



Vernal Keratoconjunctivitis Associated with Terrien Degeneration and Intralesional Cysts

A 22-year-old White man with vernal keratoconjunctivitis was referred with the diagnosis of concomitant Terrien marginal degeneration. Snellen vision was 20/20 in both eyes. In the superior quadrants, slit-lamp examination revealed a large solitary cyst focally replacing the thinned stroma (between 11 and 2 o'clock in his right eye [A] and at 11 o'clock in left eye [B]), a fine vascular pannus, and subepithelial opacity at the advancing edge. Anterior-segment OCT (C, D) confirmed the location of the bilateral hyporeflective cysts directly anterior to the limbus (arrows). No change was observed over a 3-year follow-up (Magnified version of Figure A-D is available online at www.aaojournal.org).

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