

Fact sheet

# Central Adelaide Ophthalmology Service

## Clinical Information Sheet

Clinical Condition	AMD (Aged Related Macular Degeneration)
<b>Eligibility</b>	Choroidal Neovascularization (CNV) also known as Wet AMD Blurred vision or distorted central vision Amsler grid showing central vision changes
<b>Priority and how to access services</b>	Cat 1 - with vision distortion Cat 2 - without vision distortion
<b>Differential Diagnoses</b>	Branch retinal vein occlusion Polypoidal choroidal vasculopathy Macular dystrophy Macular telangiectasia Central serous chorioretinopathy
<b>Information required with referral</b>	Optometrist/Ophthalmologist Report including VA, refraction and retinal examination.
<b>Investigations required with referral</b>	OCT scan would be beneficial. Fluorescein angiography should also be provided if it has been done elsewhere.
<b>Pre-Referral management strategies (information required with referral)</b>	As above
<b>Discharge Criteria/information</b>	Patients require regular follow up guided by the stage of their disease
<b>Fact sheets</b>	<a href="http://www.ranzco.edu/images/NEW_SITE/Eye_Health_Information/opa_ranzco_mac_degen.pdf">http://www.ranzco.edu/images/NEW_SITE/Eye Health Information/opa_ranzco_mac_degen.pdf</a>

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