VEP Testing in Clinical Practice

VEP Case Review: Pre-Parametric Open Angle Glaucoma

Case ID: 4PG

Patient Work-Up	
DOB	10/1953
Gender	Female
Age	58
Ethnicity	White
Family History	Glaucoma (1)
IOP (mmHg) OD	21
IOP (mmHg) OS	22
Refraction OD	-2.00 -0.50 x 76
Refraction OS	-2.00
BCVA OD	20/20
BCVA OS	20/20
Preliminary Diagnosis	Pre-Parametric Open
	Angle Glaucoma

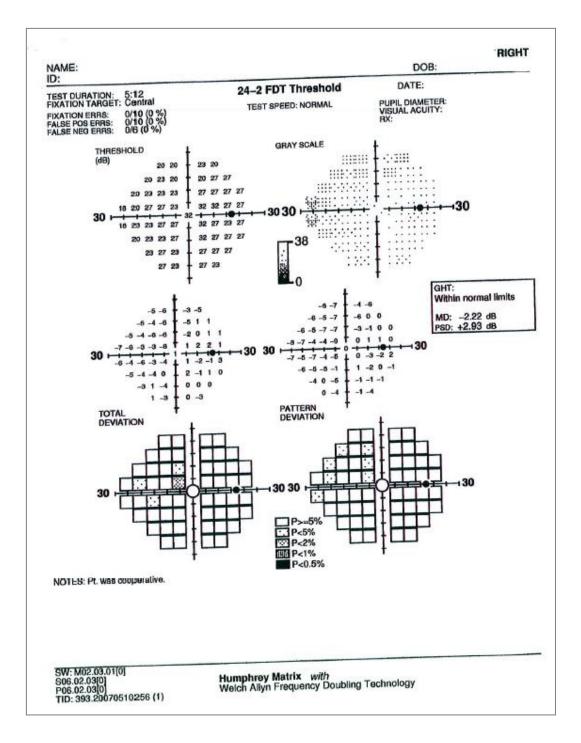
Tests Performed

- Visual Field: OU within normal limits.
- **OCT:** RNFL outside normal limits in the inferior temporal sector of OD; borderline sectors temporal and superior temporal. RNFL within normal limits OS.
- **VEP:** shows significantly different low contrast latencies between eyes, with the longer delay OD.

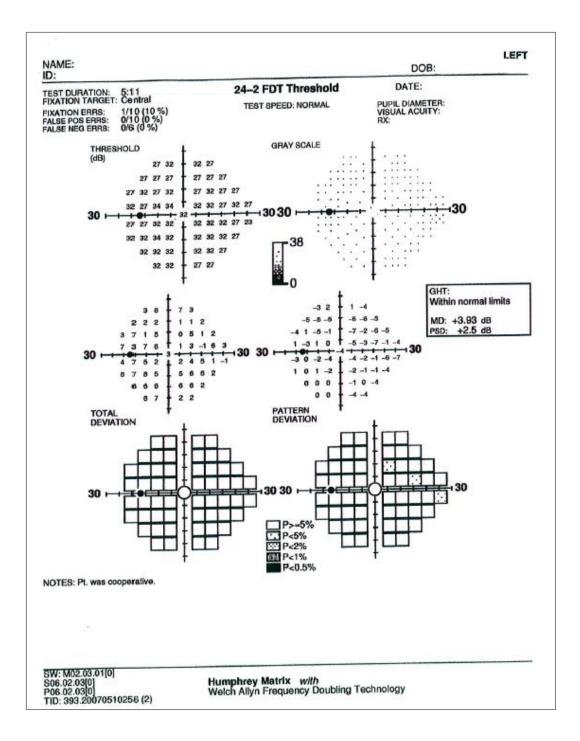
Conclusion

This is a case of pre-parametric open angle glaucoma. The appearance of the optic nerve, high intraocular pressure, RNFL thinning and family history of glaucoma together with the significant difference between OD and OS low contrast VEP results, confirms an early dysfunction of the optic nerve OD. The clinician chose to begin the patient on drops and use VEP to track treatment effect and compliance.

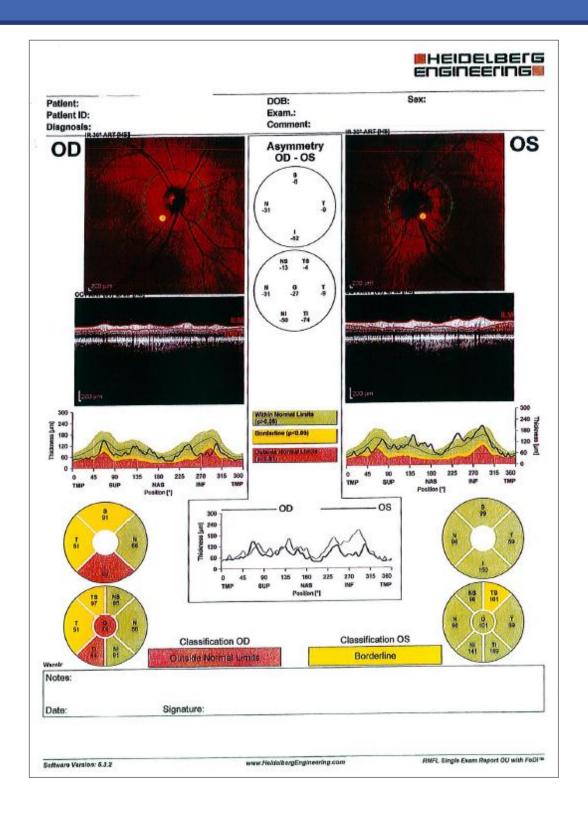
Visual Field - OD



Visual Field - OS



OCT



VEP - LX

