



EYELIDS EXAM READY HANDWRITTEN NOTES FOR POSTGRADUATES & OPHTHALMOLOGY RESIDENTS

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ENTROPION

- It is the inward rotation of eyelid margin
 - Intermittent or permanent
 - Presents earlier than ectropion as it is more symptomatic.

→ C/F:

- Foreign body sensation
- Lacrimation
- Corneal epidefect

→ Signs of lower lid laxity

- Higher lower lid resting position in 1° gaze
- Lack of downward movement of lower lid on down gaze
- Subconjunctival white band in inferior fornix (edge of detached retractors)
- ↑ depth of inferior fornix
- Snapback test (for tone of orbicularis oculi)
 - Pull middle LL fully, release:

Grade 0 : < 2 sec

1 : 2 - 3 sec

2 : 4 - 5 sec

3 : > 5 sec / on blinking

4 : Does not return to normal

→ Grading:

Grade 1 - only posterior margin turned inwards

Grade 2 - Intermarginal strip turned inwards

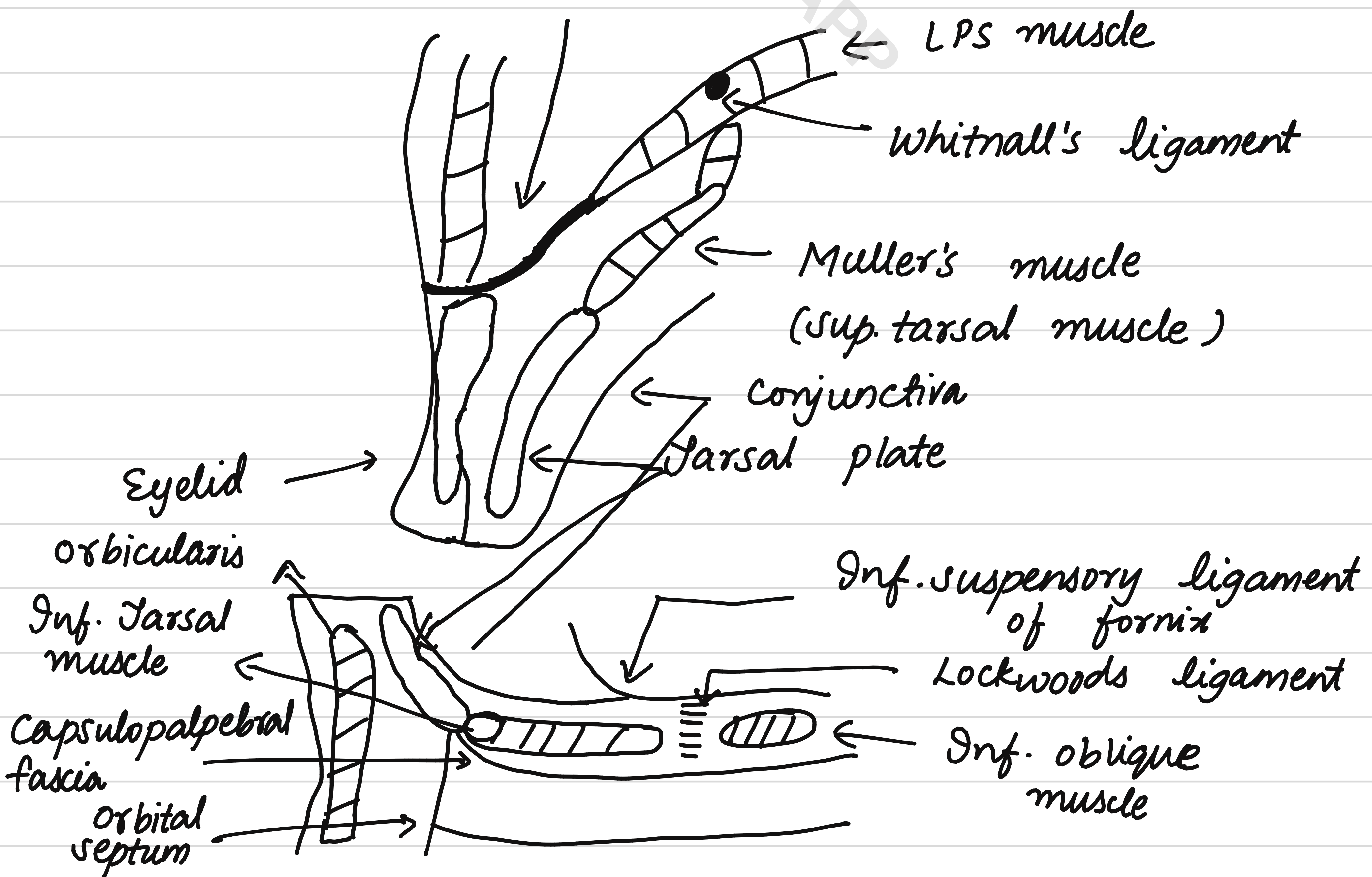
Grade 3 : Entire lid margin turned inwards.

