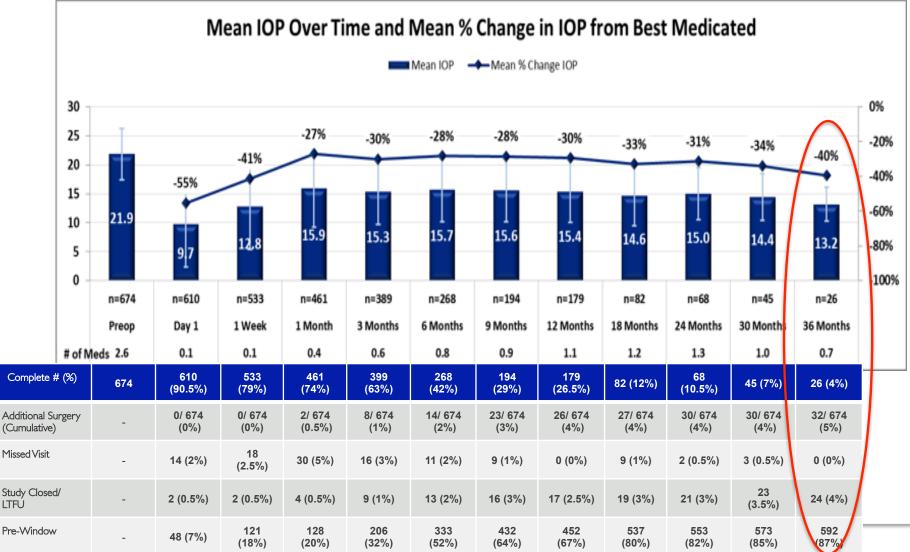
Progression: Same Strong Efficacy + Strong Safety/Minimal Post-Op "Fire and Forget"



#### Feasibility Data: Shows Long Term Efficacy



N=674 All 3 Models

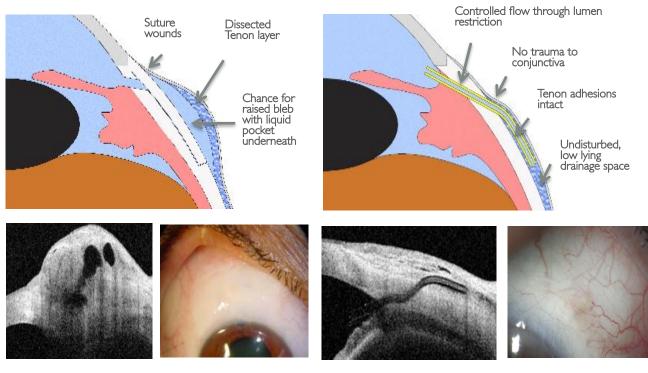


### **XEN Bleb**

#### Ab Externo Bleb vs. XEN Ab Interno Bleb

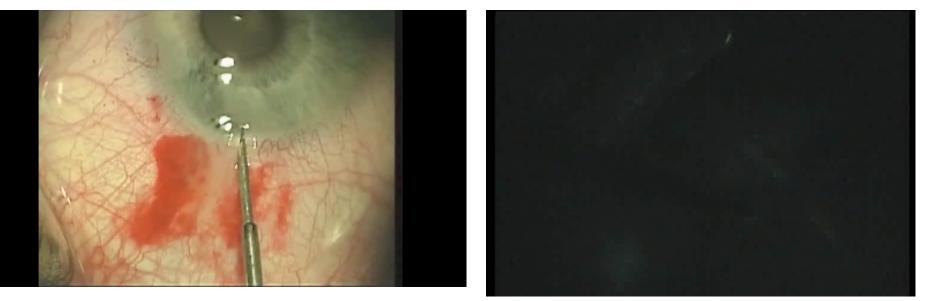
After Trabeculectomy/Express

After XEN

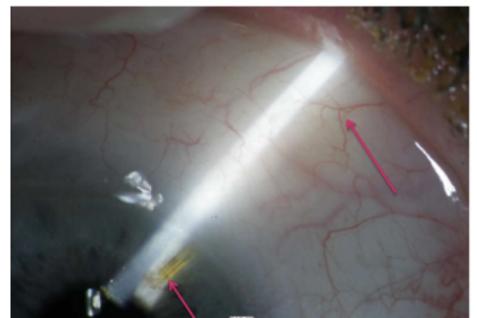


Effective IOP lowering Elevated and focal due to dissection Thin Walled Higher risk of infection Effective IOP lowering Low lying and diffuse Deep in the intra tenon's tissue Low risk of infection

### **XEN: The Procedure**



#### AqueSys @24M: Low, diffuse, posterior drainage





## Glaucoma Devices: The Shape of Things to Come

- The development of patient-specific imaging and diagnostics for optimal therapy selection
- Consider trabecular bypass procedures early on
- Suprachoroidal microstents offer excellent MIGS alternative in mild-moderate open-angle glaucoma patients
- Subconjunctival microshunts appear to be promising option in the treatment of moderate to more advanced glaucomas
- The combination of aqueous outflow implants with drug delivery to achieve ideal long-term results

# **Thank You**



