

**OUR VISION :** A world where no one is needlessly blind.

**THE PROBLEM :** The need for eye care in Congo is real, huge and desperate.












<p><b>170,000</b> The number of Congolese estimated to suffer from blindness or visual impairment.</p>	 <p>3 in 4 who are visually impaired require help with daily activities.</p>
<p><b>54%</b> The percentage of Congolese that live in Absolute Poverty, i.e. &lt; USD1 a day</p>	 <p>9 out of 10 people who are blind cannot go to work or school.</p>

**THE SOLUTION :** We have opened the first and only Eye Centre in northern Congo.

<p><b>Provide Comprehensive Eye Care</b> <b>01</b></p> <p>4 in 5 blind or visually impaired people in the world are suffering needlessly because their eye conditions are either preventable or treatable.</p> <p>We provide accessible comprehensive eye care to preserve and restore sight. This includes well-proven measures such as cataract surgery, which are amongst the world's most cost effective health interventions.</p>	<p><b>Empower the local community</b> <b>02</b></p> <p>We train and empower the local community to create sustainable, economically viable and locally managed services so that they will continue to serve local populations long after New Sight's involvement is complete.</p> <p>This includes teaching skills in the areas of medicine and administration, as well as community health education through radio programs and health fairs.</p>	<p><b>Advocate Eye Health</b> <b>03</b></p> <p>We partner with the government, health authorities and schools to advocate, raise awareness and provide health education.</p> <p>We also work in collaboration with international organisations such as Médecin Sans Frontier and United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees who send us their patients.</p>
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**OUR IMPACT :** The priceless gift of sight transforms thousands of lives in one of the poorest and most neglected areas in the world.

When sight is restored the impact is profound, immediate and sustained for at least 6 years\*

<p><b>MAJOR INCREASE in</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Physical health</li> <li> Mental health</li> <li> Health-related quality of life</li> <li> Assets &amp; self-rated wealth</li> <li> Household income and expenditure</li> <li> Time in work and productive activities</li> </ul>	<p><b>DECREASE in</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Assistance in daily living</li> <li> Catastrophic expenditure</li> <li> Hardship (defined as costs such as phone/utility bills, medications etc).</li> </ul>
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The World Health Organisation has stated that restoring someone's sight is the single most cost-effective health intervention to reduce poverty.

**NEW SIGHT IN NUMBERS :** Eye Nurses trained: 4    Visiting Volunteers: 15    Screening in 2015: 815  
Consultations in 2015: 1616    Year Eye Centre Opened: 2013

\* 1) London School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene with International Centre for Eye Health: Cataract Impact Study: <https://blogs.lshtm.ac.uk/iceh/files/2014/03/CIS-Summary-Report.pdf> 2) Essue BM. A multicenter prospective cohort study of quality of life and economic outcomes after cataract surgery in Vietnam: the VISIONARY study. Ophthalmology. 2014 Nov;121(11):2138-46. doi: 10.1016/j.ophtha.2014.05.014. Epub 2014 Jul 8. 3) London School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene with International Centre for Eye Health: The Cataract Impact Study Six Year Follow-up <http://iceh.lshtm.ac.uk/files/2014/03/Cataract-Impact-Study-Six-Year-Follow-Up-SUMMARY.pdf>

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<b>Gold Table of 12</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prime Seating</li> <li>• Complimentary Half Page Advertisement in Souvenir Program</li> </ul>	HK\$ 30,000	HK\$ 38,000
<b>Individual ticket</b>	HK\$ 2,800	

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