

About Our Doctor



Thomas W. Samuelson, M.D.

Thomas W. Samuelson, M.D. is a board-certified ophthalmologist who specializes in the medical and surgical treatment of glaucoma, as well as laser vision correction of refractive disorders.

Education/Training

Dr. Samuelson completed his medical degree at the University of Minnesota and his residency training at the University of South Florida as chief resident. He finished sub-specialty training at the renowned Wills Eye Hospital at Thomas Jefferson University in Philadelphia.

Memberships/Affiliations

Dr. Samuelson is board certified by the American Board of Ophthalmology. He is a member of the American Glaucoma Society and has served on its Executive Committee. Additionally, Dr. Samuelson is a member of the American Academy of Ophthalmology, The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, The American Eye Study Club, The International Intraocular Lens Implant Club, and several other prestigious societies. Dr. Samuelson serves as the glaucoma section editor for Ocular Surgery News and is an editorial board member for Glaucoma Today, and Review of Refractive Surgery. Dr. Samuelson serves as a scientific reviewer for several ophthalmology journals.

Honors/Accomplishments

Dr. Samuelson has contributed research toward the medical and surgical treatment of glaucoma, especially the exfoliation syndrome and management of coincident cataract and glaucoma. He also has performed research on the safety of LASIK in patients with other ocular disorders, especially glaucoma. A frequent lecturer nationally and internationally on ocular surgery, he is actively involved in the training of residents, fellows, and practicing ophthalmologists. Dr. Samuelson has published numerous scientific manuscripts and textbook chapters on ophthalmic surgery.