

The logo for ClearSight LASIK features the words "ClearSight" in a blue, serif font and "LASIK" in a larger, bold, blue, sans-serif font. Below "LASIK" is a blue silhouette of a person's head and shoulders, with the letters "RTS FIN" visible on the right side. The entire logo is set against a light gray background with a faint circular graphic.

## **ClearSight Doctors Present Breakthroughs in Refractive Surgery at ASCRS Annual Meeting: A Future of Enhanced Vision and Patient Care**

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In an era where advancements in medical technology promise not just improvements but transformations in patient care, ClearSight stands at the forefront of refractive surgery innovation. This April, the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery (ASCRS) annual meeting will showcase presentations from two of the most distinguished figures in the field, Dr. Luke Rebenitsch and Dr. Patricia Fortin, who are set to highlight the latest breakthroughs and patient outcomes in refractive surgery. Their insights are not only anticipated to redefine standards of care but also to guide patients and practitioners towards more informed decisions in the pursuit of visual excellence.

Dr. Luke Rebenitsch, commonly addressed as Dr. Luke, is an authority in refractive surgery and will captivate audiences with two groundbreaking presentations. The first, titled "The Modern Day Phakic IOL and Its Place in Refractive Surgery," will delve into the evolution and current significance of Phakic Intraocular Lenses (IOLs) as a vital option for patients seeking vision correction surgery. Dr. Rebenitsch's discussion aims to unravel the complexities and explain the benefits of Phakic IOLs, highlighting their enhanced safety profiles, effectiveness, and their pivotal role in treating a wide range of refractive errors that were previously deemed

challenging.

His second presentation, "Refractive Results of Cataract Surgery in Different Axial Length and Corneal Curvature Profiles," is set to provide an in-depth analysis of the outcomes of cataract surgery. By examining the impact of various axial lengths and corneal curvatures on post-surgical refractive results, Dr. Luke's findings promise to offer critical insights that could potentially revolutionize patient selection criteria and pre-operative planning, ensuring optimized outcomes for diverse patient demographics.

Dr. Patricia Fortin, another esteemed expert within the ClearSight team, will present a compelling study entitled "Beyond 20/20 Vision: A Patient-Reported Outcomes Study Comparing STODS and Visual Outcomes in SMILE Versus LASIK." This prospective study sheds light on the comparative outcomes of Small Incision Lenticule Extraction (SMILE) and Laser-Assisted In Situ Keratomileusis (LASIK), two of the most sought-after procedures in refractive surgery. Dr. Fortin's research details the nuances between these techniques, focusing on patient-reported outcomes regarding dry eye symptoms, visual acuity, and refractive accuracy post-surgery.

At the heart of Dr. Fortin's presentation is the revelation that ClearSight's robust treatment protocol for SMILE has achieved equality with LASIK in terms of visual acuity results, yet with a significantly reduced incidence of dry eye symptoms postoperatively. This finding is not just a testament to the surgical excellence cultivated at ClearSight but also heralds a new era where patient comfort and outcome satisfaction are equally paramount to visual correction.

The implications of these presentations extend far beyond the auditoriums of the ASCRS meeting. For reporters, these findings offer a rich vein of stories that delve into the future of eye care, highlighting how technological advancements and surgical precision converge to improve patient experiences and outcomes. The compelling data points and narratives presented by Drs. Rebenitsch and Fortin are an open invitation to explore the frontiers of refractive surgery, engage with leading experts, and bring these insights to a global audience eager for news on medical breakthroughs.

For fellow refractive surgeons and medical professionals, the presentations by Dr. Rebenitsch and Dr. Fortin are poised to set new benchmarks in the field. The detailed exploration of Phakic IOLs, the nuanced outcomes of cataract surgery across different patient profiles, and the comparative study on SMILE versus LASIK surgeries encapsulate essential knowledge for enhancing surgical outcomes and patient satisfaction. This exchange of knowledge at the ASCRS meeting fosters a collaborative environment that propels the entire field forward, ensuring that practitioners are equipped with the latest insights and techniques to refine their practice.

Potential patients and those contemplating refractive surgery will find in these presentations a beacon of

hope and a guide towards making informed choices about their vision correction options. The insights shared by Drs. Rebenitsch and Fortin demystify the complexities of refractive surgery, offering clarity on the safety, effectiveness, and patient-centric outcomes of the latest surgical techniques. For individuals seeking to improve their vision, these findings underscore ClearSight's commitment to excellence, innovation, and patient satisfaction, making it a trusted partner in their journey towards visual freedom.

As the ASCRS annual meeting approaches, the anticipation builds for the presentations of Dr. Luke Rebenitsch and Dr. Patricia Fortin. Their expertise, coupled with the pioneering work at ClearSight, stands as a testament to the relentless pursuit of excellence in refractive surgery. For reporters, medical professionals, and potential patients alike, these presentations are not merely lectures; they are invitations to witness the future of vision correction, a future where the boundaries of what's possible are continuously expanded for the betterment of patient care and outcomes.

ClearSight invites all interested parties to visit their website for more information on Dr. Rebenitsch's and Dr. Fortin's work, our innovative approaches to refractive surgery, and how they are setting new standards in patient care. Join them in advancing the conversation on refractive surgery and explore how ClearSight is leading the way in creating a clearer, brighter future for all.

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