**THE EYE INSTITUTE FOR MEDICINE & SURGERY**

**POLICY/PROTOCOL**

**PARACENTESIS – THERAPEUTIC RELEASE OF AQUEOUS HUMOR**

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Applies to: Clinic Leads, Front Office Leads, Anterior Segment Assistants

Paracentesis is occasionally performed in the clinic. It is not ever performed for diagnostic purposes but rather only for therapeutic purposes, to the best of the CEO’s knowledge.

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