

**CASE STUDY**

Number CS25XXX

**Title**

Enter a short descriptive sentence about the case

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| Author Name: | Your name |
| Author email address: | Your email address (optional) |
| Date: | Date you created this case study |
| GOC CPD domains addressed: | ProfessionalismCommunicationClinical practiceLeadership and accountabilitySpecialty |
| Level: | essential / moderate / difficult |
| **Agreement** |
| I give my permission for this case study to be used by the College of Optometrists, it’s staff and members of the College for educational and development purposes.Yes / No |

**Case Details**

Give a succinct narrative about the encounter with this patient and the interactions. Please do not just give details which “point to the answer” but don’t put in too many that it would confuse people. Use this section to describe the patient and anything that may (or may not) be useful about their lifestyle.

Medical History

Outline the patient's medical history, including relevant past conditions, previous treatments, and any predisposing factors that may have influenced the current case (although you may wish to put those in the previous section to not make them obvious).

Clinical Findings

Put in all the clinical findings you have for the patient – not just the ones that point to the diagnosis so that people have to use their skills in identifying what information is important in this case.

Images

Try and use clear images and ensure that you have the authority to use them in this case study.

Questions

Add any questions you think will generate discussion amongst the group and cannot be answered with a yes / no. We have put some samples in – feel free to use / adapt / delete them.

1. What are the important features in this case?
2. What would you have done differently and why?
3. Is there any more information you would require and why?
4. Are there any additional tests you would perform and what are you hoping to find?
5. Which test results attract your attention and why?
6. What would you do next (if anything at all)?

This Case Supports the Following GOC and College Standards

Copy and paste the relevant sections from the GOC Standards of Practice and the College Guidance for Professional Practice here

**GOC Standards of Practice**

Paste the relevant [standards](https://optical.org/optomanddostandards/) here

**College of Optometrists Guidance on Professional Practice**

Paste the relevant [sections](https://www.college-optometrists.org/clinical-guidance/guidance) here

Useful Information and Links

Put links in here of any web resources that people may find interesting and useful for this case. Remember to use the best practice for citing such links: LINK. [Accessed date].

**Case Notes for Facilitators**

Highlight any interesting points that a facilitator can highlight or hints they can give if the group become stuck. Also, if there are trip-up areas where you think lots of people may go off in a wrong direction or make a mistake.

College Education and clinical staff will enhance this section to get the most educational benefit from your case.