

Teacher Observational Checklist

Purpose: Assist teachers to identify students with vision problems.

Equipment: Teacher Checklist

Provide the teacher checklist to teachers at the start of the school year with instructions to refer students to the school nurse when symptoms of vision problems exist.

Other Students to be Screened: All new students and transfer students who have not been screened should be screened upon entry. Any student referred by a parent, teacher, or him/herself because of concern about vision, is to be screened upon request.

Training of screeners: Individuals who do vision screening should attend an in-service training program prior to their participation in a screening program.

School Procedure Review: There should be a review of vision screening procedures every two years.