

Table 1 Disease categorization for visual impairment

Disease category	Pathologies
Diabetic retinopathy	Diabetic macular oedema, Proliferative diabetic retinopathy, including retinal detachment
Optic atrophy	Ischemic, compressive, toxic, traumatic, autoimmunogenic, excluding optic atrophies secondary to glaucoma and uveitic syndromes
Cataract	All types of cataract
Retinal vascular disease	Central retinal vein occlusion and central retinal artery occlusions not associated with uveitic syndromes
Corneal opacities	Corneal degenerations, traumatic, postinfectious, iatrogenic
Congenital eye anomalies	Microphthalmus, albinism, anophthalmus, Peters anomaly, optic disc and chorioretinal coloboma
Myopic degenerations	Myopic macular degeneration, retinal detachment
Glaucoma	All primary and secondary glaucomas, congenital glaucoma
Retinal dystrophy	Retinitis pigmentosa, Usher syndrome, Stargardt disease, Bietti crystalline dystrophy, choroideraemia
Age-related macular degeneration	Senile macular degenerations and all macular scars of unknown etiology
Phthisis bulbi/absent globe	Traumatic, postsurgical
Uveitis	Behçet syndrome, sarcoidosis
Amblyopia	Deprivation amblyopia due to delayed congenital cataract surgery, aphakia