

OUR DOCTORS**Dr Erwin Groeneveld****MBBS (Qld), FRANZCO***Specialty Ophthalmic Surgeon*

Dr Erwin Groeneveld is a highly skilled vitreous and retina surgeon with 15 years experience as a senior visiting consultant at the Princess Alexandra Hospital in Brisbane. He established and supervised the Advanced Trainee Post in Retinal Surgery whilst he was chairman of the eye department.

Born in Sydney and educated in Queensland, he attended the University of Queensland Medical School where he received the Anatomical Dissection Prize. He gained experience in complex diabetic vitrectomy surgery whilst a fellow at the Melbourne University Retinal Investigation Unit.

Dr Groeneveld adopted the use of anti-VEGF therapy for eye disease in Queensland. He has a special interest in diabetic eye disease.

Dr Groeneveld has experience in:

- **Retinal Surgery**
- **Diabetic Eye Disease**
- **AMD**
- **Cataracts**

He has served as an officer in the Australian Army Reserve, as an AusAID surgeon in the Pacific and on the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Ophthalmologist's State Executive as chairman, secretary, treasurer, and member of College Council. He is the immediate past Medical Director of the Vision Eye Institute at River City, and he serves as a Member of the Peninsula Private Hospital Medical Advisory Committee.

His clinical experience includes four years as a Visiting Medical Officer at the Mater Children's Hospital Neonatal Intensive Care Unit where he managed retinopathy of prematurity in extremely low birth weight infants. He holds a position as Consultant Ophthalmologist to the Indigenous Diabetic Eye Service in Central Queensland. He has a keen interest both in patient safety during surgical procedures and macula surgery. Dr Groeneveld also practices from the Westside Private Hospital located in Taringa. For appointments please refer to the contact details below.

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