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## Invitation to Eye Care In-Service for Primary Health Care Workers: The Role of Primary Healthcare Workers in Eye Care



**Dates:**

**Wednesday 23<sup>th</sup> June, 12:00 pm–4:30 pm**

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> June, 9:30 am – 1:00 pm**

**Venue: Western Plains Cultural Centre, 76  
Wingewarra St, Dubbo**

**Includes: Vision screening kit**

**Pre Requisite:** Primary Eye Checks Module, CPD accredited and freely available on Remote Area Health Corps (RAHC) eLearning website (2 hours to complete).

**Content:**

- Routine eye and vision screening, including case history, measuring vision, external eye exam
- Children's vision screening, including eye turns
- A basic understanding of common eye diseases and how to communicate this with patients
- Discussing how diabetes affects the eyes with patients
- Referral of patients
- Understanding and creating a strong eye care pathway

***Participants will gain vision screening skills that will become part of their daily work practice.***

**Registration:** Register [here](#) by Tuesday 15th June 2021.

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