

## **Eyelid Surgery**

Eyelid surgery (called blepharoplasty) is procedure to remove fat--usually along with excess skin and muscle from the upper and lower eyelids. Eyelid surgery can correct drooping upper lids and puffy bags below your eyes - features that make you look older and more tired than you feel, and that could even be interfering with your vision.

Eyelid surgery won't remove crow's feet, however, or other wrinkles, eliminate dark circles under your eyes, or lift sagging eyebrows.

### **How long will it take me to recover after an Eyelid Reduction?**

Recovery times do vary from one patient to the next. In general most patients will require rest for the first several days following the procedure with stitches being removed usually on the 4-6 day. Most patients are able to return to work and normal activities after 7-10 days (perhaps wearing sunglasses).

