Doctor of Ophthalmology or Optometry,

The Lions Clubs in your area are screening children between the ages of 6 months and 5 years old with a PlusOptix, Spot or SureSight Screener. They are a member of Lions Clubs International, a national program called Lions KidSight USA, and a New York program called Lions S.E.E. Inc.

The mission of Lions S.E.E. Inc., Lions KidSight USA and your local Lions Clubs, is to decrease childhood blindness through early detection and treatment of the most common vision disorders that cause Amblyopia. The main objective of this program is to detect easily correctable conditions early before the age of seven before they may develop into permanent sight disability.

Guidelines of Lions S.E.E., Inc. require that we develop a list of eye care professionals to whom children can be referred. Permission must be obtained from the eye care professional before being placed on the list.

Do you have a Doctor of Ophthalmology or Optometry in your office that will treat children between the ages of 6 months and 5 years? If yes, will you please send me a letter stating that we may add you to our list of eye care professionals that will be given to the parents of the children that we refer? Please be aware that these parents may have been given a copy of a consent form with the results of the screening attached for your use. Please include the ages that the doctor will see, name of the doctor that they should make an appointment with, address, phone number and office hours, if available. If the parents need assistance with purchasing eyeglasses please refer them to your local Lions Club.

Since the late 1990’s Lions Clubs International Foundation has been promoting pediatric vision screening and attempting to track the number of children referred along with diagnosis and treatment of same. If you receive a postcard or letter from the parent to be returned to the Lions Club, Lions S.E.E. Inc., or KidSight USA please return it along with your diagnosis and treatment of the child. DO NOT INCLUDE ANY NAME ON THIS FORM. This informational will be used for the statistics of the program only.

Program logos:

LIONS S.E.E. INC. Website: http://www.lionsseeny.org/

LIONS KIDSIGHT USA Website: http://lionskidsightusa.org/

Thank you for your time and assistance with this program and if you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,