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## Driving with Glaucoma



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The study examined how glaucoma affects a person's ability to drive safely. Researchers used a driving simulator that presented different scenarios, such as pedestrians or cars unexpectedly cutting in front of the driver, to test both glaucoma patients and people without glaucoma. The study found that glaucoma patients took longer to react than people without glaucoma. Additionally, the worse the glaucoma, the longer it took the patients to react. This suggests that people with glaucoma may be more prone to accidents while driving and that using simulators could help identify a glaucoma patient's risk for driving accidents.

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