



### **Invitation to Partner in Focus Groups on Patient Perspectives on Teleophthalmology for Diabetic Eye Screening**

We seek to partner with health centers offering teleophthalmology. Your help is needed to recruit patients with diabetes for focus group discussions with the goals of:

- (1) Increasing the number of patients who have diabetic eye screening
- (2) Making it easier for patients and staff to use teleophthalmology

Our research aims to prevent blindness in our communities by making diabetic eye screening more accessible.

<b>Who</b> will participate?	Patients with diabetes from health centers offering teleophthalmology
<b>What</b> will we discuss?	Patient perspectives and experiences with diabetic eye screening
<b>When</b> will we meet?	Participants will join a 60-90 min. focus group in Spring/Summer 2021
<b>Where</b> will we meet?	Either via teleconference or at a convenient location
What <b>compensation</b> will be provided?	\$50.00 (plus transportation costs if applicable)

Participating health centers will have access to de-identified focus group data and results. This information can help maximize patient use of teleophthalmology and increase diabetic eye screening.

**Please let us know if you might be interested in partnering to recruit patients for our study.**

Thanks for your commitment to improving eye care access within our communities!

#### **To learn more about the study, please contact:**

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