# Wiglobal Leadership summit



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# Vision Monday's Annual Global Leadership Summit

### "FORGING NEW ALLIANCES FOR INDEPENDENT ECPs"

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# Vision Source





# Vision Source Today

- Experienced OD and Industry led Sr. Mgt Team
- Celebrating 20 years in Business
- Over 2200 offices (65 in Canada)
- Over 4600 ECPs
- Over \$1.6 B in aggregate sales
- Tremendous member retention & tenure
- 120 local markets that meet monthly or qtrly
- Annual NAM with over 2000 attendees
- Almost 200 Employees





# **How Does Vision Source Help Doctors Compete?**

Vision Source is a legal franchise of independent doctors in all 50 states and Canada that provides doctors:

- Cost of goods savings
- Practice management and education
- Co-operative marketing & territory exclusivity

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# **Examples of COG Savings**

- Proprietary Ophthalmic Lenses and Lens Treatments
- Private Label Contact Lenses
- Proprietary Frame Line



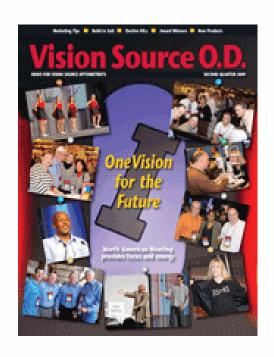
# **Examples of Practice Mgt Tools**

- Best in class Staff Education program
- Office Manager Training & Development
- Billing & Coding Support
- Member Services Team
- 35 page quarterly practice management publication



# Quarterly Professional Publication









# Cooperative Marketing & Territory Exclusivity

- Free Member Websites
- Phone App for referrals
- Media campaigns major markets
- Territory Exclusivity
- New Member Opportunity



# Free Member Websites



### **Welcome To Vision Source-Meyer Park**

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# What we provide Vendor partners

- Platforms to educate doctors/staff about their products efficiently
- Co- Branding opportunities
- Sales growth thru Cooperative Independence



# Platforms for Vendor Partners

# **North American Meeting**

- Over 2000 attendees
- No Continuing Education
- Vendor Lectures
- 15 hours of Exhibit time

Over 500 local Doctor meetings per year

Over 200 local Office Manager Meetings per year

Daily Web and Print Dr Communication

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# Vision Source Co-Branding In-office Promotion







# Cooperative Independence

Doctors are independent, but act cooperatively when clinically appropriate



# Vision Source and Optical Industry

VS introduced concept to the optical industry 20 yrs ago (Professional purchasing organization vs. traditional buy group)

**Investment in our infrastructure** is the key to our longevity & sustainability



### **VS Investment in Infrastructure**

To build and support an international organization of over 2300 practices and 4600 OD's, we invest in infrastructure:

### Almost 200 employees

- Business Development Team
- Vendor Relations Team
- Local OD Leadership in 120 Mkts
- Member Services Team
- Marketing Team
- Full-time legal & Accounting Groups
- IT Team

Host Monthly/Qtrly Local, regional and Nat'l Dr and Staff Mtgs



# Challenges facing independent optometry today

- Staffing
- Managing technology and the pace of change in Business
- Decrease in young ODs choosing Private Practice
- Alternative Sources of Eyewear (Internet, retail, MD's etc.)



# 20 Years of advancing Optometry and Eyecare

- Vision Source Foundation
- Optometry Giving Sight
- Over 150 VS Doctors hold AOA or State Level positions