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Oral formula for dry eye relief earns patent

Carson City, NV-ScienceBased Health has received a patent for HydroEye, its oral formulation for the relief of dry eye.

The patent covers claims relating to HydroEye's proprietary blend of omega-3 and omega-6 fatty acids and other nutrients that work together to maintain a healthy tear film and alleviate dry eye discomfort.

The company said HydroEye substantially increases levels of lactoferrin, a natural protein found in tears. It said patients prefer the oral form over eye drops, which need to be administered several times a day.





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