



Colorado Lions KidSight Program - District 6W November 2016

21,000 Children Screened and Still Counting!

I have a stack of forms in my office so I know that our KidSight Colorado volunteers have been busy! In the state through October 31 we have screened 21,658 children and referred 2,410 (11.4 percent referral rate). In 6W, 5,041 children have been screened with 421 referred (8.4 percent referral rate). As you can see from the rates of referral rates the children of Colorado need and deserve a great vision screening program like KidSight Colorado. Thanks to the many volunteers in 6W who make this program possible!



Get Ready for Colorado Gives Day (December 6, 2016)!

Please mark your calendars! KidSight Colorado will again be participating in Colorado Gives Day which will be held on Tuesday, December , 2016. This day is designated as a day to support Colorado nonprofits who protect and nurture the quality of life in Colorado. KidSight

Colorado also earns monetary incentives based on the amount of donations we receive. Donations can be made by clicking on the bottom of the Home page at our website www.kidsightcolorado.org, on our KidSight Colorado Facebook page or go to ColoradoGivesDay.org. Donations can be made at any time to KidSight Colorado by clicking on this link not just on December 6, 2016! Donations for Colorado Gives Day are being accepted from November 1 through December 6. Last year we raised about 3,000 and I would love to double that this year. Remember any donation amount is appreciated.

Attention Online Holiday Shoppers – iGive and AmazonSmile

It is hard to believe but the holidays will be here before you know it. As you make your online holiday gift purchases you can log in to a website called **iGive.com** and shop at a number of



participating online retailers. These companies will make a donation to KidSight Colorado simply because you purchased online with them through iGive.com. Companies participating include Cabela's, Macy's, Michael's, Office Depot, Teleflora, PetSmart, Walgreens and many retail clothing stores, airlines and hotels. All you need to do is designate the Colorado Lions KidSight Program as your cause. When you purchase through iGive merchants will contribute a percentage of your total shopping purchase to KidSight Colorado. Because the merchants make the contribution it doesn't cost you anything to participate in the program and KidSight benefits from your purchases.

Are you a hard core **Amazon** shopper? You can provide two donations at one time. Sign up for the **AmazonSmile** program at AmazonSmile.com. Just designate KidSight Colorado as your charity and then go to igive.com and make your Amazon purchases on that site. KidSight Colorado will receive a donation from the Amazon Smile program and from the igive.com program. If you need more information about this program you can go to the [iGive.com](http://igive.com) or [AmazonSmile](http://AmazonSmile.com) websites or call me for additional information.

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