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My bachelor's thesis deals with the glaucoma disease which appears in the population all over the world. Literature states that it is the second-leading cause of blindness of people over 40 years old in the world. The most important prevention of such an impact as blindness is to detect and treat the glaucoma as soon as possible. The theoretical part of my work describes this disease, its subtypes, methods of investigation, diagnosis, and medical treatment.