

KITTNER EYE CENTER



Kenneth Cohen, MD

Specialties

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Education

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Chicago, IL

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Fellowship: The Eye Institute

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Milwaukee, Wisconsin

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Dr. Cohen is a board certified ophthalmologist and Sterling A. Barrett Distinguished Professor of Ophthalmology at the Kittner Eye Center and The University of North Carolina School of Medicine.

Dr. Cohen received his BS in mathematics from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, and his medical degree from the University of Illinois, Chicago. Dr. Cohen completed an internal medicine residency internship at Shands Hospital, The University of Florida, Gainesville. He served two years of Army active duty at the rank of Captain as a general medical officer stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

Dr. Cohen completed his ophthalmology residency at Northwestern University Medial School, Chicago, and fellowship in cornea and external disease at The Eye Institute, Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee. Upon completion of his fellowship, Dr. Cohen joined the ophthalmology faculty at The University of North Carolina, School of Medicine.

Dr. Cohen's expertise is cataract surgery and the use of laser cataract surgery with premium intraocular lenses to correct presbyopia and astigmatism. He uses the CATALYS® Precision Femtosecond Laser System to perform cataract removal.

He has authored numerous research papers and book chapters about cataract surgery. Dr. Cohen is a recognized leading teacher of cataract surgery. Since inception, Dr. Cohen has been invited faculty at the Harvard Medical School Intensive Cataract Training Course, Boston, for ophthalmology residents.

Dr. Cohen teaches at the American Academy of Ophthalmology and the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery annual meetings. He is on the editorial board of the ASCRS Phaco Fundamentals Classroom, to which he has authored online instructional videos and lectures. By invitation from EyeWorld, Dr. Cohen has authored articles and presented live lectures at symposia on teaching the fundamentals of cataract surgery.

For his own residents, Dr. Cohen developed a unique online cataract surgery curriculum. Dr. Cohen teaches internationally, having lectured and performed cataract surgery in China, the Philippines, Bulgaria and numerous other foreign countries under the auspices of Orbis International and Physicians for Peace.

Dr. Cohen sees patients by appointment. You will be tested to evaluate your suitability for laser cataract surgery with premium intraocular lenses to correct presbyopia and astigmatism.