

Ophthalmology



Our Ophthalmology service provides an extensive range of treatment and care for routine and urgent referrals. Using the highest level of medical and surgical techniques with the most advanced equipment, our specialist-led team is happy to provide advice or to accept your cases on a referral basis.

To support a smooth referral process and for transparency and predictability of costs for your clients, we offer a number of fixed price procedures.

Cataract surgery

Unilateral cataract surgery	£4,000*
Bilateral cataract surgery	£5,500*

Procedure includes:

- An initial consultation with a member of our specialist-led Ophthalmology team
- The following preoperative investigations (if applicable):
 - Electroretinography
 - Ocular ultrasound – performed by our specialist-led Diagnostic Imaging team
 - Preoperative blood testing
- The cataract surgery itself (including placement of an artificial lens)
- General anaesthesia (including neuromuscular blockade performed by our specialist-led Anaesthesia team)
- Twice daily postoperative examinations and 24-hour intraocular pressure monitoring during hospitalisation
- 24-hour nursing care (with support provided by our 24-hour onsite vets)
- Hospitalisation for up to three nights (as required)
- Postoperative medications until first re-examination
- First re-examination appointment



Distichiasis treatment/surgery	£1,500*
Enucleation (1 eye)	£1,750*
Cherry eye surgical correction	
Unilateral	£1,500*
Bilateral	£2,000*
Entropion surgery	
1–2 eyelids	£2,000*
3–4 eyelids	£2,500*

Each procedure includes:

- Initial consultation with a member of our specialist-led Ophthalmology team
- The surgery itself including general anaesthesia provided by our specialist-led Anaesthesia team
- Up to one night of hospitalisation (*if required*)
- 24-hour care provided by our onsite nurses and veterinary surgeons
- Postoperative medications until first re-examination
- First re-examination

Complications during hospitalisation are also included

*Prices are valid for procedures for new referrals from 13 June to 31 December 2022

A multi-disciplinary approach

We have access to the expertise and support of our Internal Medicine and Cardiology specialist teams if needed. This benefits all patients but is particularly important for patients with co-morbidities such as diabetes mellitus as well as renal, liver and cardiac disease.

This demonstrates the real advantage of referring your cases to a truly specialist and multidisciplinary referral centre.

Other ophthalmic conditions

Our Ophthalmology team is happy to discuss cases with you and provide estimates as required for any other ophthalmic conditions or concerns you may have.

To contact us

To refer a routine case please go to the referral form on our website www.dickwhitereferrals.com/vet-professionals/referring-a-case/refer-a-routine-case-online/

If your case is an emergency please call the Client Care team on **01638 572012**.

Your clients will be under the care of a Client Care Manager during their time with us.



To read more about our Ophthalmology service, please visit our website www.dickwhitereferrals.com/vet-professionals/services/ophthalmology/



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