



**Want to know more about
Cataracts treatment
options?**

You can never be too careful when it comes to taking care of your eyes.

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What is cataract surgery?

Cataract surgery is all about removing the faulty lens in your eye, and in majority of the scenarios, replacing it with an artificial lens. In fact, it is among one of the most frequently and successfully carried out eye surgeries

right now, in the U.S as well as across the globe.

According to the American Society of Cataracts and Refractive Surgery (ASCRS), 3 million Americans undergo cataract surgery each year, with an overall

***success rate of 98
percent or higher.***

Cataract is an eye condition leading to the cloudiness of a clear eye lens otherwise, which results in affecting your vision eventually. An ophthalmologist normally carries out a cataract operation, and in most of the cases, you don't even need to stay in the hospital

after the surgery is done, i.e. you get it done on an outpatient basis.

So, why do you need a cataract surgery in the first place?

Well, if you want to get your cataracts problem treated, you need to undergo such a surgery. Since cataracts can inflict you with a blurry

vision, also turning your eyesight sensitive to the glare from lights, turning your daily-life activities into a problem for you. This is when your doctor may advise you for cataract surgery.

Another possible scenario leading you to such a surgery can be the interference or hindrance of cataracts in treatment of

other eye problems, such as age related macular degeneration, diabetic eye problems and other common eye diseases. With a clouded eye lens, optometrists fail to examine the back of the eye comprehensively.

When is the right time to have cataract surgery?

When dealing with cataract removal, you better ask yourself the following questions:

Are cataracts making it difficult for you to carry out your daily or occupational activities?

Is your ability to drive to work or at night being affected by cataracts?

Is reading or watching television becoming cumbersome for you due to cataracts?

Are you having issues in cooking, shopping,

**yard-work, taking
medications or climbing
stairs?**

**Do you feel difficulty in
seeing under bright
lights?**

**Is your level of
independence getting**

**disturbed after having
cataracts?**

**Is your cataracts
problem manageable
through alternative
ways?**

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