A partnership between the global optometric community and leading eye health NGOs.
Funding sustainable eye care services for people who are blind or vision impaired due to uncorrected refractive error.
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Key Projects: 2007- Present
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- Regional Schools of Optometry – Malawi, Mozambique, Eritrea, Mali, Nicaragua, Argentina, India, Vietnam

- Establishment of Vision Centres and Optical Workshops – Sri Lanka, Vietnam, India, Haiti, Mexico, Tanzania, Malawi, Mozambique

- Training and Service Delivery Projects – Nicaragua, Chile, El Salvador, USA, Haiti, South Africa, Zambia, Ghana, East Timor, Indonesia, Afghanistan, India, Vietnam, China, Bangladesh, Nepal, Thailand

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Current Projects: 42
Total Projects: 57
Current Countries: 24
Total Countries: 32

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How we raise funds:

- Personal Donations
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Transforming lives through the gift of vision

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WORLD SIGHT DAY CHALLENGE

World Sight Day is October 11.

Please help raise the funds needed to deliver sustainable eye care to those in need.

Take the Challenge during October by:

- Donating a day of eye exam fees
- OR donating $2 to $5 per frame sold or exam given during the month
- AND inviting patients to donate during the month

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Nick Hansen, Hansen Optometrists, Orange, NSW
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Thank you for your interest

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