



# ACVIR Inclusion Criteria

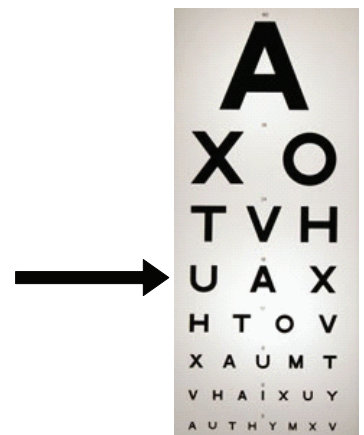
For children to be included in the Australian Childhood Vision Impairment Register, they must be aged between 0-18 years and must have had their vision impairment diagnosed by an eye doctor or ophthalmologist.

Inclusion criteria mean the characteristics that your child needs to have to join the Register. There are different inclusion criteria - **your child only needs one** of these to qualify for the Register:

## Inclusion Criteria 1: Visual Acuity

If your child has had their vision tested using both eyes, wearing their distance glasses or contact lenses (if needed), and they have a visual acuity of 6/18 or less.

The arrow pointing on the vision chart shows the line of letters that equals 6/18. Your eye health professional may use a different type of vision test to this chart to work out your child's visual acuity.



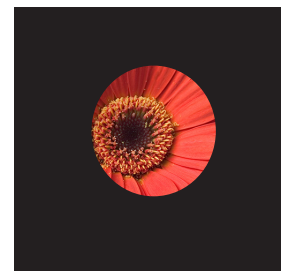
## Inclusion Criteria 2: Visual Field

If your child has had their visual field or peripheral vision tested using both eyes and they have 20 degrees or less of remaining visual field.

The picture demonstrates loss of visual field.



Full visual field



Visual field loss

## Inclusion Criteria 3: Cortical Vision Impairment

If your child has any form of cortical vision impairment.

Your eye health professional will be able to advise you if your child meets the inclusion criteria for the Australian Childhood Vision impairment Register. If you have any questions please contact Register staff on [acvir@ridbc.org.au](mailto:acvir@ridbc.org.au) or call (02) 9872 0248.