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an-GlauDrain

Gonioimplant - Implantation Instructions



A newly designed foldable Gonioimplant

The ring structure on the base plate of the Glaucomaimplant prevents the tissue from lying flat on the base plate. The breaks found intermittently in the rings facilitate the outflow of aqueous humor in patients with glaucoma.

This innovative design allows the aqueous humor to percolate out of the eye underneath the conjunctiva which lowers the intraocular pressure.





Key Features of the an-GlauDrain:

- · Functional drainage system
- Foldability allows implantation through smaller incision
- Base is made of Hydrophobic acrylate



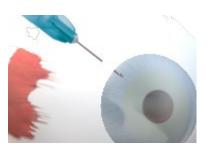
4. Insert the tube into the anterior chamber not more than 2-3 mm inside. Make sure that the tube does not touch the cornea or the iris.



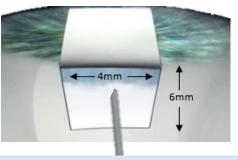
1. Place the an-GlauDrain as far as possible from the limbus, in-between tenon's capsule and sclera in a subconjunctival pocket (about 8-10mm away form the limbus) in the lateral cranial quadrant of the globe. It can be sutured if needed using the fixation holes next to the tube.



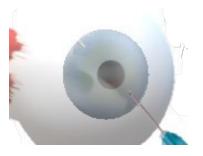
5. Use 8-0 or 9-0 Vicryl or Nylon sutures to close the pocket.



2. Use a 20G needle to enter the anterior chamber from the pocket. If needed, use viscoelastic to lubricate the pathway for easy insertion of the tube through the 20G needle track.



3. (Optional step) Make a limbus based ½ mm thickness scleral flap (4 mm wide by 6 mm long), to cover the shunt tube. Where donor scleral or pericardium is available, cover the tube by 1 cm x 1cm tissue.



Helpful Tip:

If the an-GlauDrain is blocked, use a 27G needle to enter the tube of the an-GlauDrain through the paracenteses on the opposite side of the entrance into the anterior chamber. After entering the tube inject TPA.



an-GlauDrain is:

- Easy to handle
- Steam sterilized in BSS