Limbal stem cell transplantation with fibrin sealant for the treatment

of recurrent pterygium. [Chinese]

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Abstract:

AIM: To analyze the therapeutic effectiveness of the fibrin sealant with limbal stem cell

transplantation in the treatment of recurrent pterygium. METHODS: Totally 88 eyes with recurrent

pterygium were randomly divided into two groups: observer group of limbal stem cell transplantation

with fibrin sealant and control group of string with limbal stem cell transplantation in the treatment of

recurrent pterygium. RESULTS: The recurrence rate was 2.2% in observer group and 14.3% in

control group, respectively (P < 0.05). Postoperatively, the foreign bodies sensation and the rate of

transplant edema in observer group were less than that in control group. CONCLUSION: Fibrin

sealant with limbal stem cell transplantation for treating recurrent pterygium has the advantage of

slight trauma, mild pain, short operative time, early recovery. It is a more effective and satisfactory

surgery way.