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UNDERSTANDING PEDIATRIC EYE AND VISION EXAMINATION: CHAIRSIDE GUIDES

InfantSEE is hosting a virtual OD Talk on EyeLearn on May 27, 2026 from 8pm to 9pm CT. This event will educate attendees on what to look for in an infant or child eye exam and how to treat/prescribe based on the age of the child being examined. We have InfantSEE & Children's Vision Chairside Guides for children 0 to 18 that are free to download on the InfantSEE Website for all AOA members. We have four separate chairside guides based on the age of children being examined (0-3, 3-5, 6-12, 13-18). The event will go through the guide including the tools, basic methods, and additional issues to look for in each area of an exam for each age group. The event will also go through the ocular medications approved for each age group as well as a vision development checklist for the age group. Register here.

OPTOMETRY'S FUND FOR DISASTER RELIEF

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Optometry's Fund for Disaster Relief has provided nearly 2 million dollars of financial relief during times of disaster to over 800 doctors of optometry.

Disasters are unpredictable and can be life-altering; it is our goal to ensure that the fund is always poised and ready to help, so doctors can get back to doing what they do best – providing eye and vision care to their community.

Doctors and students who have property damage to their home or practice can apply for a disaster relief grant aoafoundation.org/our-programs/optometrys-fund-for-disaster-relief.

THROWBACK THURSDAY

THE Optometric HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Follow Optometry Cares – the AOA Foundation on Facebook to see monthly posts on optometric history. The AOA Foundation Facebook page can be found at Facebook.com/OptometryCares.

The AOA Conference of State Association Presidents, Professional Advancement Program on October 25th, 1942 in Detroit Michigan. Topics discussed at this specially called meeting included the shortage of optometry students, need for government recognition, improved ethical standards, more representative membership, and the profession's role.