

TABLE 7-1  
**Postoperative Slit Lamp Examination Notes**

**I. Lid Surgery**

**External**

Lid swelling  
 Lid bruising  
 Lid redness  
 Skin sloughing  
 Lid position  
 Lash position  
 Presence of a discharge  
 Broken or missing sutures  
 Wound gape  
 Recurrence of lesion(s)  
 Excessive, irregular scarring (keloids)

**Globe**

Tearing  
 Corneal abrasion  
 Corneal dry spots

**II. Lacrimal Surgery**

**External**

Lid swelling  
 Lid redness  
 Sutures

**Globe**

Tearing  
 Discharge  
 Silicone tube  
 Corneal abrasion

**III. Enucleation**

**External**

Lid swelling

**Socket**

Conformer in place  
 Conjunctival edema (2+ edema would be expected at first)  
 Conjunctival injection (conjunctiva may look like a piece of raw meat at first)  
 Presence of conjunctival prolapse (abnormal)  
 Presence of discharge (a mild mucus discharge is normal)  
 Sutures

**IV. Extraocular Muscles**

**Globe**

Discharge  
 Injection  
 Subconjunctival hemorrhage  
 Conjunctival wound gape  
 Exposed sutures  
 Visible choroidal pigment  
 Corneal abrasion