5 Bits of Important Information to Share With Parents to Encourage Confirmatory Eye Exams

1. A failed vision screen indicates that your child may have a vision problem and the eye care professional will make that determination.

2. You may see nothing in your child’s behaviors that suggests your child has a vision problem.

3. Children will not outgrow amblyopia (lazy eye) and strabismus (crossed eyes or lazy eye).

4. Some undetected and untreated vision problems can lead to permanent vision loss.

5. Children need to see well to learn well.