

(GLAUCOMA) NURSING CARE PLAN

Medical Diagnosis: Glaucoma		
Subjective Data:	Nursing Intervention (ADPIE)	Rationale
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hazy vision • Rainbow-colored halos around lights • Sudden vision loss • Severe eye pain/pressure • Slow vision changes (blurred vision, narrowed vision (tunnel vision), blind spots) • Nausea 	Assess patients vision	Knowing where the patients vision was previous to what you assess currently so you know how much their vision has changed from before
	Educating on proper eye drop administration	Post-procedure or during long-term management, patients are frequently on various eye drops. It's essential they understand thoroughly which drops to administer when, how to do so appropriately. They may need additional intervention with color-coding bottles because they may not be able to clearly read labels. Ensure support systems are equally aware of regimen.
	Educate on importance of F/U care with provider	Compliance is key! Patients must follow be compliant with their treatment regimen to prevent further deterioration. Also to immediately report any new changes that may happen
Objective Data: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vomiting 	Manage pain	Patients can have sudden pain, which will increase their intraocular pressure, making the problem even worse.
	Manage anxiety	A sudden inability to see or the new knowledge that you will have a degree of blindness is upsetting. Provide as much education and emotional support as possible, and if necessary, administer medications.