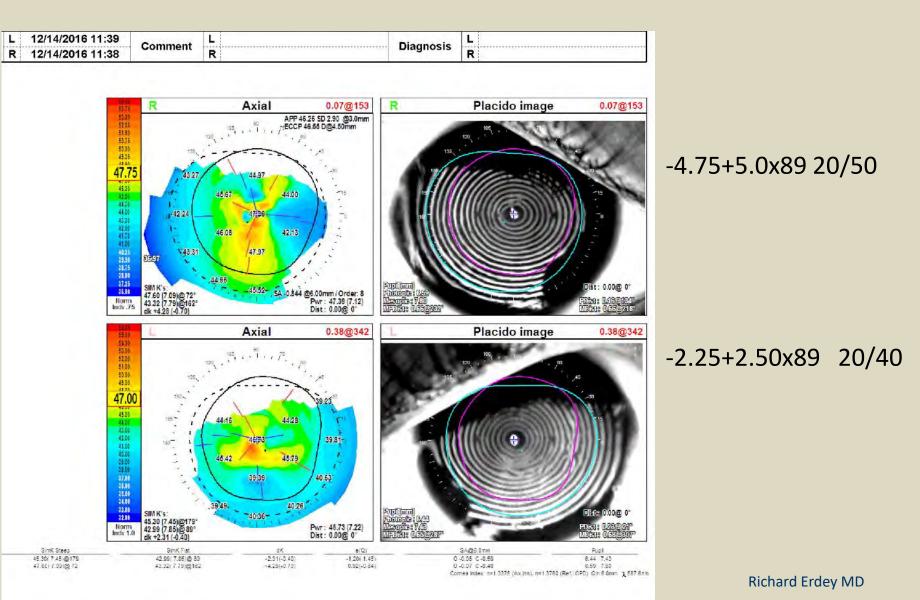
# Case #1: 18 yo FM Macular Stromal Dystrophy both eyes

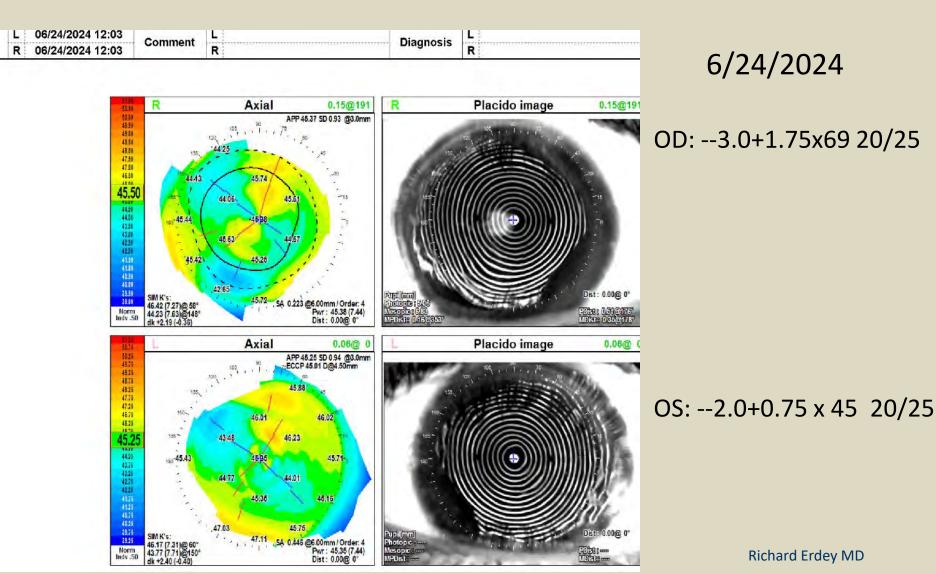


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### Case #1: 18 yo FM Macular Stromal Dystrophy both eyes very poor vision especially at night OU]



Case #1: (currently 25) yo FM Macular Stromal Dystrophy both eyes 12/2017 OS: DALK 9.0mm bed/9.25mm donor – suture removed 2019 05/2017 OD: DALK 9.0mm bed/9.25mm donor – suture removed 2018



