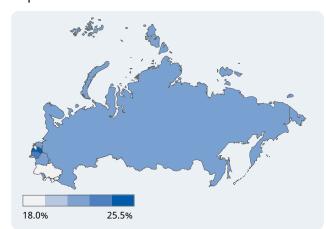
Prevalence of vision loss

Population: 209 million Countries: 7



Vision loss by age



Image: Mikhail Hut

Categories of vision loss

0.5M Female 0.3M Male

Blindness

million people
7.3M Female
3.8M Male

Moderate to severe

5.3 million people 3.3M Female 2.0M Male

Mild

26.0 million people 16.9M Female 9.2M Male

Near

The number of people with vision loss is growing

34.5million

43.2 million

44.7 million

1990

22.8 million

† 11.7million

2020

27.9 million

† 15.3 million

2050

28.3 million

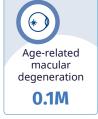
16.3 million

Top five causes of blindness and moderate to severe vision loss

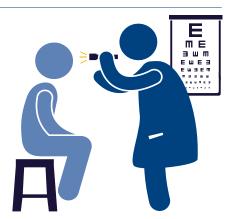












Eye care service indicators

Human resources

18,295 ophthalmologists

3,257 optometrists

- allied ophthalmic personnel

National eye health

No. countries reporting:

Coordinators: 1
Committees: 1

Plans:

Data

No. countries reporting:
Prevalence surveys: 3
Service assessments: -

Cataract surgeries

78,998 annually

For further information and definitions visit https://www.iapb.org/learn/vision-atlas. Data from VLEG/GBD 2020 model, via the IAPB Vision Atlas