

## Eye Unit/ Retinal Services

# Discharge advice following your Jetrea Injection

| Drops                             | Morning   | Lunch | Tea | Bedtime |
|-----------------------------------|---|-------|-----|---------|
| <b>Chloramphenicol for 4 days</b> | √   | √     | √   | √       |
| <b>Celluvisc 1%</b>               | <b>Instill one drop twice today and one drop in the morning</b> |       |     |         |

- Do not rub your eye for 24 hours.
- When you have a wash, clean your eye gently with warm water using a flannel.
- Do not get soap or shampoo into your eye. If you do, gently wash it out.
- Expect your eye to be red for a few days.
- Expect your eye to be a little painful. Take painkillers to relieve this.
- Expect to see lots of black floaters / spots or even bubbles after the injection these will disappear after a few days.



## Patient Information

Please remember endophthalmitis (severe infection inside the eye) is very rare but is a possible complication that requires an emergency admission. Therefore please attend the Eye Casualty at University Hospital Coventry and Warwickshire if:

- Your eye is very painful or if the pain increases the day after the injection instead of being less painful.
- The eye is sticky and you notice a coloured discharge.
- Your vision is worse/ or there is a shower of black spots or a shadow.

### **Useful Contacts:**

**UHCW Eye Casualty Tel 024 7696 6627**

Open from:

|                    |                   |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| Monday to Thursday | 08.30am – 4.30pm  |
| Friday             | 08.30am – 4.00pm  |
| Saturday           | 08.30am – 12.00pm |

**Outside these hours** attend the Main Accident Emergency Department at UHCW

**For advice/ queries ring:**

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## Patient Information

### **Secretary to Sergio Pagliarini:**

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The Trust has access to interpreting and translation services. If you need this information in another language or format please contact 024 7696 7674 and we will do our best to meet your needs.

The Trust operates a smoke free policy

#### **Document History**

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