### Case #1: 20 yo FM Macular Stromal Dystrophy both eyes Summary: 7yr f/u after successful large (10mm dia) DALK OU

- Has enjoyed fully restored vision in BOTH eyes requiring mild spectacle correction over the last 7 yrs. No contact lenses needed.
- As of 6/24/2024, early evidence of recurrence stromal macula dystrophy but confined to extreme periphery inside border of 9.0mm OZ for 360 degrees, nowhere near optical zone.
- Benefit of large diameter DALK graft w deep predescemets dissection to within 15-30u of DM is debulking genetically compromised host keratocytes posteriorly and peripherally to near limbus to prevent early recurrence in deep central stroma which has so far not occurred in this graft after 7 yrs. If peripheral recurrence were to advance into OZ and impact vision over the next decade, this graft is designed to be peeled off and replaced, thus preserving descemets membrane which in our opinion is sacrosanct at any age but particularly for this young patient.

#### Case #2: 22 yo (younger sister to case #1) w Macular Stromal Dystrophy OU "Very poor night vision – cannot drive" OD -5.0+2.50x90 20/40 OS: -5.0+3.0x95 20/40

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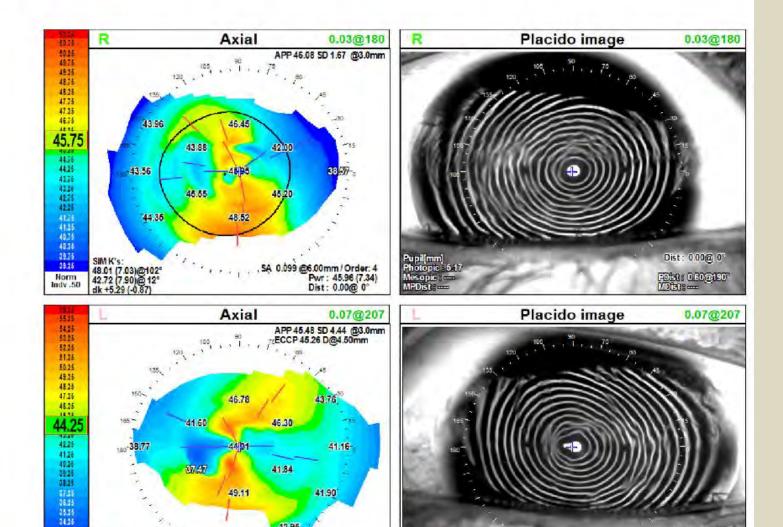
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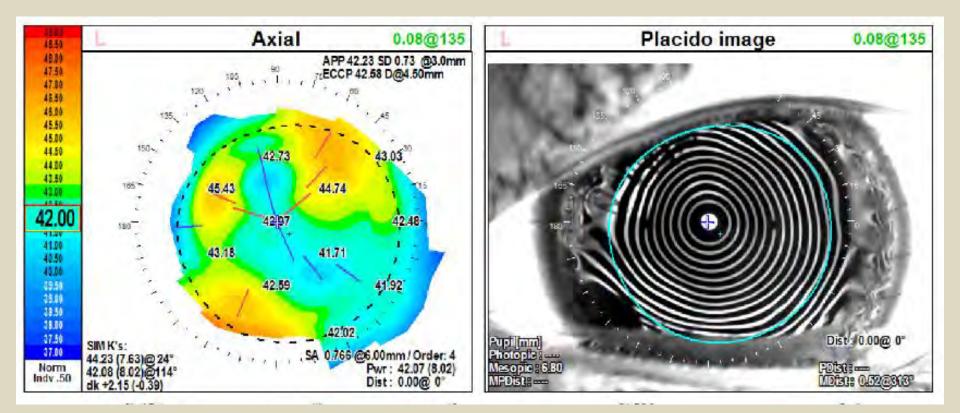
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Case #2: 22 yo Macular Stromal Corneal Dystrophy 4/16/2024 OS: DALK 10.0mm donor/10.0mm bed laterality matched nasal marked 24 bite running suture

- 5/20/2024 "thrilled!!" OS: Uncorrected VA 20/25
- -1.0+1.50x19 20/20



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## Case #2 -Summary

- Very early visual rehabilitation (excellent UCVA after only 3 days.
- Suture in at this point
- Able to already consider DALK in other eye and will do so after her pending wedding.