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[54] **USE OF ACETYL D-CARNITINE IN THE THERAPEUTIC TREATMENT OF GLAUCOMA, AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS USEFUL IN SUCH TREATMENT**

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[57] ABSTRACT

The use is described of acetyl D-carnitine and its pharmacologically acceptable salts in the therapeutic treatment of glaucoma. The medicament may be administered orally or parenterally or be applied as a collyrium containing approximately 1–10% w/v of acetyl D-carnitine.

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