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The term pseudophakia refers to having an artificial lens implanted after the natural eye lens has been removed. During cataract surgery the natural cloudy lens is replaced by an pseudophakia intraocular lens (IOL). For all of the NEI information on this topic, please visit the following webpage:

Facts About Cataracts
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University of Maryland Medical Center, Cataracts
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