

SightFirst Grants – Approved January 2019

Grant Number/District	Location	Project	Amount
SFP1962/404	NIGERIA	Expansion of comprehensive eye care services at Osun State Specialist Hospital (OSSH) in Osun State, Nigeria. The grant will expand and upgrade the equipment of OSSH, as well as provide refresher training to four ophthalmic nurses, six optometrists, and two ophthalmologists. It is expected that OSSH will increase its service delivery capacity by 125% by the end of the four-year project, and that 45,000 individuals will be screened during outreach campaigns.	US\$542,126
SFP2041/325-B2	NEPAL	Expand diabetic retinopathy and retinal services at Geta Eye Hospital in Geta, Kailali District. With the new funded equipment, it is expected that Geta Eye Hospital will be able to increase the number of outpatients screened by 12% in three years, increase the number of diabetic patients screened by 147%, and increase the number of diabetic retinopathy cases diagnosed and treated, each by 100%.	US\$70,410
SFP2058/321-C1	INDIA	Upgrade diabetic retinopathy and retinal services at the Lions Eye Hospital in Ghaziabad. It is anticipated that the Lions Eye Hospital of Ghaziabad will be able to increase the number of outpatient consultations by 140% and the number of diabetic retinopathy cases diagnosed and treated by 233% over three years with new equipment and eye health education.	US\$159,471
SFP2060/316-G	INDIA	Upgrade diabetic retinopathy and retinal services at Rajavalli Radha Raman Lions Eye Hospital. The funds will cover equipment, the renovation of one operating theater and a screening vehicle. The hospital aims to increase the number of cataract surgeries performed by 20%, distribute over 41,000 spectacles and increase the number of glaucoma and diabetic retinopathy cases diagnosed and treated by 13 and 20% respectively over three years.	US\$187,449

SFP2066/3234-H2	INDIA	Expand comprehensive eye care services through expansion and equipping the Aurangabad Chikalhana Lions Eye Hospital. Anticipated outputs include increasing cataract output by 47% and the number of outpatient consultations by 34% over three years.	US\$617,143
SFP2070/321-F	INDIA	Expand cataract and refractive errors services at the Lions Eye Hospital in Jaitu. The funds will upgrade the diagnostic and surgical equipment at the Lions Eye Hospital, which is anticipated to increase the number of cataract surgeries by 222% after three years and increase the number of outpatient consultations by 261%. In addition, the number of school vision screening camps would increase by 150%, resulting in 40,000 children screened per year.	US\$159,138
SFP2033/LC-8	BRAZIL	Prevention and treatment of diabetic retinopathy through the integration of municipal and state-level diabetes and vision care systems. The grant will upgrade the equipment of Bauru State Hospital and three basic health units, as well as provide training to 24 nurse technicians and 340 community health volunteers. It is expected that BSH will screen at least 10,500 at-risk patients and treat 2,100 diagnosed patients by the end of the three-year project.	US\$335,282
SFP2071/O-4	ARGENTINA	Expand interdisciplinary services for children with low vision and blindness through the training of professionals and to increase access to assistive technology for people with low vision and blindness. The grant will provide basic equipment and low vision devices to the Gutiérrez Children's Hospital, as well as provide training to 120 pediatric professionals and 200 paraprofessionals.	US\$77,632
SFP2072/M-1	PARAGUAY	Expand eye care infrastructure and services at the Lions Club of Coronel Bogado Ophthalmology Clinic. The grant will provide basic equipment for the clinic, which is expected to increase its service capacity by 30% annually, reaching a rate of at least 3,427 annual consultations after five years.	US\$62,729