→ Types:

- (i) Involutional - Age related (m/c)
- (ii) congenital
- (iii) Spastic
- (iv) Cicatricial
- (v) Marginal

→ Lid Retractors

- upper lid
- LPS muscle
- Muller's muscle (superior tarsal muscle)
- Palpebral fascia
- Tarsal muscle



	Involucional	Congenital	Spastic	Cicatricial	Marginal
Etiopatho	• Honeonatal lid laxity • Vertical lid instability • Overriding of preseptal over pretarsal orbicularis oculi during lid closure. • Orbital septum laxity	• Disinsertion of lower lid retractors • Vertical insufficiency of posterior lamellae • Kinking of tarsal plate • Associated with: - Facial nerve palsy in children.	• Spasm of orbicularis oculi in presence of predisposing factors :: - surgery - Irritation - Infection • Associated with: - Trauma surgery - Cataract surgery	• Scarring & Shortening of post. lamellae :: - chemical burns - Cicatricial Pemphigoid - Recurrent Blepharitis - STS - Surgery - Trauma - Trachoma	• Rolling of posterior angle of lid margin • Anterior displacement of mucocutaneous junction • Associated with: - Trichiasis - MGD - Blepharitis
Typical Age group	Elderly	• Infants • Children	• Adults	• Any	• Adults

C/F	• Rounding of lid margin • Worsens on forceful closure	• Present from birth	• Sudden onset with lid spasm, usually after surgery.	• Lid margin pulled inwards • ∴ Fibrasis • Conjunctival scarring.	• Mild entropion • Trichiasis • Rolled in posterior margin.
Mx	a. <u>Non Invasive</u> procedures 1. Taping lower lid to malar eminence 2. Liquid bandage; cyanoacrylate glue to evert lid margin. 3. Botox to preseptal orbicularis 4. CO₂ skin laser resurfacing	a. <u>Non Invasive</u> 1. Lubrication 2. Lower lid taping 3. Botox b. <u>Surgical</u> 1. Retractor reinsertion 2. Excision of excess skin/muscle 3. Structural repair surgery	a. Treat the cause b. Non invasive 1. Botox 2. 80% Alcohol injection to orbicularis 3. Full thickness lid sutures	a. Treat the cause • Trachoma • STS • Blepharitis b. Surgery - <u>Mild</u> 1. skin resection 2. Lash follicle excision 3. Lash root cryotherapy	a. Non Invasive 1. Lubrication 2. Lid hygiene 3. Topical anti inflammatory - Steroids - cyclosporine 4. Botox b. Surgical • Lamellae procedures

cicatricial (cont..)

