



Ophthalmology Physician Update

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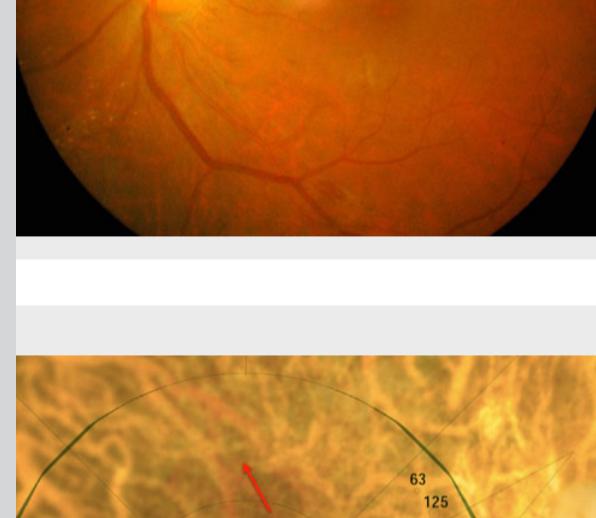
Research



Patients with metabolic syndrome more likely to have ocular hypertension

A Mayo Clinic study shows that metabolic syndrome is associated with ocular hypertension. The results also suggest that this association may be related to increased central corneal thickness.

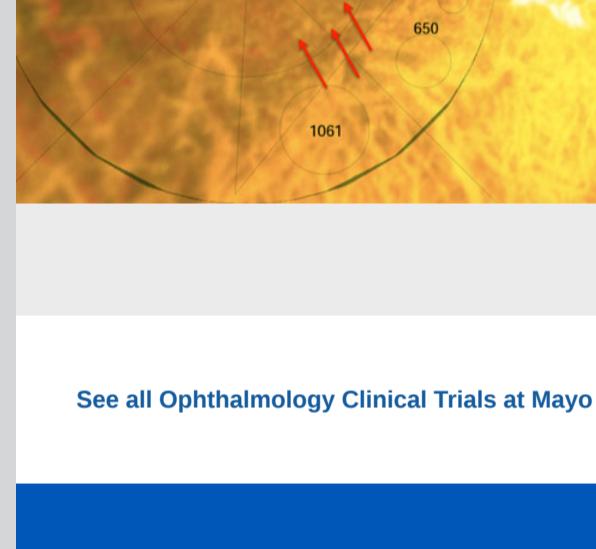
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Children with type 2 diabetes at greater risk of vision-threatening retinopathy

A retrospective study shows that children diagnosed with type 2 diabetes developed retinopathy after a shorter diabetes duration and at a higher rate than children with type 1 diabetes.

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Association between drusen phenotypes and advanced age-related macular degeneration

Reticular pseudodrusen, basal laminar drusen and calcified drusen all showed a strong association with more-advanced stages of age-related macular degeneration. The Mayo Clinic study also showed a link between RPD and cardiovascular death.

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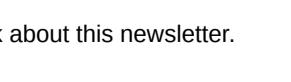
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