

Red Eye Objectives

At the completion of the seminar the resident:

- 1. Will understand important components of the history and eye exam including historical features and physical signs of serious eye pathology (eg painful eye, decreased acuity, ciliary flush, dendritic lesions, increased IOP, consensual photophobia, systemic symptoms).
- 2. Will understand diagnosis of management of common causes of red eye in primary care (eg allergic, bacterial, viral conjunctivitis, blepharitis, hordeolum). This will include an approach to the use of topical antibiotics in the treatment of bacterial conjunctivitis.
- 3. Will know to look for underlying systemic illness in patients presenting with episcleriitis, uveitis, and scleritis.