

Protecting Vision in Your Community

2023 - 2024 Program Year Results

NORTHWEST OHIO

Children Screened	90,660
Adults Screened	12,659
Donated Vision Care	534
Community Education	3,411
New Vision Screeners	209
Total Vision Screeners	517

NORTHEAST OHIO

Children Screened	259,170
Adults Screened	20,935
Donated Vision Care	852
Community Education	5,165
New Vision Screeners	414
Total Vision Screeners	1,214

MIAMI VALLEY OHIO

Children Screened	75,050
Adults Screened	9,360
Donated Vision Care	287
Community Education	5,561
New Vision Screeners	174
Total Vision Screeners	406

SOUTHWEST OHIO

Children Screened	77,151
Adults Screened	10,022
Donated Vision Care	581
Community Education	2,448
New Vision Screeners	130
Total Vision Screeners	424

CENTRAL/SOUTHEAST OHIO

Children Screened	184,695
Adults Screened	11,853
Donated Vision Care	1,454
Community Education	685,623
New Vision Screeners	328
Total Vision Screeners	815

STATEWIDE

Children Screened	686,727
Adults Screened	64,830
Donated Vision Care	3,708
Community Education	702,208
New Vision Screeners	1,255
Total Vision Screeners	3,376



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We love stories of Ohioans who benefit from PBO services & programs



“Dr. Therese Nemeth and her staff were so kind and helpful. They put me right at ease. My service dog, Cinnamon, was welcomed and enjoyed the visit as much as I did. Dr. Nemeth was professional and thorough. Best eye exam I have ever had. She made sure I got the right prescription for close-up and far vision. Her fitting assistant found me the perfect metal frame I had been looking for and I loved it. Only 2 weeks for processing and the end result was a perfect pair of glasses. I am so thankful for the Area Office on Aging in Toledo and Prevent Blindness Ohio.”

- Dennis R. - Toledo, OH



“CJ waited 2 months for a vision (eye exam) appointment back in the Fall of 2023. He was anxious counting down the days. When he received his prescription he almost cried finding out he had to wait another week for his glasses to come in the mail. Three days after receiving his glasses, our dog chewed them up as he left them on his bed (they nap together). He woke crying so hard. Insurance only covers 1 pair. Thank you for being a blessing for my family.”

- Jamile H. (CJ's mother) - Lyndhurst, OH



“I found myself with no vision insurance. Medical insurance covered eye exam because of diabetes. Prescription changed. 211 referred me to Prevent Blindness Ohio. I was approved & received voucher. Thank you PBO & Target for helping me with kindness & professionalism.”

- Karen P. - Hamilton, OH



“Went to Hope Clinic for help with medication. During exam they saw that my eyes were having issues on focusing. Hope Clinic knew of Prevent Blindness and let me know that Prevent Blindness was able to help with eye exams and able to help me get glasses if needed. During the exam Dr. Price was able to find signs of glaucoma and cataract. Thank you for all you do to help people in need of glasses!”

- Charles C. - Chillicothe, OH

“I would love to thank the amazing program of Prevent Blindness Ohio, as it helped me a lot as the scleral lens is super expensive and it is really hard to get that amount of money. Also thank you to the program, it allows me to keep enjoying life. I used to wear glasses and they always were a struggle as I couldn't play sports or anything as the glasses would start fogging. Thanks to the program, I am able to use scleral lenses and play sports and also play with my daughter. Thank you so much.”

- Francisco H. - Columbus, OH



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