

## **Chad L. Betts, M.D., R. Ph.**

Dr. Betts received his pharmacy degree from Southwestern Oklahoma State University and then completed his medical degree at the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine. After completing an internal medicine internship at Texas Tech University, he concluded his ophthalmology training at the University of Missouri, Kansas City. He joined McDonald Eye Associates in July 2006 where he specializes in anterior segment surgery, including cataract and refractive surgery as well as macular degeneration and diabetes related eye disease.

Dr. Betts is a member of the American Academy of Ophthalmology, American Medical Association, American College of Eye Surgeons, and the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons. He is also a Diplomate of the American Board of Ophthalmology.

Dr. Betts is active in his church and medical societies. In his spare time he enjoys running, golfing, fishing, home improvement projects, and spending time with his wife, Kimberly, and their two boys.

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## *Education*

*University of Oklahoma College of Medicine  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma  
Doctor of Medicine  
August 1998-June 2002*

*Southwestern Oklahoma State University  
School of Pharmacy, Magna Cum Laude  
Weatherford, Oklahoma  
B.S. in Pharmacy  
August 1993- May 1998*

## *Post-graduate Training*

*University of Missouri-Kansas City  
Department of Ophthalmology  
Kansas City, Missouri  
July 2003- June 2006*

*Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center  
Amarillo, Texas  
Internal Medicine-Preliminary Program  
July 2002- June 2003*

## *Licensure*

*Diplomat American Board of Ophthalmology  
  
Arkansas State Medical License  
  
Oklahoma Doctor of Pharmacy (Inactive)*

## *Publications*

*L Trigler MD, AS Oster MD, WJ Feuer MS, CL Betts MD, BK Farris MD, RM Siatkowski MD. Retinopathy in Patients with Diabetic Ophthalmoplegia. Ophthalmology. August 2003.*

*C. Betts MD, S. Olitsky MD. Corneal Astigmatic Effects of Conventional Recession vs Suspension Recession ("Hang-Back") Strabismus Surgery: A Pilot Study. Binocular Vision and Strabismus Quarterly. Fourth Quarter of 2006. Volume 21 (No. 4): 211-213.*

*Articles*

*6 Steps to Maximize Success with Pseudophakic Monovision. Ophthalmology Management. June 2008*

*Presentations & Research*

*Current Practice Trends in the Management of Brow Lifting: A Survey of Oculofacial Plastic Surgeons. CL Betts MD, DB Lyon MD. Poster Presentation at the ASOPRS Fall Meeting 2005.*

*Effects of Conventional versus Hang-Back Strabismus Surgery on Corneal Astigmatism. CL Betts MD, SE Olitsky MD. Poster Presentation at the ARVO Annual Meeting 2006.*

*Advances in Age-Related Macular Degeneration Therapy. McDonald Eye Associates Symposium in the Ozarks 2006. PowerPoint Presentation.*

*Common Retinal Diagnoses: Case Presentations, Diagnoses, and Management Issues. McDonald Eye Associates Symposium in the Ozarks 2007. PowerPoint Presentation.*

*Anterior and Posterior Segment Grand Rounds. McDonald Eye Associates Symposium in the Ozarks 2008. PowerPoint Presentation.*

*Anterior and Posterior Segment Grand Rounds. McDonald Eye Associates Symposium in the Ozarks 2009. PowerPoint Presentation.*

*Minimally Invasive 2 Incision Corneal Relaxing Incisional Treatment for Residual Refractive Errors in Prebyopic Lens Surgery. CL Betts MD, JE McDonald MD. Paper Presentation at the ASCRS Meeting 2010.*

*Sub-investigator for Wavetech Vision System study from 2007 till present*

*Educated in the use of True Vision technology*

*Sub-investigator for Acufocus study from 2006 till present*

*Primary Investigator for ORA study in 2010*

*Sub-investigator for Bausch & Lomb EnVista study from 2010 till present*

*Sub-investigator for Hoya study with RevitalVision from 2010 till present*

**Activities**

*Member, American Medical Association, 1998- present*  
*Member, American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2003-present*  
*Member, American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery, 2003-present*  
*Member, American Medical Association Political Action Committee*  
*Kappa Psi Professional Pharmacy Fraternity*

**Employment**

*Ophthalmologist- McDonald Eye Associates*  
*Fayetteville, Arkansas (July 2006-Present)*

*Relief Pharmacist - Walgreen's Pharmacy*  
*Oklahoma City, Oklahoma (June 1998- 2002)*

*Pharmacy Intern - Northwest Texas Hospital Pharmacy*  
*Amarillo, Texas (June 1995- May 1998)*

*Betts Farms Inc. - Farm/Ranch Assistant*  
*Keyes, Oklahoma (1988-1995)*

**Honors/Awards**

**Medical School**

*Dr. JoAnne Moore Award in Pharmacology, 2000*

**Undergraduate**

*Who's Who Among Colleges and Universities, 1998*  
*Facts/Comparisons Excellence in Clinical Communications, 1998*  
*Oklahoma Society of Health Systems Pharmacists Scholarship, 1997*  
*B.G. Keller, Jr. School of Pharmacy Scholarship, 1997*  
*Rho Chi National Pharmacy Honor Society 1997*  
*Asklepios Key Academic Award, 1997*  
*Letter member, Southwestern Track and Field Team 1994-95*  
*Presidential Leadership Scholarship, 1993*

**Interests**

*Family, Running, Golf, and Home Improvement Projects*