Glaucoma Repeat Readings Service (GRRS) Frimley ICB

Overview

To reduce false positive referrals into
HES glaucoma clinics, primary care
optometrists can perform repeat
readings of IOP to confirm that they
are consistently outside normal limits.

Service Information

Patient eligibility

- Patients of 18 and over registered with a GP in Frimley ICB
- Patients who are identified as having IOP
 ≥24mmHg but <32mmHg by NCT (non-contact tonometry), and no other signs of glaucoma.

Source of Referral/Signposting to Service

• Via a GOS or private sight test.

Service Delivery

- Up to two repeat readings of IOP using a contact application tonometer (Goldmann or Perkins).
- NB the Frimley ICB service pathway does not allow for repeat visual fields

Service Outcomes

 Discharge to routine follow up or referral to secondary care glaucoma clinic

Accreditation

• WOPEC Glaucoma Level 1

Practice tariff

- £15 for first repeat contact tonometry
- £15 for second repeat contact tonometry (where indicated)

Help and Support

Practices and practitioners can use the OPERA help menu as the first port of call for help and support, found on the Opera home page at https://app.optom-referrals.org/



