

## **VISION CARE RESOURCES**

### **BadgerCare**

- If your child is on BadgerCare they can receive an eye exam and glasses annually. Please call the number on the back of your child's health care card to find a vision care provider or you can look up your child's HMO contact number in the link [here](#). Contact member services by phone at 800-362-3002.
- Instructions also on [this website](#) to find a vision care provider within this network as well as information on ordering frames and lenses.
- If you currently do not have BadgerCare Plus but would like more information: visit the Department of Health Services web page with [basic information](#) about Badgercare Plus as well as [how to apply](#).

### **Lions Club**

- The Lions Club is a globally recognized organization that, among other things, strongly advocates for the blind and visually impaired through promoting and coordinating children's vision screenings and eyeglasses donations. Connect with the [McFarland Lions Club](#) for possible eyeglass donations and/or vouchers for eye exams.

### **Eyecare America**

- This program is offered nation-wide for eligible persons. See if your student qualifies by completing the questionnaire on their [website](#).

### **Vision USA**

- A program run by the Wisconsin Optometric Association that offers comprehensive eye care services for children 18 years of age and younger who meet eligibility requirements. See [Vision USA website](#) for information, eligibility requirements and instructions on how to apply.

### **Prevent Blindness**

- Provides vision care assistance to those who meet the federal poverty guidelines. For more information about this eyeglass program view the [website](#) & call to find out if you are eligible to receive a referral for an exam for a prescription and eyeglasses. #414-765-0505

### **VSP Vision – Eyes of Hope**

- Eyes of Hope is a program that is available to assist children, 19 years old or younger, with the cost of an eye exam and glasses if needed. To qualify the specific criteria must be met. Visit VSP Vision's [website](#) for more detailed information on this program, where to find local doctors in this network as well as information on mobile clinics.

### **Low Cost Eyeglass Options**

- [EyeBuyDirect](#) – web-based organization selling generic frames and lenses for as little as \$8.
- [39 Dollar Glasses](#) – web-based organization that offers discounts up to 70% on prescription eyeglasses and sunglasses. Contact them at the web address above, or at toll-free 800-672-6304 for more information.
- [Zenioptical](#) – web-based organization selling generic frames, including lenses with anti-scratch coating for as little as \$8.

***Reach out to McFarland School District Health Services for more information, questions or if you need assistance obtaining vision resources.***

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(608) 838-3146

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Waubesa Intermediate School

5605 Red Oak Trail

(608) 838-7667

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Indian Mound Middle School

6330 Exchange St.

(608) 838-8980

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McFarland High School

5103 Farwell St.

(608) 838-3166