

Rhodesian Ridgeback	
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Ocular disorders known or presumed to be inherited (published)

	Diagnosis	Description and comments specific to the breed	Inheritance	Gene/ marker test	References
A	Distichiasis		Unknown	NO	1
B	Entropion	Lower lateral or canthal lateral, spastic, 2-6 m.o. dogs	Suspected dominant autosomal	NO	2
C	Eversion of the cartilage of the nictitating membrane	May disappear spontaneously	Suspected recessive autosomal	NO	2
D	Persistent pupillary membranes		Unknown	NO	2
E	Cataract	Posterior polar cortical, dogs > 3 y.o	Unknown	NO	2

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	Progressive retinal atrophy, rare	ACVO genetics committee

References

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