

Sign up to be an eye health champion

Working together to reduce avoidable sight loss

Do you want to get involved in a project to stop people from losing their sight unnecessarily? If so, become an Eye Health Champion.

We're building a network of Manchester-based health professionals and community leaders to promote the importance of regular eye tests.

Why this is so important

Research tells us that some people don't appreciate that eye tests are not just about getting a prescription for glasses - they can also pick up early signs of eye and other diseases.

We want people, especially those living with diabetes, to get their eyes checked regularly. To make this happen, we need to repeat a consistent message. This is where you can help!

How you can get involved

We're especially keen to work with opticians who can explain to customers why regular eye checks are so important.

Our project will target people at risk of avoidable sight loss, particularly those from South Asian and African Caribbean communities who are at greater risk of diabetes and tend not to take full advantage of eye care services, including Diabetic Retinopathy Screening.

We also want to attract people who don't get their eyes tested because they're worried about the cost.

For more information or to get involved in the Eye Health Champions Project contact Jenny Lloyd on: 0161 787 9252

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