



Defense Health Agency, J-7, Continuing Education Program Office

Ocular Trauma and Vision Readiness: Iris Suturing

Live Course, October 24, 2025

Continuing Education (CE)/Continuing Medical Education (CME) Information

This CE/CME activity is accredited by the DHA, J-7, Continuing Education Program Office (CEPO). This activity provides continuing education for physicians, nurses and optometrists. A certificate of attendance is available for other attendees.

Ocular Trauma and Vision Readiness: Iris Suturing (1.00 clock hour) 1200-1300 (ET)

Learning Objectives:

1. State the indications for iris repair and reconstruction.
2. Describe the various iris suturing techniques and the advantage/disadvantage of each for certain defects.
3. Explain the iris reconstruction options, and which patient may benefit from each type.

Faculty:

CDR Gabriel Valerio, MD. Presenter has no relevant financial or non-financial relationship(s) with ineligible companies to disclose.

Disclosures:

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Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE)



In support of improving patient care, DHA, J-7, CEPO is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team. This activity was planned by and for the healthcare team, and learners will receive 1.00 Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE) credit for learning and change.

Physicians (ACCME)



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Optometrists (ARBO/COPE)



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All other healthcare professionals completing this CE/CME activity will be issued a Certificate of Attendance indicating participation and the number of hours of CE/CME credit. This may be used for submission to licensing boards for satisfaction of CE/CME requirements.

Commercial Support:

No commercial support was provided for this activity.

Participation Costs:

There is no cost to participate in this activity.

CE/CME Inquiries:

For all CE/CME related inquiries, please contact: dha.ncr.j7.mbx.continuing-education-office@health.mil.

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