Meibomian Gland Dysfunction (MGD) is a chronic, diffuse abnormality of the meibomian glands commonly characterized by terminal duct obstruction and/or qualitative/quantitative changes in the glandular secretion. ²

MGD is diagnosed based on observable compromise to gland function and/or structure. ¹

MGD significantly affects ocular surface health. For example, MGD results in alteration of the tear film and may lead to symptoms of eye irritation, clinically apparent inflammation, and ocular surface disease. ²

⁷Market Scope 2016 Dry Eye Report