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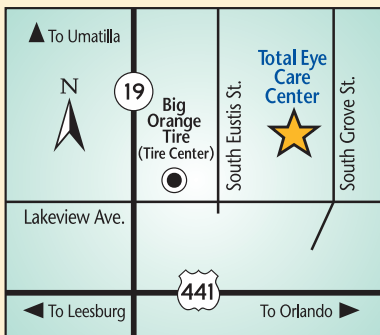
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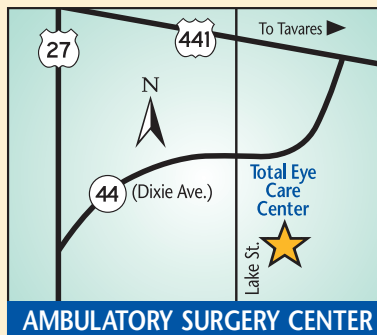
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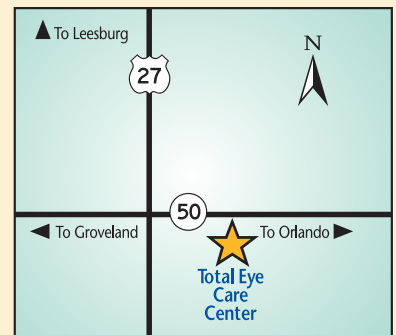
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Newly Approved By The FDA

Those who have not responded to laser treatment are good candidates for this exciting new treatment procedure.

Call one of our offices for an appointment to learn more information on whether this treatment may benefit you. ✧

Macugen® by Eyetech Pharmaceuticals got the government green light in January of this year for use in the United States. Already a success overseas, this aqueous solution offers more hope for stabilizing eyesight in those affected by neovascular (wet) Age Related Macular Degeneration (AMD).

Using topical anesthetic, the physician performs a painless injection of this solution into the eye. It is ideal in cases where lasers have been ineffectual.

THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF OPHTHALMOLOGY
has named March
"Low Vision/Age Related
Macular Degeneration Month".

Macugen® is available for any type of wet AMD and now offers physicians a wider range of treatment options to preserve the retina while stabilizing vision. In fact, a 2003 EOP study concluded that 65% to 70% of Macugen® users experienced vision stabilization.

Following the initial procedure, injections are repeated every 6 weeks while wet AMD is active, then, depending on the success treatments may be discontinued.

The surgeons at Total Eye Care Center can help determine whether Macugen® may be appropriate for those patients with wet AMD for whom other options are not viable.



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Good News For Advanced Cataract Sufferers

Also recently approved by the FDA for use in the U.S., VisionBlue® is available at Total Eye Care Center.

This surgical dye is now helping American ophthalmic surgeons to gain better visualization of dense cataracts or "white" cataracts during the surgical removal procedure. It is introduced into the eye during cataract surgery without the need for any additional incisions.

Also known as Trypan Blue, this solution helps to eliminate complications associated with advanced cataract removal and adds an extra margin of safety to the overall surgical process.

The doctors at Total Eye Care Center have already gained experience in the use of this new eye surgery tool and have been well pleased with the results for their patients. Said Dr. Sheridan,

"Precise, successful surgery results are always the objective, and now our patients with more advanced cataracts can feel even more confident going into the procedure." ✖



A Real Eye Opener

A newly approved device by Advanced Medical Optics (AMO), called a capsular tension ring, helps hold intraocular lens implants (IOLs) in place during and after surgery.

Made of the same material as the original IOL implants, this capsular tension ring not only improves surgical success but can remain in the eye post-operatively to continue to hold the IOL in place.

Another new product from Milzella is also helping doctors at Total Eye Care Center perform IOL implantation in those people with small or poorly dilating pupils.

Known as PerfectPupil®, this circular device is carefully placed into the eye during surgery in order to open the iris and allow surgeons to safely work to remove cataracts.

"Some patients simply have pupils that do not dilate well," says

Dr. Craig Fishman. "For those more complicated situations, this is the perfect tool to assist during cataract surgery."

The physicians at Total Eye Care Center are committed to maintaining up-to-date technology to achieve the best possible outcome for our patients.

Call Total Eye Care Center for appointments or evaluations. ✖



StabilEyes Capsular Tension Ring



StabilEyes Capsular Tension Ring and Micro Inserter

Making The Right Transition

Years ago, eyeglass lenses that darken when the wearer goes from indoors to outdoors were very good at performing that function, but were made of heavy glass. This made for an uncomfortable experience for most consumers.

Then, intended as a solution to this problem, manufacturers created plastic transition lenses that were lighter. Unfortunately they lacked the range of darkening and lightening of their glass predecessors. Moreover, the plastic lenses had a short 'life span' and performance would decrease over a relatively short period of time.

Transitions Optical, Inc. Announces Its Newest Transitions Lens Transitions® V With ESP™ (Enhanced Scientific Performance).

Thanks to the most advanced technology in the industry today, new Transitions® V Lenses with ESP™ offer overall superior performance to patients who choose impact-resistant lenses or who require higher indices. The result is a truly innovative product line that offers excellent everyday alternatives to clear lens wearers.

What's New About Transitions® V Lenses With ESP™

- Unparalleled photochromic performance
- Choice of colors; gray or brown
- 100% UV radiation blockage
- As clear as clear lenses indoors
- As dark as sunglasses outdoors in sunlight
- Significantly faster fade back - more than twice as fast
- Fast reaction to changing light ✕



For The Health And Convenience Of Our Valued Patients

The doctors at Total Eye Care Center are on call for our patients 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. During the night, over the weekend or on holidays, our level of medical commitment never takes a break.

If one of our patients experiences an ocular emergency, they can call any one of our offices and one of our doctors will be notified.

Total Eye Care Center has three convenient offices covering all of Lake County. Our Leesburg location hosts the only fully dedicated ophthalmic surgical facility in Lake County. ✕



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