◦ Moderate

1. Tarsal fracture surgery
2. Transverse blepharotomy with marginal rotation (Weis procedure)

◦ Severe

1. Posterior lamella lengthening
2. Grafts
 - Hard palate
 - Mucous membrane
 - Tarsal conjunctival
 - AMG

◦ Lamellar procedures

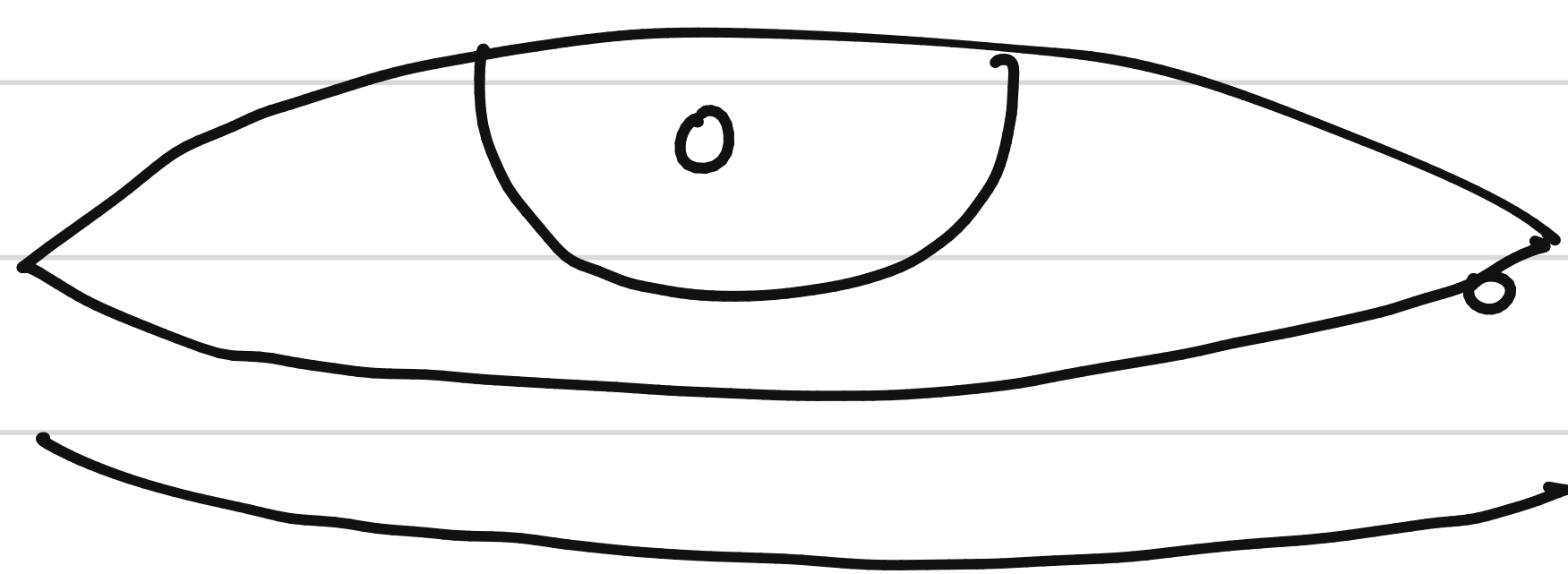
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2. Anterior lamellar Repositioning
3. Diab & Allen 5 step procedure.

