

## LIONS EYEGLASS PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN

### WHICH CHILDREN ARE ELEGIBLE FOR THIS PROGRAM:

Children in ISD are eligible for the program. It is normal practice that a report from the local Independent School will identify children that have a deficiency in seeing and are recommended to be fitted with glasses. If the support for the child does not have sufficient funds, insurance or other means to afford the cost of glasses, the child would be acceptable for the Lions program to make Children's glasses.

### LION CLUB REQUIREMENTS:

Any Lion club that is in good standing and recognized by Lions Club International may participate in the eyeglass program for children. We will need for our files the name, address and phone number of the Lion Club representatives shown below.

1. Club President
1. Club doctor
2. Club children's program chairman

### WHERE WILL GLASSES BE MADE:

The glasses will be made at the TLERC finishing Laboratory located in Midland, Texas. The address is, TLERC, 200 Plaza Street, Midland, Texas 79701.

### WHAT INFORMATION IS REQUIRED TO MAKE GLASSES:

The sphere, cylinder and axis must be supplied for the right and left eye and the child's PD, (pupillary distance). **THIS INFORMATION MUST BE SUPPLIED ON THE DOCTORS FORM FOR TELRC TO MAKE A PAIR OF GLASSES.** If there is information the Doctor determines during his examination that TLERC needs to know, that information should be included on his order form.

Please furnish a return street address for all glasses. The carrier we use may not ship to a Post Office Box number.

### WHO WILL FURNISH FRAMES FOR THE PROGRAM:

All frames will be supplied by TLERC, Midland, Texas at no cost. The initial number of frames submitted would depend on the number of children the Lions Club expects to serve. The initial number will be 5 frames for each child. Additional frames would be available on request at no cost. At the first of each year the participating club would make a new request for frames. The number requested would depend on the frames the Club has in stock plus the number of children they expect to serve during the next year. It is recommended that a participating club request for the first of the year to have a stock to be 5 frames for each child expected to serve.

GIVE THIS INFORMATION TO THE DOCTOR THAT WILL MAKE THE EXAMINATION

A Doctor selected by the participating club would make the examination. It would be expected the Doctor would follow the procedures required to furnish glasses to only children identified by an accepted organization, such as the Independent school District. The information required to make the glasses will be furnished on a form signed by the Dr. All the information required to make the glasses will be on this form including the patients PD and the return address for glasses made. All children's glasses made by TLERC will use the CR-39 lenses unless otherwise specified by the Doctors order. The selected frames with the Dr's. Instructions will be shipped to,

TLERC LAB.  
200 Plaza St.  
Midland, Texas 79701

#### WHAT IS THE COST PER PAIR TO HAVE GLASSES MADE:

The cost will be a fixed cost for CR-39, CR-39 hard coated and polycarbonate lenses in the standard range, (sphere 0.00 by quarter to 4.00 and cylinder 0.00 by quarter to 2.00) as shown below for each pair of glasses.

CR-39 Standard        \$14.00

CR-39 Hard Coated    \$16.00

Polycarbonate        \$18.00

Prescription readings higher than the standard range will be more expensive.

Shipping cost plus packaging will be added.

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