

# Pediatric Intermediate Uveitis

## Causes

- Most are idiopathic
- Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis common
- Infections
  - Lyme disease (antibody test)
  - toxocariasis (antibody test)
  - syphilis (antibody test)
  - HTLV-1 (antibody test)
  - Bartonellosis (antibody test)
- Multiple sclerosis (MRI brain, HLA-DR2 and HLA-DR15)
- Sarcoidosis (ACE may be elevated normally, Chest Xray)
- Necrotizing systemic vasculitis
  - Behçets disease
  - Eales disease
- Collagen vascular diseases (HLA-B27)
  - Ankylosing Spondylitis
  - Inflammatory Bowel Diseases - (Ulcerative colitis, Crohn disease)
  - Psoriatic arthritis

## Masqueraders

- Endophthalmitis- suspect in the setting of recent surgery or intraocular injection, immunocompromised or parenteral nutrition or central line
- Intraocular lymphoma. (CBC with differential)

## Idiopathic

- Pars planitis

Reference: [AAO Pediatric Intermediate Uveitis](#)

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