

## MAINE LIONS SIGHT & HEARING FOUNDATION

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## **MLSHF Vision Screening Program Resources for Lions Clubs**

Maine Lions/KidSight USA Vision Screening Committee is available to help clubs who are interested in doing vision screening. They will match screening clubs willing to mentor with clubs that are interested in learning more about the vision screening process.

A Vision Screening event only requires 2-3 Lions. It can often be completed in a couple of hours. It is a rewarding service project that does not require a great deal of time or heavy lifting! You can view the Vision Screening Manual on www.MaineLions.org. It documents the steps for your club to successfully complete this project. It includes instructions, sample letters and forms, and tips for a successful screening.

Vision Screening also offers an opportunity for Lions Clubs to let young parents know who we are and what we do for our community.

Places to find children who would benefit from this service:

To identify private schools in Maine go to https://www.maine.gov/doe/schools/schoolops/private

To identify licensed day care centers in your area go to <a href="http://www.childcarechoices.me/">http://www.childcarechoices.me/</a> and enter your zip code.

To identify Head Start locations in your area go to http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc

If your club wants to get started in vision screening, or if you have questions, please contact Lion June Johnson at 838-9979 or email <a href="mailto:sebagojune@yahoo.com">sebagojune@yahoo.com</a>.