

# Advice after Intravitreal Injection

**Please use the antibiotic eye drops and ointment as advised.**

**Following your treatment you may experience the following:**

***Your eye/s may feel sore for a few days following your treatment.***

Painkillers e.g. Paracetamol will help with the soreness.

**Your eye/s may feel gritty**

This will normally go away after a week.

**The white area of your eye/s, where the injection was given may be red/bloodshot**

The eye will return to being white after a few days.

**You may have spots/'floaters' in your vision**

These are normal and will settle with time.

**If you experience any of the following please contact the eye department immediately:**

- Painful red eye (not relieved by painkillers).
- Sticky eye and pus like discharge.
- Sudden/significant worsening of vision.
- A veil or curtain coming into your vision.



Your vision may be blurred for a few days but if your eyesight is significantly worse, please contact the numbers below. If you experience any chest pain or you feel very unwell please go to the Accident & Emergency department.

### Contact Numbers:

Eye Clinic, Doncaster Royal Infirmary,

**Tel: 01302 366666 ext. 3672** (8.30am-5.30pm weekdays only).

Eye Ward, Doncaster Royal Infirmary,

**Tel: 01302 642431 or 01302 642413 or**

**01302 366666 ext. 642413** (out of hours, weekends and bank holidays).

### Patient Experience Team

The team are available to offer advice or information on healthcare matters. Their office is in the Main Foyer (Gate 4) of Doncaster Royal Infirmary. Contact can be made either in person, by telephone or email. The team can visit inpatients on all Trust sites.

### The contact details are:

Telephone: 01302 553140 or 0800 028 8059

Email: [pals.dbh@dbh.nhs.uk](mailto:pals.dbh@dbh.nhs.uk).

