

# OUR DOCTORS



## Dr Tess Huynh

MBBS FRANZCO

**With over 20 years of experience, Dr Tess Huynh is a highly respected cataract, corneal and refractive surgeon who is actively involved in research, teaching and charity work. Her significant expertise with cataracts allows her to perform both routine cataract surgery, as well as more complex removals for patients with co-occurring eye conditions.**

Dr Huynh also specialises in corneal conditions – she has a particular interest in collagen cross-linking to treat keratoconus and pterygium surgery using autografting. In addition, Dr Huynh also performs vision correction using laser eye surgery (LASIK, SMILE®/SMILE® pro and ASLA) and treats more general eye conditions. She is fluent in both English and Vietnamese.

### BACKGROUND

Dr Tess Huynh received her Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery from the University of Sydney and went on to finish her residency training at several major hospitals in New South Wales. In 2000, she commenced specialist RANZCO ophthalmology training at the Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital. On completion, she was granted a corneal fellowship for sub-speciality training at the Centre for Eye Research Australia in Melbourne.

Dr Huynh's teaching positions include Clinical Lecturer at Macquarie University Hospital and Lecturer for the Master of Refractive Surgery program at the University of Sydney. She also lectures at certification courses for national and international ophthalmologists and sits on the College Board of Examiners for the RANZCO Ophthalmic Basic Competencies and Knowledge (OBCK) exam.

Dr Huynh has a passion for helping the less privileged and has been involved in charity work in Australia, Vietnam, Cambodia and the Philippines. She has been actively involved as a volunteer surgeon and fundraiser for the Vietnam Vision Project (now Australian Health Humanitarian Aid) since 2006. Dr Huynh was awarded

a Pharmacia Grant, in conjunction with an honorary position at the Royal Children's Hospital International Charity Organisation, for establishing a retinopathy of prematurity screening program at the National Paediatric Hospital in Hanoi, Vietnam. Other organisations that Dr Huynh volunteers for include Rotary Club, Cambodia Vision, Sight For All and Christian Blind Mission International.

Dr Huynh is actively involved in clinical research and has published several peer-reviewed articles. As a highly regarded member of the ophthalmic community, she has been invited to present extensively at conferences in Australia and the Asia-Pacific region.

### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Fellow of the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Ophthalmologists (FRANZCO)
- Member of the Australian Medical Association
- Member of the Australasian Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons
- Member of the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery
- Member of the European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons

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## RESEARCH

- Corneal Collagen Cross Linking (CXL) vs CXL in Combination with Ortho Keratology
- Corneal Collagen Cross Linking combined with Kerarings
- Multifocal versus Monovision for Presbyopia (Alcon)
- ReSTOR +3 Prospective Trial (Alcon)
- ReSTOR +4 Four Year Results at Lasersight and PersonalEYES (Alcon)
- Phototherapeutic Keratectomy for Pseudophakic Bullous Keratopathy
- Desferrioxamine retinopathy
- Immunosuppressive treatment in PUK and Necrotising scleritis

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