The Ohio Affiliate of Prevent Blindness invites you attend

e a free training program!

Adult Vision Screening and the Healthy Eyes Program

Wednesday, June 28, 2017 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

Tri-C Advanced Technology Training Center
3409 Woodland Avenue, Room ATTC129, Cleveland, OH 44115

Adult Vision Screening Training: Half of all blindness can be prevented through early detection and treatment. Today, there are 1,259,000 older Ohioans affected by vision problems that if not detected and treated early, could lead to blindness. Because of the growth in the aging population, there will be more than 2.5 million Ohioans affected by vision-robbing conditions by the year 2030!

After completing the Adult Vision Screening Training Program you will be able to:

- Perform near and distance visual acuity screenings
- Educate people about “aging eye” diseases and disorders
- Describe Adult Vision Screening Guidelines Published by Prevent Blindness

Upon successful completion of the training, you will be nationally certified to provide adult vision screenings for three years and are eligible to receive FREE vision screening equipment including: Adult Risk Assessment and Registration Forms, Near and Distance Visual Acuity Charts and assorted educational vision resources and brochures.

The Healthy Eyes Program: enhances the services of Ohio’s senior care and public health networks by providing information and access to prevention information, referral, and treatment resources for aging eye challenges.

After completing The Healthy Eyes portion of the program, you will be able to provide your professional and consumer constituent base with facts and information about what they can do to prevent vision loss.

You will receive an Healthy Eyes Toolkit which contains a flash drive with several PowerPoint presentations. The toolkits also contain handouts, brochures, and questionnaires to support each of the presentations.

After completing the Healthy Eyes Training Program you will be able to:

- Provide presentations on accessing eye care resources
- Educate others about age related eye diseases such as glaucoma, age related macular degeneration, cataract, and diabetic retinopathy
- Teach the people you serve how to live a healthy lifestyle to preserve their sight
- Create eye health displays
- Provide educational materials that will help your clients preserve their sight
- Provide informational articles for your organization’s newsletter or website about vision health
Interested?

Mail, e-mail, or fax completed form **by June 20, 2017** to: Laura Schwartz, Prevent Blindness, Ohio Affiliate, 1500 West Third Avenue, Suite 200, Columbus, Ohio 43212. E-mail to lauras@pbohio.org. Fax 614-481-9670.

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**Please note:** Attendees are welcome to bring a snack or brown bag lunch.

Space is limited to the first 20 registrants. You will NOT receive a written or verbal confirmation of your acceptance into the training. **If the training is full, Prevent Blindness will contact you.** If your plans change, please call Laura Schwartz at 800-301-2020 ext. 112 or e-mail lauras@pbohio.org.

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