PEDIATRIC VISION SCREENING:
CURRENT CONCEPTS AND TECHNIQUES

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INTENT AND OVERVIEW

This intensive, half-day course, delivered by experts from around the country, is designed for primary health care providers who provide service to infants, children and adolescents. At the conclusion of this course, providers will be able to apply recent clinical, administrative, epidemiological research and policy guidelines to pediatric vision screening. Problems and solutions encountered in the ambulatory setting will be discussed. Subject matter will be presented to the entire group in didactic lectures, brief management problems, followed by question and answer periods.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Pediatricians, family medicine physicians, nurse practitioners, and sub specialists who wish to experience a concentrated exposure to the current knowledge and art of pediatric vision screening are invited to participate in this program.

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

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Registration

12:30 pm  
Welcome and Overview  
Richard W. Hertle, MD, FACS, FAAO, FAAP

12:35 pm  
Epidemiology of Childhood Vision Disorders  
John M. Avallone, MD

1:20 pm  
Vision Screening Methods I – Subjective  
Susan A Cotter, OD

2:05 pm  
Vision Screening Methods II – Objective  
David B. Granet, MD, FACS, FAAO, FAAP

2:50 pm  
Panel Questions and Answers  
Drs. Avallone, Cotter and Granet

3:10 pm  
Break

3:30 pm  
Vision Screening The Pennsylvania Experience  
Leah Reznick, MD

4:00 pm  
Administrative, Financial and Legal Issues  
Kenneth P. Cheng, MD

4:45 pm  
A Community Approach To Pediatric Vision Screening  
Richard W. Hertle, MD, FACS, FAAO, FAAP

5:15 pm  
Panel Questions and Answers  
Drs. Reznick, Cheng and Hertle

5:30 pm  
Conference Adjournment  
Richard W. Hertle, MD, FACS, FAAO, FAAP
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Registration Fees
$75 Physicians
$50 Residents, nurses, and other health care professionals

Registration fee includes:
• Continuing education credit
• Registration and course materials
• Refreshments

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