Australian Shepherd (Standard, Miniature and Toy)	

Ocular disorders known or presumed to be inherited (published)

	Diagnosis	Description and comments specific to the breed	Inheritance	Gene/ marker test	References
A	Microphthalmia with multiple anomalies	Suspected to be associated with merle coat coloration	Unknown	NO	1,2,3,4,5,6,7
B	Cataract	-Posterior polar subcapsular/ Nuclear cataract that progresses to complete cataract	Autosomal dominant, with incomplete penetrance	HSF4-2	1,7,8,9
C	Progressive Retinal Atrophy (PRA)		Autosomal recessive	prcd	1,7
D	Collie Eye Anomaly (CEA)		Autosomal recessive for CH/CRD; for coloboma unknown	NHEJ1	1,7,10,11,12,13
E	Canine multi-focal Retinopathy (CMR1)		Autosomal recessive	BEST1	14,15

F	Cone degeneration (achromatopsia)		Autosomal recessive	CNGB3	16
G	Retinal dysplasia - multifocal		Autosomal recessive	NO	1,7
H	Neuronal ceroid lipofuscinosis			CLN6	17

The ECVO's advice relating to hereditary eye disease control

Please see ECVO Manual chapter 8: VET Advice

Recommendations regarding age and frequency for eye examinations

Please see ECVO Manual chapter 7: ECVO Age and Frequency recommendations

Other ocular disorders (reported)

	Diagnosis	Source
A	Distichiasis	ACVO genetics committee
B	Corneal dystrophy	ACVO genetics committee
C	Iris coloboma/iris hypoplasia	ACVO genetics committee
D	Persistent pupillary membranes	ACVO genetics committee
E	Persistent hyaloid artery	ACVO genetics committee
F	Coloboma/staphyloma without microphthalmia	ACVO genetics committee
G	Micropapilla	ACVO genetics committee
H	Vitreous degeneration	ACVO genetics committee

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