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A chart to clarify your glaucoma general diagnosis

Aged-related Neurodegenerative Diseases

Glaucoma

100%

Primary

~60%

Open Angle (POAG)
- Normal-Tension (NTG)

~40%

Angle Closure
- Acute
- Chronic

~20%

Congenital (Childhood)

Secondary

~40%

Primary Open Angle (POAG) (POAG)
- Normal-Tension (NTG)

Primary Angle Closure
- Acute
- Chronic

Primary Congenital (Childhood)

Secondary

~25%

Exfoliation (XFG)

~25%

Pigment Dispersion Syndrome (PDG)

~15%

Neovascular (NVG)

Iridocorneal Endothelial Syndrome (ICE)

Traumatic
- Blunt Trauma (Angle Recession)

Uveitic

Affecting one eye
- Fuch’s Heterochromic Uveitis
- Posner-Schlossman Syndrome
- Herpetic uveitis

Affecting both eyes
- Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis
- Ankylosing Spondylitis
- Sarcoidosis

Note: This box shape denotes secondary glaucomas that could be open angle – or might morph to angle closure, which is often more difficult to treat

Other
- Drug-induced
- Lens-related
- Iatrogenic

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