Vision Impairment

Fast Facts

Considered the most important sense, sight is a critical part of overall health.¹ The power of sight enhances life and the ability to perceive the world around you.

80% of people fear losing vision more than any other motor function, including loss of memory, hearing and speech²

In a poll, blindness was ranked second among the top four worst ailments, including cancer, HIV/AIDS and Alzheimer’s³

Common Vision Problems

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Unmet Patient Needs

Despite the fact that 80% of all visual impairment is avoidable – whether preventable, treatable or curable – there remains significant unmet needs in eye health today.⁸

50% of the world’s population needs vision correction while only 10% are treated⁹

Myopia is predicted to rise by 34% in the in the year 2020¹⁰

Cataracts are the No. 1 cause of preventable blindness worldwide⁴

More than 340 million people suffer from dry eye globally¹¹

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253 million people worldwide are visually impaired:

- **53%** Uncorrected refractive errors (myopia, hyperopia or astigmatism)
- **4%** Age-related macular degeneration
- **25%** Un-operated cataract
- **2%** Glaucoma
- **1%** Diabetic retinopathy

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