→ Surgical Management of Entropion

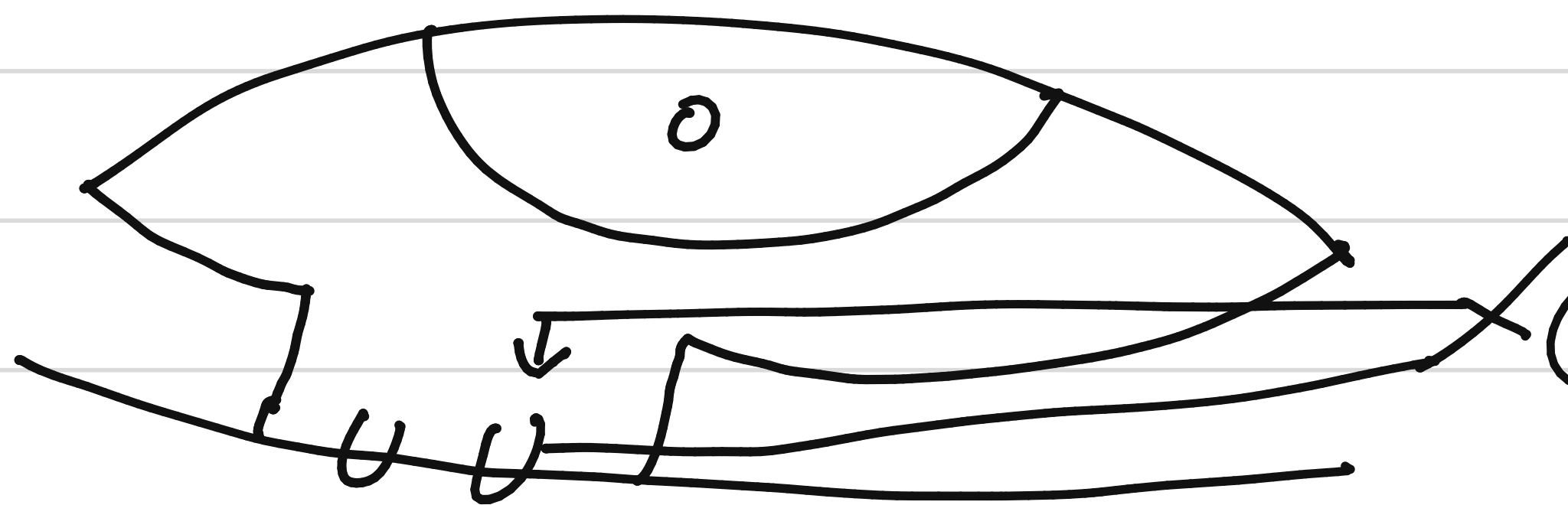
(i) Involutional Entropion

1. Quickest Procedure

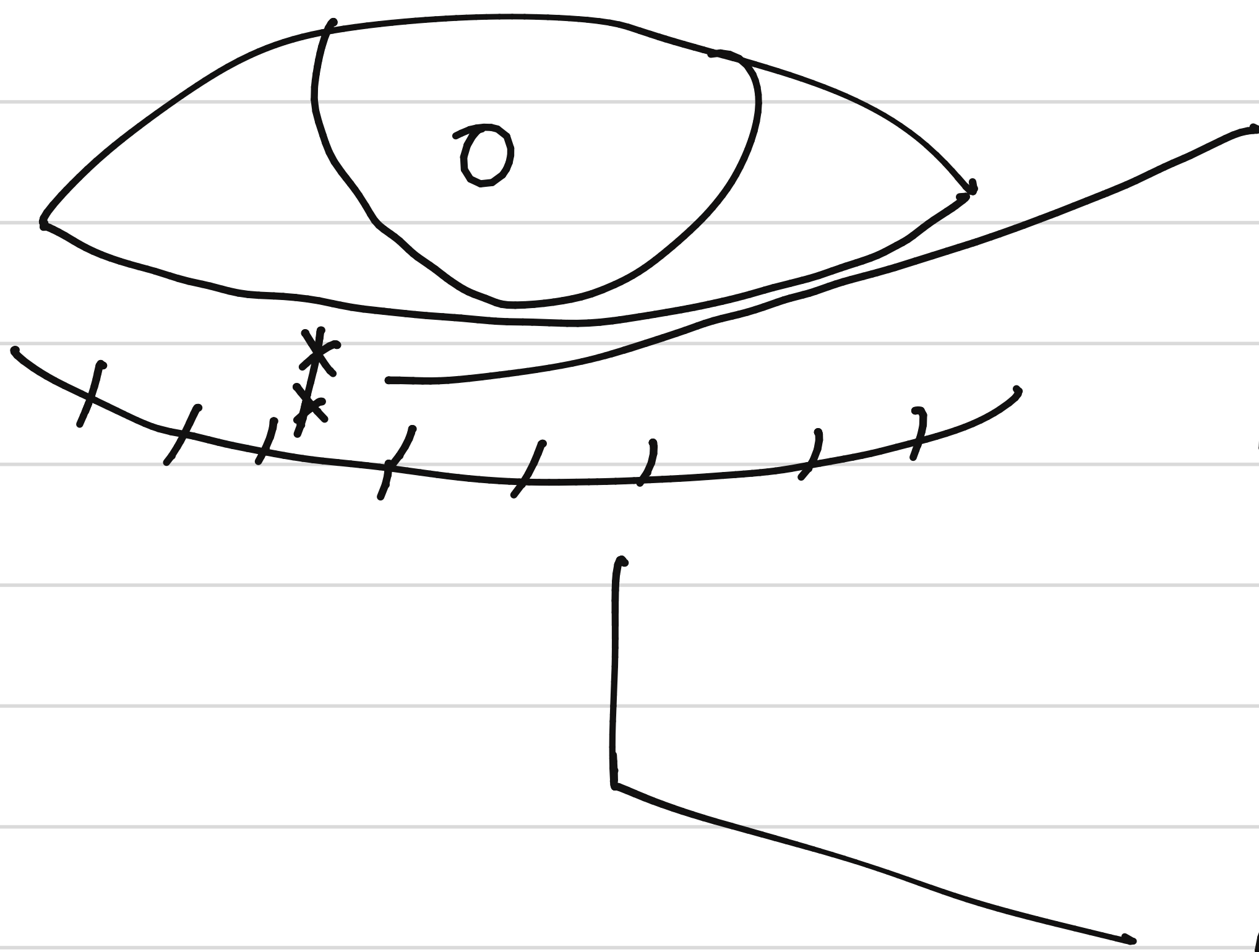
- Procedure:
 - Weis procedure + lid shortening
 - Transverse lid split
 - prevents upward movement of preseptal muscle by causing scarring
 - lid shortening
 - corrects the laxity
 - Everting sutures (quickest sutures)
 - Transfers the pull; prevents overriding of preseptal orbicularis over pretarsal orbicularis over pretarsal orbicularis.



