



Ocular disorders known or presumed to be inherited (published)

	Diagnosis	Description and comments specific to the breed	Inheritance	Gene/ marker test	References
A	Cataract		Unknown	NO	1
B	Progressive Retinal Atrophy (PRA)	Generalized	Autosomal recessive	prcd	2,3,4

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	Entropion	ACVO genetics committee
B	Persistent pupillary membranes	ACVO genetics committee
C	Corneal dystrophy -epithelial/stromal -endothelial	ACVO genetics committee
D	Vitreous degeneration	ACVO genetics committee

E	Distichiasis	ACVO genetics committee
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