

# MINOR & JAMES MEDICAL



## Benson Chen, MD Ophthalmology

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[http://www.minorandjames.com/our\\_physicians/ophthalmologist/chen.htm](http://www.minorandjames.com/our_physicians/ophthalmologist/chen.htm)

### Medical Specialty/Special Interest:

Comprehensive medical and surgical care of ocular and periocular disorders, including cataracts, glaucoma, and diabetes, to ocular surface disease and eyelid plastic and reconstructive surgery.

### Education:

- Tufts University, Medford, MA, Bachelor of Science ~ 1992
- Chicago Medical School, North Chicago, IL, Master of Science ~ 1997
- Chicago Medical School, North Chicago, IL, Doctorate in Medicine ~ 2001

### Residency/Fellowship:

- Internship, Internal Medicine, *Ochsner Clinic Foundation*, New Orleans, LA
- Residency, Ophthalmology, *Louisiana State University/Ochsner Clinic Foundation*, New Orleans, LA
- Residency, Ophthalmology, *Ohio State University*, Columbus, OH
- Observership, Oculoplastic Surgery, *Cole Eye Institute at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation*, Cleveland, OH
- International Clinical Externship, Oculofacial Plastic Surgery, *Department of Plastic Surgery*, Shanghai No. 9 Hospital, China

### Certification/Licensure:

- American Board of Ophthalmology
- State of Washington Medical License

### Associations/Honors:

- King County Medical Society
- Washington State Medical Association
- Washington Association of Eye Physicians and Surgeons
- American Academy of Ophthalmology

### Hospital Privileges:

- Overlake Medical Center, Bellevue, WA

### Professional Experience:

- Comprehensive Ophthalmologist, *Minor & James Medical*, Seattle, WA ~ Present
- Comprehensive Ophthalmologist, *Boys Smith Vision Center*, Ellensburg, WA ~ 2007 - 2009
- Blogging: *AsianEyeMD.Com*; research Shanghai No. 9 Hospital, China ~ 2006 - 2007

### Patient/Physician Philosophy:

The eye is a window to the soul, but also to the early detection of a broad category of preventable and treatable ocular and systemic diseases. My goal is to link what my patient tells me is bothering them to what I can see in their eyes, and to help inform them of their specific risks and benefits of treatment options.

### Personal Interests:

Family, skiing, dragon boating and figure drawing.

### Why Minor & James Medical:

I am proud to be a part of the excellent reputation of Minor & James Medical.

### Languages:

Mandarin, Cantonese and Shanghaiese Chinese dialects  
Born in the USA

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#### **Directions to Bellevue Commons from I-5 North toward Bellevue:**

- Merge onto I-405 N via exit (No. 154) toward Renton/Bellevue
- Take the NE 8th St. exit (No. 13B)
- Take the NE 8th St. West ramp
- Merge onto NE 8th St.
- Turn right onto 112th Ave NE.

#### **Directions to Bellevue Commons from I-5 South toward Bellevue:**

- Merge onto I-405 S via exit (No. 182) toward Renton/Bellevue
- Take the NE 8th St. East/West exit (No. 13)
- Take the NE 8th St. West ramp
- Merge onto NE 8th St.
- Turn right onto 112th Ave NE.