- ① Transverse lid split
(punctum to lateral canthus) incision



- ② Tissue is excised
③ Lower lid retractors are hooked with 2 sutures (quickest sutures)



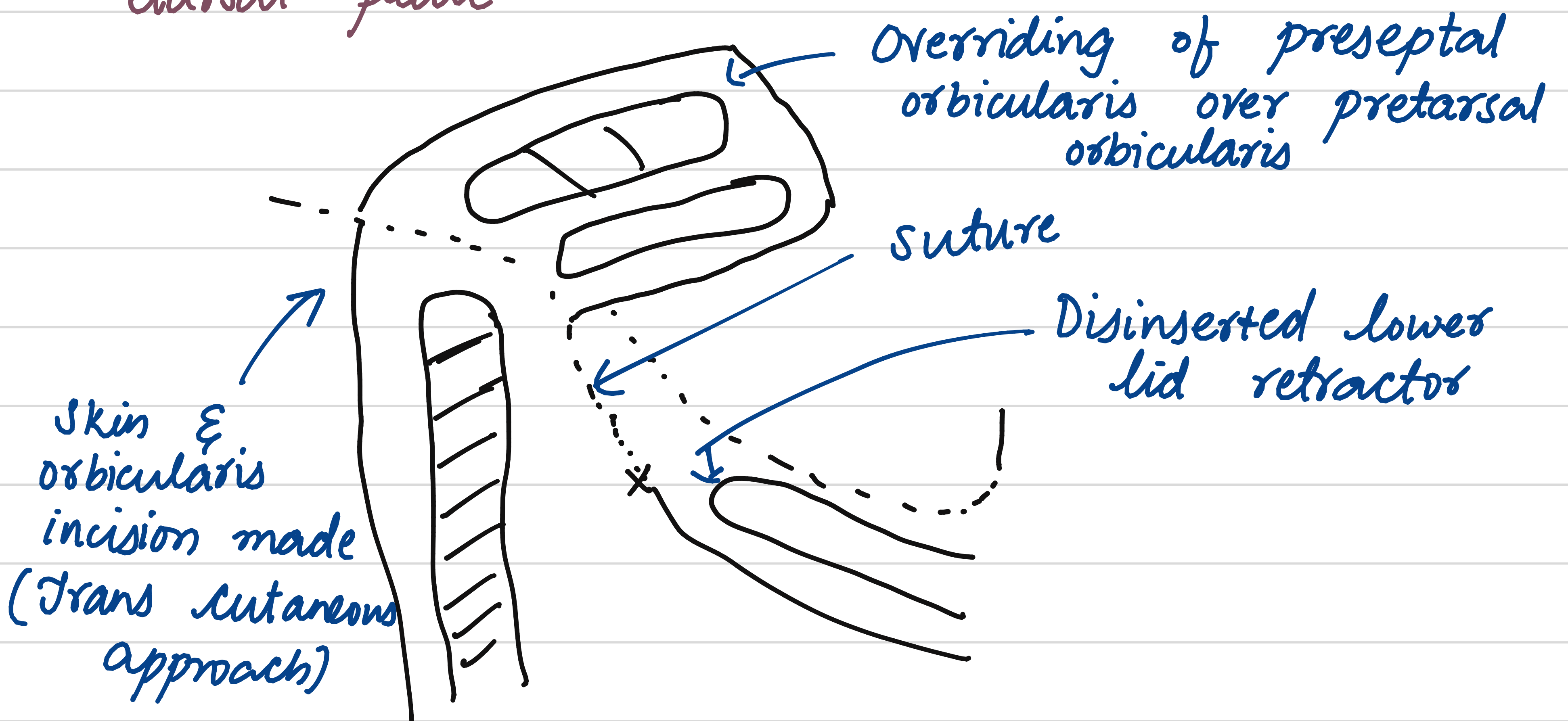
