

Ocular disorders known or presumed to be inherited (published)

| | Diagnosis | Description and com- ments specific to the breed | Inheritance | Gene/ marker test | References |
|---|---------------------------------|--|---------------------|-------------------------|------------|
| А | Strabismus/ Esotropia | | Unknown | NO | 2 |
| В | Lacrymal punctum atresia | | Unknown | NO | 2 |
| С | Retinal degeneration rdAc | Blindness usually occurs at 3-5 years of age | Autosomal recessive | YES | 1 |

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 References

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