

- 1 taking care of patients in the office, and also doing
2 surgery.
- 3 Q. What percentage of your time was spent taking
4 care of patients as opposed to operating?
A. Two-thirds.
- 6 Q. When you say taking care of patients, two-thirds
7 is what, taking care of patients or operating?
A. One-third in the operating room.
- 9 Q. Two-thirds taking care of patients. What type of
10 things were you doing?
A. Seeing patients for a variety of ocular
12 complaints, initial and follow-up visits.
- 13 Q. Okay. The operating room work, the one-third,
14 what type of surgeries were you doing? Were there
15 particular procedures you were performing?
A. I was performing refractive procedures.
- 17 Q. Okay.
- 18 A. Cataract surgery, others. Do you want me to list
19 every operation?
Q. That you were doing, well, just give me an idea
21 of what you were doing in '97?
A. Corneal surgery, conjunctival surgery, refractive
23 surgery, cataract surgery.
- 24 Q. Refractive surgery, how much of your time was

- 1 doing refractive procedures?
A. About half.
- 3 Q. How much of your time was spent on cataract
4 surgery?
A. About 45 percent.
- 6 Q. And so the other two, corneal and conjunctival,
7 were about five percent?
A. That's right.
- 9 Q. Within a refractive procedure, would you include
10 lasik with that?
A. Yes.
- 12 Q. How much of your time of that was spent doing
13 lasik?
MS. NEWMAN: In other words --
- 15 BY MR. KAFRISSEN:
Q. Why don't we do it this way. Tell me what
17 refractive procedures you were performing?
A. Lasik, radial keratotomy, astigmatic keratotomy,
19 that's it.
- 20 Q. Okay. And within those different types of
21 refractive procedures, how much of your time was spent
22 doing lasik procedures?
A. What percentage of the refractive surgery --
Q. Of the refractive was lasik?

- 1 A. 85 percent.
- 2 MS. POST: What was that, I'm sorry,
3 I just couldn't hear you.
4 THE WITNESS: Yes.
- 5 BY MR. KAFRISSEN:
6 Q. The cataract surgery that you were performing,
7 were there different types of cataract procedures that
8 you were doing?
A. Not really, what do you mean?
- 10 Q. The clear lens extraction, how frequent were you
11 performing clear lens extraction?
MS. NEWMAN: Out of the percentage of
13 time that you she did cataract surgery?
MR. KAFRISSEN: Right.
- 15 THE WITNESS: I don't recall.
- 16 BY MR. KAFRISSEN:
17 Q. Do you consider the clear lens extraction to be a
18 refractive procedure or cataract procedure?
A. Actually, refractive. Although, I now realize I
20 didn't break up the refractive to include that. May I
21 amend my percentages to reflect that?
Q. Sure. Anytime you feel that there is an answer
23 that you gave and you want to change, you want to amend
24 it, whatever -- you want, add to it, just say so?

- 1 A. Of my 45 percent of surgery which is refractive,
2 I would say that was in 1997, five to ten percent
3 refractive lensectomy with lens implants. Of the 45
4 percent -- are we breaking that down as 45 percent or
5 as a 100 percent, how do you want to hear it?
6 MS. NEWMAN: I think we're getting
7 kind of convoluted.
- 8 BY MR. KAFRISSEN:
9 Q. Right, here is what I have. You were doing
10 refractive procedures about half of the time, about 50
11 percent --
12 A. Right.
- 13 Q. -- and then you said that within that you have
14 lasik and the keratotomy procedures and then the clear
15 lens extraction or refractive lensectomy with lens
16 implantation?
A. Yes.
- 18 Q. And you said just on the refractive procedure
19 about 85 percent of your time was lasik?
A. Uh-huh.
- 21 Q. And then I had asked you what percentage of your
22 time was clear lens extraction?
A. Okay. So these numbers are to add up to 100, not
24 to 50?