④ Lid shortening done

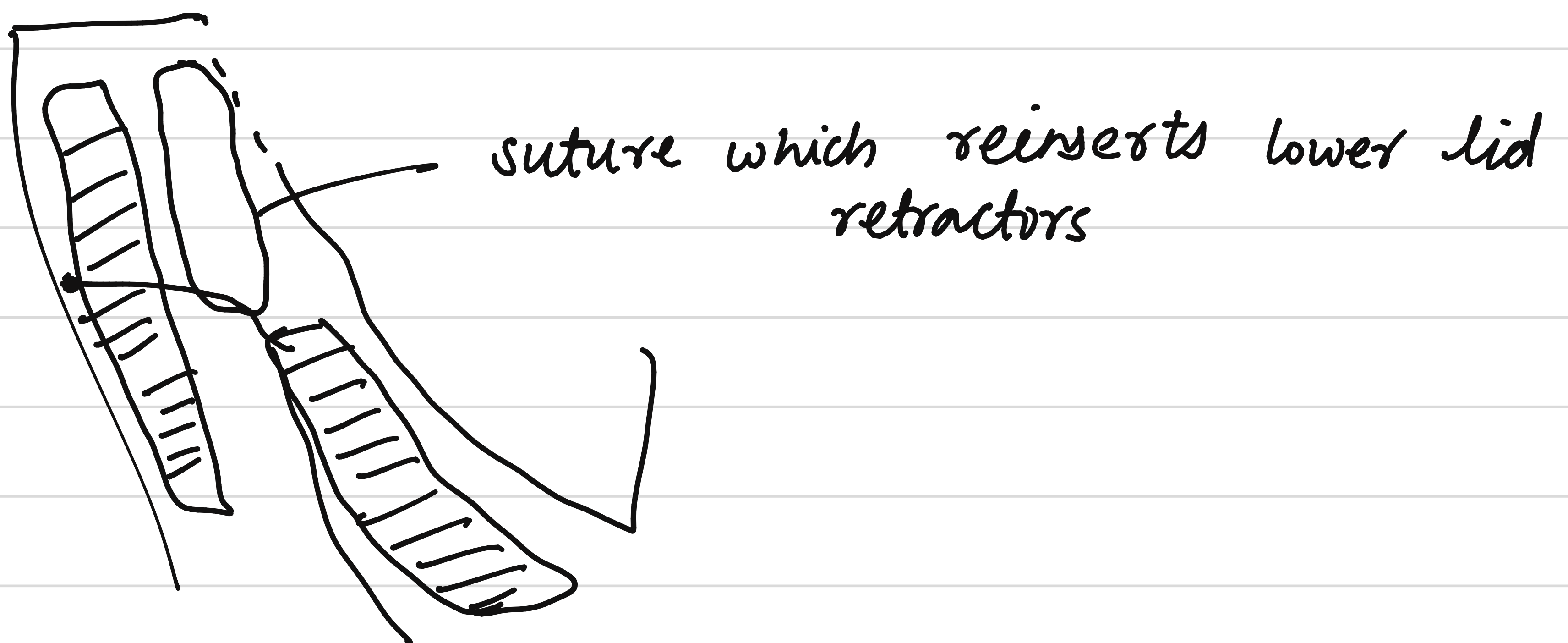
⑤ Lower lid retractors are reattached to shortened lid with Quickest Sutures

⑥ Skin is closed with sutures.

