



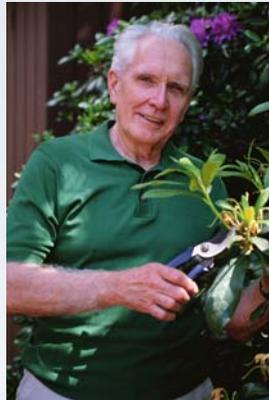
# **Healthy Vision Program: Making Vision a Health Priority**





**The Healthy Vision Program is...**

# Vision is an essential part of everyday life.





# **The Healthy Vision Program includes...**

- Examination and prevention
- Eye disease
- Injury and safety
- Vision rehabilitation

# Examination and prevention

- Dilated eye exams
- Vision screening for children (age 5 and under)
- Impairment due to refractive error
- Impairment in children and adolescents





# Eye disease

- Reduce visual impairment due to diabetic retinopathy.
- Reduce visual impairment due to glaucoma.
- Reduce visual impairment due to cataract.

# Injury and safety

- Reduce occupational eye injury.
- Increase the use of appropriate personal protective eyewear in recreational activities and hazardous situations around the home.



# Vision rehabilitation

- Increase the use of vision rehabilitation services.
- Increase the use of visual and adaptive devices.





# **How the Healthy Vision Program works**

The Healthy Vision Program challenges individuals, communities, and professionals—indeed, all of us—to take specific steps to improve the eye health of people living in the United States through prevention, early detection, timely treatment, and rehabilitation.



# You can help

- Begin at home
- Become an advocate
- Start something in your community



# You can help

- Use the Healthy Vision Program resources
- Add the logo to your Website
- Identify partners to work with you



**Share in the success of the  
Healthy Vision Program**



# Visit the Healthy Vision Website

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# Join the Healthy Vision Consortium

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