## **Central Retinal Artery Occlusion (CRAO)**

## **Risk Factors/Causes**

- Atherosclerosis
- Emboli
  - Cardiac sources:valves or myxoma
- Coagulopathies
  - Sickle cell
  - Oral contraceptives
  - pregnancy
  - homocystinuria
  - platelet abnormalities
  - clotting factor abnormalities
  - Collagen vascular diseases
- Ocular abnormalities
  - Arterial loops
  - optic disc drusen
- Migraine
- Hypotension
- Trauma
- Age
  - ∘ 60 + years old
- Gender
  - more men than women are affected.
- 1-2 % are bilateral

## From:

https://www.childrenseye.org/wiki/ - Children's Eye Wiki

Permanent link:

https://www.childrenseye.org/wiki/doku.php?id=central\_retinal\_artery\_occlusion\_crao

Last update: **2015/11/09 21:52** 

