

Pathway:	Oculoplastic – Watery Eyes
Referral Criteria/Commissioning position:	
<p><i>Surgery for watery eyes is not routinely commissioned; Requests for funding are required, prior to referral, to the Individual Funding Request Panel (IFR) on the grounds of clinical exceptionality;</i></p> <p>Investigations prior to referral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	
Information to include in referral letter:	
<p><i>The GP referral letter should contain:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Description of symptoms and duration including reason for clinical exceptionality • History and duration of complaint • Past medical/surgical history • Drug history (prescribed and non-prescribed) • Current regular medication • BMI • Smoking status • Alcohol consumption 	
References & Additional information:	
<p>Patient Information Leaflet: click here</p> <p>References: http://www.patient.co.uk/doctor/Epiphoria-(Watering-Eyes).htm</p>	
CCG GP sign off:	SRCCG Business Committee (Delegated to Dr Greg Black)
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