

# PANEL DISCUSSION ON GLAUCOMA

[Breakfast with the Experts]

## SPEAKERS:

1. DR. STEPHEN AKAFO
2. DR. SETH FIADOYOR
3. DR. SETH LARTEY
4. DR. CHARLES COFIE
5. DR. ANGELINA AMPONG

## MODERATOR:

- DR. MICHAEL E-GYASI

WHATSAPP QUESTIONS TO: 0246866580

- 1. INTRODUCTION
- 2. GUIDELINES
- Questions could be sent to a Whatsapp No.  
0246866580
- We encourage contributions from the audience
- Immersive and Interactive

- 1. DR. LARTEY:
- VISUAL FIELDS TEST-Dr. Lartey
- WE HAVE BEEN TEACHING VISUAL FIELDS INTERPRETATIONS OVER THE LAST FEW YEARS. WHAT SPECIFIC EXPERIENCES WOULD YOU WANT TO SHARE WITH THE AUDIENCE IN THE INTERPRETATION OF THESE FIELDS

- 2. DR. FIADOYOR:
- GLAUCOMA FILTERING SURGERY-Dr. Fiadoyor
- You talk passionately about Glaucoma surgeries. Do you still think that we should do a lot of trabeculectomies in an environment where very effective drugs are readily available?
- What are the common mistakes that should be avoided in performing Trabeculectomy?

- 3. ANGIE:
- TARGET PRESSURE-Dr. Ampong
- Last year you did talk about Target Pressure concepts. How practical do you see the role of target pressure in our day to day management of Glaucoma cases

- 6 ANGIE:
- EYEDROPS APPLICATION AND COMPLIANCE
- Do you often educate your patients on how to use their eye drops, during clinical sessions? And if you do, what specific message do you tell them and who does it-your self or your nurse?

- . ALL: POST-OP HYPOTONY: How do you manage them?



- 8. ALL: IN THE SETTING OF ADVANCED GLAUCOMA WHEN WILL YOU CONSIDER NOT TO OPERATE AND WHAT MEASURES WOULD YOU TAKE TO ENSURE A SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME?



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- 9. ALL: ESTABLISHMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF NORMAL TENSION GLAUCOMA



- 4. DR. COFIE:
- GDxNFA-Dr. Cofie
- Assuming that we are all receiving a GDxNFA Print-out for the first time, could you take members through a step by step approach in interpreting this report
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- 5.DR. AKAFO:
- GONIOSCOPY-Dr. Akafo
- How much importance do you place on Gonioscopy, taking into consideration the fact that ACG is found in less than 10% of all Glaucomas in Ghana. What should 'gonioscopy students' look out for in the ACA?
- Would you consider the performance of Van Herricks as a useful alternative and how is this performed?

