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Dr. Bharti Ahuja Chawla- Currently working as Cornea Consultant at SuVi Eye Institute & Lasik Laser Center, Kota, Rajasthan, India. She finished her schooling from Christ Memorial school, Bairagarh, Bhopal, MP, India. Dr. Bharti completed medical education- Bachelor of medicine and Bachelor of Surgery(MBBS) in 2007 with compulsory one year rotating internship from Gandhi Medical College, Bhopal, M.P. & Master of surgery (M.S.) in Ophthalmology in 2011 from Regional Institute Of Ophthalmology, Gandhi Medical College, Bhopal, M.P., India. While pursing her post graduation in ophthalmology, Dr. Bharti completed her thesis (dissertation) on - evaluation and management of decompensated heterophorias.

Dr. Bharti completed "Cornea Fellowship" from prestigious Sankara Nethralaya, Tamilnadu, Chennai, India. She had worked as consultant in Sadguru sewa sangh trust hospital Anandpur, Vidisha (M.P.)from June 2011 to October 2011 and Sewasadan Hospital, Bhopal, M.P. (November 2011 to March 2012).

Dr. Bharti is the first fellowship trained cornea surgeon in Hadoti region. Dr. Bharti's field of interest includes diseases of cornea (corneal ulcer, corneal pathologies), dysfunctional tear film syndrome (dry eye disease), blepharitis, meibomian gland dysfunction, ocular surface disorders , contact-lens related problems, corneal ulcers (bacterial, fungal, acanthamoeba, herpes simplex and herpes zoster infections), pterygium, keratoconus and other ectatic disorders (keratoglobus, pellucid marginal degeneration), Fuchs' endothelial dystrophy and other corneal dystrophies (including lattice, granular, macular, and map-dot fingerprint), pseudophakic and aphakic bullous keratopathy, allergic conjunctivitis, bacterial and viral conjunctivitis, chemical (acid/alkali) burns (Lime Injury), Stevens-Johnson syndrome, ocular cicatricial pemphigoid, etc.

Dr. Bharti's surgical expertise and field of interest include- pterygium surgery with conjunctivo-limbal autograft with fibrin glue, repair of complex ocular trauma (trauma to the cornea, conjunctiva and anterior segment including iris

trauma), corneal transplantation (penetrating keratoplasty, therapeutic keratoplasty) as well as lamellar keratoplasty- Deep anterior lamellar keratoplasty (DALK), Descemets Stripping Endothelial Keratoplasty (DSEK), corneal collagen cross linking with riboflavin (C3R) for keratoconus, amniotic membrane graft, cultivated oral mucosa epithelium transplantation (COMET) in bilateral limbal stem cell deficiency, limbal stem cell transplantation (LSCT) for the treatment of patients with limbal stem cell deficiency (LSCD), keratolimbal allograft (KLAL) in eyes with total limbal stem cell deficiency, Simple limbal epithelial transplantation (SLET) for the treatment of unilateral limbal stem cell deficiency.

Dr. Bharti has participated in several national and international ophthalmology conferences and presented scientific papers. She is life member of MP Medical Council (MP-8786), Delhi Ophthalmological Society (DOS), All India Ophthalmological Society (AIOS).

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