Electronic supplementary information

The multiple linear regression model of ciliary muscle parameters

The standardized regression equation of the change in ciliary muscle thickness at 1 mm from the scleral spur (CMT1) after atropine treatment (Δ CMT1) was Δ CMT1 = -0.495 × CMT1 + 0.348 x spherical equivalent (SE) + 0.455 (F = 11.05, p < 0.001), of which CMT1 and SE were included as variables. The regression coefficient of CMT1 was -0.451 (-0.681, -0.221), of which the p-value was < 0.001. The regression coefficient of SE was 0.016 (0.004, 0.027), and the p-value was 0.008. Sex, age, subfoveal choroidal thickness (CT), and parafoveal CT were excluded in the equation (all p > 0.05) (shown in Figure S1a-f).

The standardized regression equation of the change in ciliary muscle thickness at 2 mm from the scleral spur (CMT2) after atropine treatment (Δ CMT2) was Δ CMT2 = -0.541 × CMT2 + 0.270 (F = 17.81, p < 0.001), of which CMT2 was included as a variable. The regression coefficient of CMT2 was -0.420 (-0.621, -0.219), of which the p-value was < 0.001. Sex, age, subfoveal CT, parafoveal CT, and SE did not enter the equation (all p > 0.05) (shown in Figure S1b).

The standardized regression equation of the change in ciliary muscle thickness at 3 mm from the scleral spur (CMT3) after atropine treatment (Δ CMT3) was Δ CMT3 = -0.529 × CMT3 + 0.148 (F = 16.28, p < 0.001), of which CMT3 was included as a variable. The regression coefficient of CMT3 was -0.483 (-0.725, -0.242), of which the p-value was < 0.001. Sex, age, subfoveal CT, parafoveal CT, and SE did not enter the equation (all p > 0.05) (shown in Figure S1c).

The standardized regression equation of the change in maximum ciliary muscle thickness (CMTmax) after atropine treatment (Δ CMTmax) was Δ CMTmax = -0.459 × CMTmax + 0.453 (F = 11.46, p = 0.002), of which CMTmax was included as a variable. The regression coefficient of CMTmax was -0.416 (-0.664, -0.168), with a p-value of 0.002. Sex, age, subfoveal CT, parafoveal CT, and SE did not enter the equation (all p > 0.05) (shown in Figure S1d).

The standardized regression equation of the change in the tangent length from the ciliary muscle apex to the scleral spur (CMAL) after atropine treatment (Δ CMAL) was Δ CMAL = -0.576 × CMAL - 0.320 × SE + 0.656 (F = 10.22, p < 0.001), of which CMAL and SE were included as variables. The regression coefficient of CMAL was -0.652 (-0.956, -0.349), and the p-value was < 0.001. The regression coefficient of SE was -0.023 (-0.043, -0.004), with a p-value of 0.021. Sex, age, subfoveal CT, and parafoveal CT were excluded in the equation (all p > 0.05) (shown in Figure S1e-g).