

METRO PHOENIX HEALTHCARE PROFILES

Laser-Assisted Vision Correction Focused on You

Eye surgery is performed more accurately than ever before thanks to laser precision.

“One of the most recent breakthroughs in technology in ophthalmology is laser-assisted cataract surgery,” says Dr. Sanford Moretsky, board-certified ophthalmologist and founder of Moretsky Cassidy Vision Correction. “Lasers can now perform some of the most delicate parts of this surgical procedure with greater precision than with manual technique.

“Laser-assisted cataract surgery,” he adds, “combines two technologies that have long been mainstays of our practice.

“We’ve performed cataract surgeries for more than 30 years and laser vision correction [LASIK] for 20 years,” Dr. Moretsky notes. “Laser-assisted cataract surgery is a natural marriage of two well-established technologies that holds promise to provide improved outcomes for our patients.”

Key Advances

The laser produces an opening in the front of the cataract that is more consistent and precise than traditional cataract surgery.

“Thank you for giving me back my life. I really don’t think I have ever seen as well as I do now; it is truly a miracle in my eyes!”

Nadia Dekoninck-Comer, cataract surgery with astigmatism-correcting implant

Laser energy softens the clouded lens, reducing the amount of ultrasonic energy required to treat the cataract and minimizing the risk of ultrasonic damage to other structures inside the eye.

Laser assistance also allows for correction of astigmatism during cataract surgery. When astigmatism is treated during cataract surgery, patients achieve better vision without glasses. Moretsky Cassidy Vision Correction was the first in Arizona to perform VERION™ Image Guided laser-assisted cataract surgery.

“Another advance in cataract surgery is the development of high-tech lens implants that can provide patients with improved near and distance vision without glasses,” adds Dr. Moretsky. “These advanced technology implants provide an elective option that enables patients who undergo cataract surgery to reduce or eliminate their dependence on glasses. We utilize the next-generation Extended Depth of Focus Symphony lens to help achieve this independence.”

“This procedure has been spectacular! I no longer wake up in the morning to blindly crawl under the bed looking for my glasses, which I knocked off the night stand. Astonishingly, even the second day after the procedure, I could see individual leaves in the trees across the park.

Phillip Keever, iDesign iLASIK surgery

Dr. Sanford L. Moretsky and Dr. Craig R. Cassidy



Moretsky Cassidy Vision Correction has been represented in the “Top Doctors” issue of Phoenix Magazine 10 times. For more information, call 480-610-1252 or visit arizonalasik.com/arizonacataract.com.



Moretsky Cassidy Vision Correction

iLASIK: a Step Ahead

With an established reputation for providing exceptional eye care, Moretsky Cassidy Vision Correction is home to the most advanced laser vision correction technologies.

“We perform iDesign iLASIK,” says Dr. Cassidy, “creating the corneal flap with one kind of laser and reshaping the cornea with another specialized laser to correct refractive error.

“We utilize the most current next-generation, custom-guided treatment available, the iDesign System. This personalized treatment approach creates the most customized vision correction possible and is the only LASIK approach approved for Air Force pilots, Navy Aviators, and astronauts.”

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