

OPHTHALMIC HOSPITALIST INTEREST GROUP

NEWSLETTER

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Announcements

Join the Community!

Have a questions or topic about inpatient/ER consults? Share on the [AAO/OHIG community](#)! Log in with your AAO username.

OHIG Round Table at AAO 2023

Thanks for attending! Great discussions about a variety of topics. Check out the Consult Rounds on page 2 for highlights

OHIG Topic Wishlist

Have a topic or case you would like to feature in an OHIG newsletter? We welcome your ideas and expertise. Email ohig@ohig.org.

Welcome New Members!

Thanks for joining OHIG! Please verify your information on the [OHIG website](#).



Articles

[Tele-Consults in the ER for On-Call Eye Triage, EyeNet, Nov 2023](#)

Highlights from Dr. April Maa at Emory who shares about tools for telehealth in the ER.

[The Ophthalmologist's Role in Emergency Care: On-Call and Follow Up Duties Under EMTALA, OMIC, 2006](#)

Risk management recommendations from the Ophthalmic Mutual Insurance Company (OMIC) regarding on-call duties.

[Eye Injuries in Mixed Martial Arts \(MMA\), EyeNet, Nov 2023](#)

Data from the Ultimate Fighting Championship (UFC) presented at the AAO symposium on sports-related ocular trauma.

PEARLS



Healthcare Valuation Services



HEALTHCARE VALUATION SERVICES

Negotiating your call coverage contract? Check out this helpful resource from **Craig Czyz** at AAO. **BuckheadFMV** provides surveys and fair market value opinions for physician on-call coverage.

[Click here](#)

Consult Triage and Visual Fields



Exploring options for telemedicine in the ER? Check out this virtual platform which will reliably check VA, color vision, **pupils**, EOM's, and perform visual fields.

[Click here](#)

CONSULT ROUNDS



Thank you for attending the OHIG Round Table Discussion at AAO 2023!

We had a wonderful turn out (sorry there were many more of you there but we were late remembering the group photo). Great conversations about telemedicine imaging for the ER, transfer perils, PA's on consults, recruitment for an awesome open hospitalist position at UC Davis, cool new consult devices, ideas for multi-institutional clinical trials, and more!

While there are many things we love about OHIG, the wealth of experience and community among its members is what we appreciate most.

In lieu of a traditional consult case, we have decided to share consult pearls from the annual AAO meeting. Here are some recommended on-demand/virtual courses and posters along with devices from the expo that also have promising potential for consults. We have no financial interest.



AAO Courses (Available on Demand)

Session: SYM04 Location: WEST 2009

Using Technology to Solve the Biggest Problems in Ophthalmology

Symposium

In Person, On Demand

10:00 **Hello, ER Doc, Can You Take an OCT and We Can Talk in a Bit? How Tele-Consults Can Transform Hospital-Based Ophthalmology Care**
April Y Maa MD

Session: SYM12 Location: WEST 2005

Sports-Related Ocular Trauma

Symposium

In Person, On Demand

Session: 255 Location: WEST 2010

Emergency Neuro-Ophthalmology: Diagnosis and Management

Instruction Course

In Person, On Demand

Session: RET06 Location: WEST 3004

Section IV: Medical Retina and Chorioretinal Vascular Disease

Session

In Person, Live Broadcast, On Demand

11:35 **Central Retinal Artery Occlusion: Time to Presentation and Diagnosis**
Robin A Vora MD

AAO Posters

PO323 — 2023

Patterns of Care for CRAO at a Tertiary Care Hospital: A Retrospective, Observational Cohort Study

PO368 — 2023

Patterns of Open Globe Injury During the COVID-19 Pandemic

PO498 — 2023

Costs and Treatment Pattern of Emergency Department and Outpatient Evaluation After CRAO

PO367 — 2023

Emergency Medical Services Benchmark Times for Open Globe Injuries in the United States, 2017-2021

PO161 — 2023

EE-Explorer: A Multimodal AI System for Eye Emergency Triage and Primary Diagnosis

 **TOPCON** Healthcare

Robotic OCT and Color Fundus Camera

Multimodal SD-OCT with One-Touch Acquisition



<https://topconhealthcare.com/products/maestro2/>

Great option for ER telemedicine consults, includes both fundus photos and OCT.



<https://eyenovia.com/>

Microdosing spray for dilated eye exams, could be useful for infants or patients in whom you wish to decrease systemic absorption of topical meds



<https://www.optomed.com/optomed-aurora-iq/>

Portable, high quality, easy to use portable fundus camera used by several institutions for consults.

VIRTUAL FIELD



<https://www.virtualfield.io/>

Virtual goggles for ER consult remote triage with VA, color vision, pupil exam, visual fields

AAO Meeting Consult Pearls Survey

Question: Have a consult course, poster, device, or newly learned pearl of wisdom from the AAO meeting? We'd love to know!

Please share on the AAO/OHIG Community: <https://aao.mobilize.io/main/groups/47315/lounge>

