FREE Eye Screening Training/Certification

Saturday, November 8, 2014 - 2:00-4:00pm (Central)

Towne Centre Retirement Community 7250 Arthur Boulevard Merrillville, IN 46410



Visit their website for directions:

http://www.capitalsenior.com/townecentre/location

Do I need to do this? No, BUT with the increasing number of schools that are requesting Lions to screen, it will be beneficial to you and our organization. Consistency in the way we screen and the types of things to note of a child's eye, are critical to a good and accurate screening. In addition, school personnel and others will know we are qualified and serious in our endeavors to prevent blindness and vision services in general. State Mandates will be emphasized.

Why are we doing this? Isn't that what the nurses get paid to do? In answer to the first part of the question, there are so many reasons but the main reason is to continue the challenge of Helen Keller to prevent Blindness. Some schools certainly do not need our help and they will be quick to tell you that. That's okay. But if a school wants our help, regardless of the reasons, we should definitely step up and help, if we can. We are a Service Organization. The largest in the world and not only do we have a reputation to uphold but what greater and easier way to get the word out about what Lions do! 80% of learning is visual! Need another reason? Watch this video - http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/news-and-events/lions-news-network/lq.php?id=gBiHc9

Can non-Lions attend the training? Yes, as long as they are at least 16 years of age.

Will we be training for kidsight AND children over 6 AND adults? Yes. Keep in mind that Lions International is Launching the KidSight USA program. This will be a world-wide endeavor.

For more information or if you have not RSVP'd, please contact PDG Kevin Roe quickly! (574) 946-4701