

Clinic Name	Royal North Shore Ambulatory Care Centre Ophthalmology Clinic
Conditions seen	General Ophthalmology Cataract Cornea Glaucoma Medical and Surgical Retina Neuro-ophthalmology Oculoplastics Paediatrics
Conditions not seen	Adult refractive conditions alone, without co-morbidity Minor cosmetic abnormalities without any other pathology Presbyopia without co-morbidity Family history glaucoma Drug toxicity Headache Chronic stable conditions such as glaucoma and diabetic eye related disorders, please refer to local ophthalmic practitioner for ongoing monitoring
Paediatric service	Yes
Accept referrals from	GP Optometrist Specialist referral
How to refer	A standardised template is being developed (as of April 2017). Referral letters on any template accepted currently. Referrals should be emailed to NSLHD-AccReferrals@health.nsw.gov.au
Urgent referrals	<u>For patients whose condition is identified from referral details as having an acute sight or life threatening condition where immediate medical or surgical intervention is required</u> For emergency referrals contact through RNSH switch (02)99267111 and send patient to the RNSH Emergency Department <u>Examples of Urgent conditions are Acute angle closure glaucoma</u> Central retinal artery occlusion Chemical injury Conjunctivitis >1/52 Conjunctivitis with pain Corneal ulceration Flashes/floaters with field loss Orbital cellulitis Periocular Herpes Simplex / Herpes Zoster infection Post-operative/Post intraocular injection inflammation Pupil changes Red eye in contact lens wearer Sudden loss of vision

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TIA
Trauma to eye/ orbit
Uveitis

Contact 02 9463 1400

Hours Monday –Friday 0800hrw 1630hrs

**Telehealth
service** N/A

Website <http://sydneynorthhealthnetwork.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/ambulatory-care-centre-acc-rns-hospital.pdf>

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