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Eye care update and review of some of the major oral medications and their ocular side effects

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Systemic drugs can affect the eye from the cornea to the retina, in this talk I would like to discuss the side effects of the major drugs used every day in our clinics such as antibiotics, anti-inflammatory, steroids, beta blockers and herbal medicine and their ocular side effects. As an eye care provider, would like to emphasize how critical to be aware of the possible ocular complications that are due to the list of medications the patients are taking from their primary care physicians in regular basis such as OTC medications or herbal medications or prescription-drugs. By knowing our side effects, we could easily rule out most of the patient complaint. A literature review of these medications has been followed through and their side effects will be presented in this talk.

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