Femtosecond laser handpiece for ophthalmic surgery

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The aim is to provide a surgical hand-piece using femtosecond technology for perforating/cutting ocular tissue for ophthalmic surgery with a flexible, compact, safe and robust self-cleaning performance. The solutions include use of a preferable switchable fs-laser source from an automated ophthalmic surgical laser system to this manual hand-piece, use of special Kagome - photonic crystal fiber delivery system and use of a very small sized disposable handpiece adapter with focusing and laser self-cleaning exit window with additional fluid flow channels. Possible claims include: Switchable automated and manual ophthalmic surgical fs-laser apparatus; kagome fiber coupled compact, disposable and self-cleaning surgical hand-piece; and procedure for manual, traction free, perforating/cutting ophthalmic surgery. The invention is related to a device and a procedure which enables to treat certain eye diseases in human eyes with help of a surgical handpiece, which delivers an ultra-short pulse laser beam for surgery. The hand held device is capable of delivering ultra-short pulsed laser energy in the femtosecond and picosecond range directly to the ocular tissue like retina, lens (cataract) and sclera.

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