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## RETROPUPILLARY IRIS-CLAW IOL IMPLANTATION AND SINGLE-PASS FOUR-THROW PUPILLOPLASTY IN A CASE OF IRIS RUPTURE AND APHAKIA FOLLOWING BLUNT TRAUMA

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**Purpose:** To present a video of a case of a single-pass four-throw pupilloplasty and retropupillary iris-claw IOL implantation following traumatic iris rupture and aphakia secondary to blunt trauma.

**Introduction:** Blunt eye trauma can cause a multiplicity of intrinsic eye injuries depending on the type of trauma caused to the eye. Lens dislocation can happen when zonular fibers are severely damaged following countercoup-type eye trauma from direct injury, iris rupture can either occur with iridodyalisis, with separation of iris root from the ciliary body or with stromal injury resulting in an aniridia-like damage.

**Methods:** Case report of a 70-year-old male who suffered blunt trauma to the right eye resulting in aphakia with lens dislocation to the vitreous body and iris rupture. This video illustrates an example of a single-pass four-throw pupilloplasty and retropupillary iris-claw IOL implantation.

**Results:** After 1 year of follow-up, the patient had achieved a BCVA of 8/10, with centered IOL and good anatomical and functional result of pupilloplasty.

**Conclusion:** Single-pass four-throw pupilloplasty is a safe and efficient method of resolution of iris trauma as there is need of only one suture and knot for a safely close the defect, reducing the iatrogenic trauma due to the excessive manipulation of the iris.

Retropupillary iris-claw IOL in aphakic patients is a technique with good optical results, when implanted along the iris stroma apposed by the single-pass four-throw pupilloplasty, it can act as a complementary reinforcement of the iris sutures.