2. Jones Procedure

- Procedure :
 - Transcutaneous lower lid retractor reinsertion
 - lower lid retractors are identified often making skin incision
 - LLR's are sutured to lower end of tarsal plate.





• Approach in Involutional Entropion

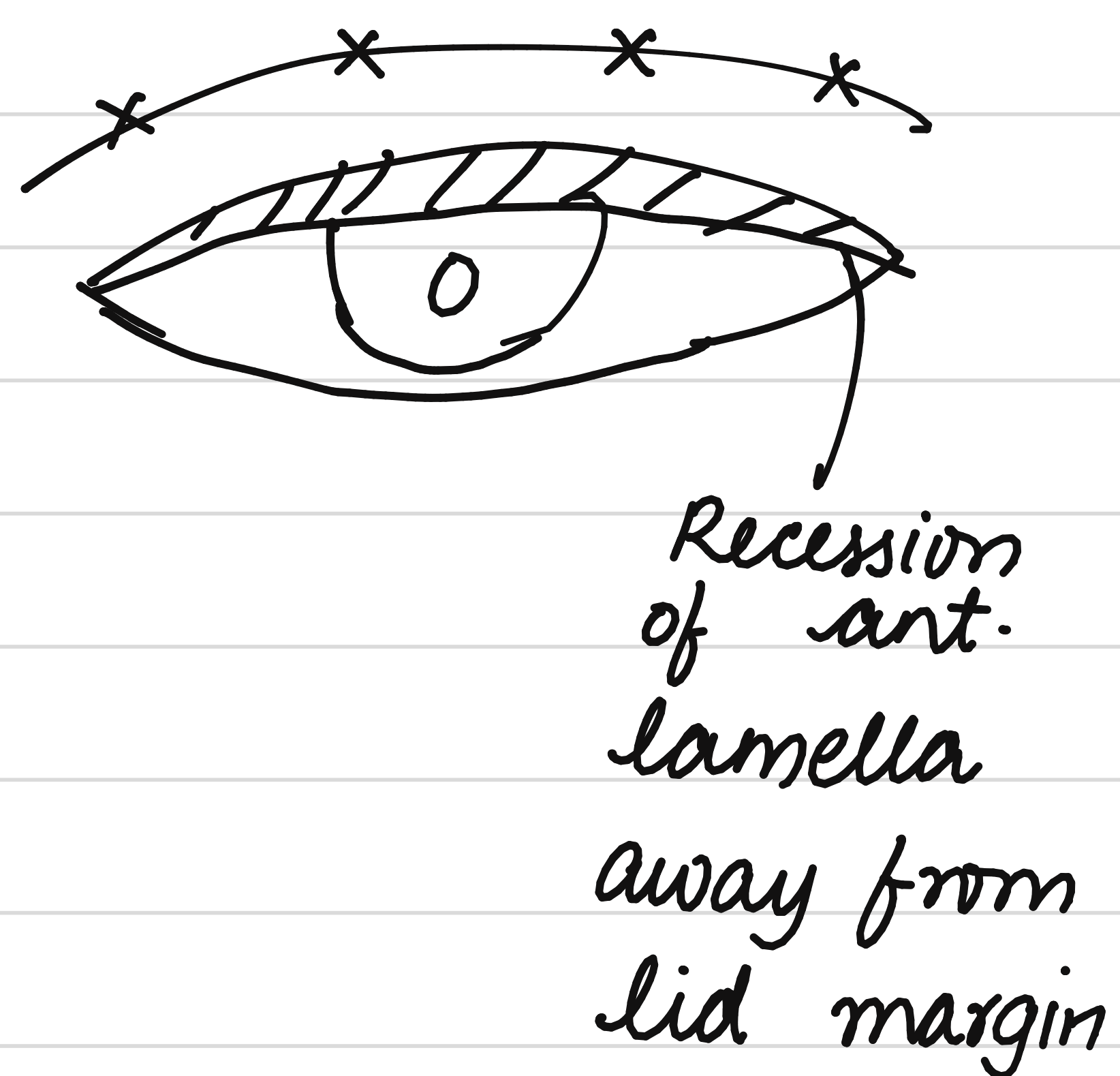
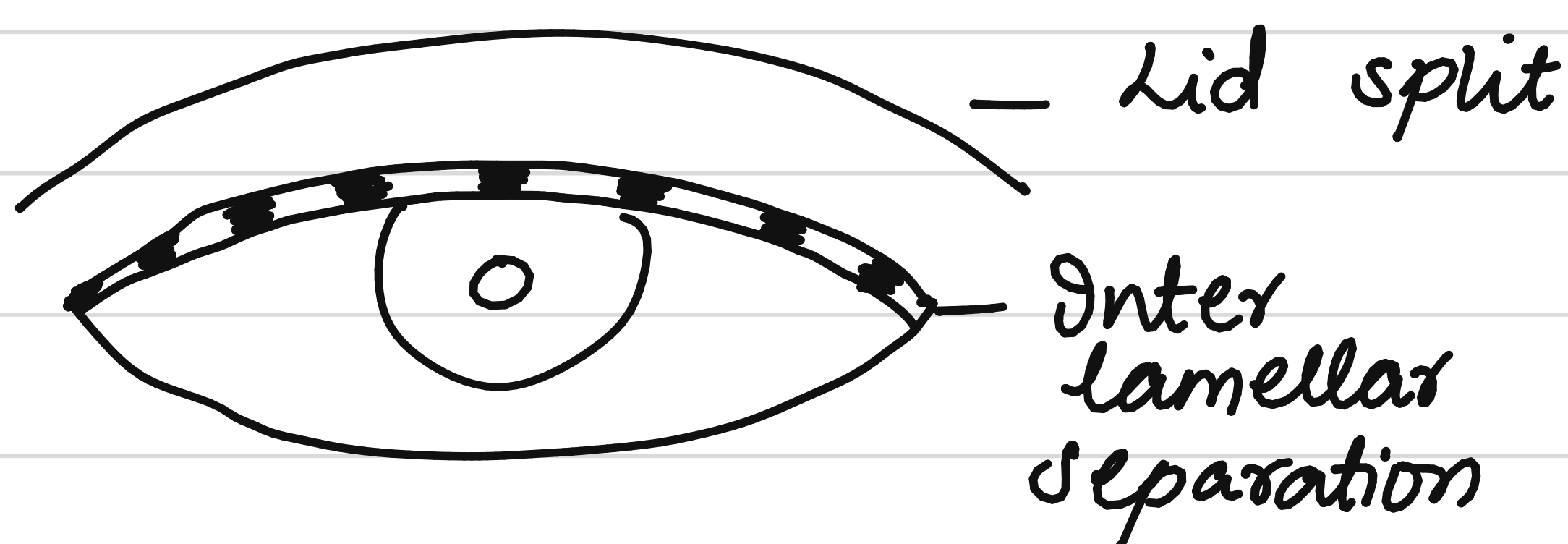


(ii) Cicatricial Entropion

1. Anterior lamellar Recession (ALR)

• Procedure

- Eyelid split
- Interlamellar (b/w ant. & post.) separation
- Recession of anterior lamella fewer mm away from lid margin



2. Anterior lamellar Repositioning

- ALR with incomplete interlamellar separation
- Done in mild cases

3. Diab & Allen 5 step procedure

• Steps:

- upper Blepharoplasty
- complete lid split + interlamellar separation
- Release of upper lid retractors
- Repositioning of anterior lamella over tarsus
- lid crease closure suturing with bites through the retractors.

→ Complications of Entropion surgery

1. Recurrence
2. Excessive correction → Ectropion
3. Excessive lid retraction → Scleral show
4. Fistula
5. Vascular compromise → Lid margin necrosis
6. Suture abscess.

→ DD's

1. Trichiasis
 - Misdirected eyelashes
2. Distichiasis
 - Abnormal growth of lashes from Meibomian gland orifices
3. Epiblepharon
 - Overriding of pretarsal orbicularis & skin over the lid margin to form a horizontal skin fold
 - vertically directed eyelashes
 - Common in Asians < 1 yr.
 - Usually asymptomatic
 - Mx:
 - Resolves with age
 - If indicated: Surgery to remove strip of skin & orbicularis from eyelid.