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Education

Dr. Laura Windsor attended Indiana University and majored in Chemistry before being accepted into the I.U. School of Optometry Early Admission Program where she finished her Bachelor's of Science in Optometry in 1998. She then completed her Doctorate of Optometry in 2001. She was one of 120 selected gifted and talented high school students from across Indiana accepted into the third graduating class at the Indiana Academy for Science, Mathematics and Humanities at Ball State University.

Doctor of Optometry
Indiana University, Bloomington
May 2001

Bachelor of Science in Optometry
Indiana University, Bloomington
December 1998

Indiana Honors Diploma
Indiana Academy of Science, Mathematics and Humanities
Ball State University; Residential Junior & Senior High School
May 1994

Optometric Private Practice

Dr. Laura Windsor is a partner of the Eye Associates Group, LLC/Low Vision Centers of Indiana. She joined her father, Richard Windsor, O.D., F.A.A.O., R. Lewis Scott, O.D., F.A.A.O. and Craig Ford, O.D., F.A.A.O. in practice after graduating from the Indiana University School of Optometry in 2001. Dr. Laura Windsor's practice is very diverse. She provides primary care and low vision rehabilitation for infants to seniors. She also provides neuro-optometric care to patients who have suffered a stroke and/or head injury. She regularly examines low vision and brain injury patients from across the United States and from around the world at the Low Vision Center of Indianapolis. She also specializes in providing quality eye care for children and adults with special needs. She also delivers the much needed eye care to those in nursing facilities including providing low vision care for them.

Primary Care

The Eye Associates practice was founded in 1894 and has always been on the forefront of optometric technology. Over the years, it has received forty-six state and national awards. Dr. Laura Windsor's practice has the latest equipment including the Cirrus Optical Coherence Tomographer (OCT), digital fundus cameras, Humphrey Visual Field (SITA-Swap) Analyzers, pachymeter, B scans, and Useful Field of View testing (UFOV) which Dr. Windsor uses to treat and manage patients with glaucoma, diabetic eye disease, macular degeneration and other eye conditions.

Dr. Laura Windsor's computer networking and software knowledge was instrumental in the conversion to electronic health records in her practice over 5 years ago.

Vision Rehabilitation

She provides low vision and neuro-optometric rehabilitation at the Low Vision Center of Indianapolis, the Low Vision Center of Fort Wayne, as well as at the Eye Associates Group, LLC main office in Hartford City, IN.

Nursing Home Care

She also provides primary care at her Hartford City office and has been the Optometric Consultant for over 16 nursing facilities in East Central Indiana from 2001 until 2012. Dr. Laura began her career with the Eye Associates Group, LLC practice at age 15 working part-time in third party billing, organizing the nursing home program and transcribing reports.

Practice Locations

Eye Associates Group, LLC, 315 Huggins Drive, Hartford City, IN

Low Vision Center of Indianapolis, 9002 N. Meridian St., Ste. 109, Indianapolis, IN

Low Vision Center of Fort Wayne, 6208B N Constitution Drive, Fort Wayne, IN

Post-Doctorate Licenses and Certifications

Indiana License to Practice Optometry, 2001-Present

Indiana Therapeutics OLD PAC Certificate, 2001-Present

Treatment and Management of Ocular Disease Certificate, National Board of Examiners, 2001

Fellowship Honors

Dr. Laura Windsor completed the requirements of Fellowship into the American Academy of Optometry only two years after graduating from Optometry School. Her case studies focused on post-cataract extraction complications, epidemic keratoconjunctivitis, recurrent corneal erosion, the low vision rehabilitation of a patient with albinism and the rehabilitation of a patient with a right homonymous hemianopsia secondary to traumatic brain injury. She was awarded her fellowship at the Academy meeting in Dallas, Texas in December 2003.

Fellow of the American Academy of Optometry, Dec. 2003-Present

Honors & Awards

Top 20 Under 40

October 2013

M Magazine

M Magazine selected Dr. Laura Windsor as one of the top 20 leaders under 40 years old in East Central Indiana. They honored ten professionals for their professional work as well as their work in the community.

National Young Optometrist of the Year

June 2011

American Optometric Association

The Young Optometrist of the Year Award recognizes a doctor of optometry in active practice less than 10 years who shows remarkable leadership skills when serving his or her profession, patients, and community. Dr. Windsor's work in low vision, her contributions to her profession including her writing of articles and lecturing around the country and her community service were all noted by the AOA.

President's Citation "Young Optometrist of the Year"

April 2010

Indiana Optometric Association

At the Indiana Optometric Association's Annual Convention in Indianapolis on April 17, 2010, Dr. Laura Windsor was honored with the President's Citation for being the outstanding Young Doctor of Optometry of the Year. This award is given to doctors who have been in practice less than 10 years and who have demonstrated not only contributions to his or her profession, but also to service on behalf of the visual welfare of the public and service to the community at large. Dr. Windsor was cited at the awards banquet for her many contributions to optometry including her work in low vision rehabilitation and in the application of the Internet and computer technology to aid and educate patients.

Meritorious Service Award, Indiana Optometric Association

April 2010

Dr. Laura Windsor received a Meritorious Service Award for her work on a manual on electronic medical records. She was the primary author on the manual, *Optometric Electronic Medical Records: A Step by Step Guide to Selection and Implementation*. She used her background and experiences with her own EMR to compose this manual as a guide to other practices. This 70-page manual was given to IOA members and is available through the IOA website.

Blackford County, Indiana “Favorite Eye Doctor”

2003-2010

Dr. Laura Windsor has been selected by the people of Blackford county as their favorite eye doctor for the past seven years. This contest is held annually through the local newspaper, Hartford City News Times, and other businesses in the community.

National Essilor Award, Boston Massachusetts

June 2001

Dr. Laura Windsor was presented this award by Essilor at the American Optometric Association’s Annual Conference in Boston, Massachusetts in June 2001 after graduating from Optometry School. This was a competition among all of the graduating students from Optometry schools around the country. She was awarded this for her use and application of high powered progressive lenses for the treatment of patients with visual impairments.

Essilor “Award of Excellence”, Indiana University

May 2001

She was awarded this honor by her professors at graduation for her clinical and leadership skills.

Indiana University Varilux Student Award

May 2001

Dr. Windsor received the Varilux Student Award at graduation for her work with low vision patients and the use of Varilux lenses to help them.

Award for Outstanding Contribution to the I.U. Optometry Student Body

February 2000

She was awarded a special award for her contributions to the student body including her work on the Future Optometrists website, canned food drive and other projects as Vice President of the I.U. School of Optometry Student Association at the Annual Optometry Formal Dinner.

Gold Medal to AOA for a “How to” Article

June 1999

American Society of Business Press Editors

While still a student in Optometry School, Dr. Laura Windsor co-authored “Weave Your Web: Using the Internet to Market Your Practice” for the *AOA News* in November 1998. It was one of the first optometric articles to advance the use of websites for optometric practices. In June 1999 at the American Optometric Association House of Delegates Meeting in San Antonio, the AOA announced that it was awarded the first national gold medal for an AOA publication article.

Professional Leadership Positions

Dr. Laura Windsor is a Board Member of the Indiana Low Vision Rehabilitation Society. She is currently working on improving the children’s low vision report form that is used by the teachers of the visually impaired around the state. As a student, Dr. Laura Windsor was Vice President and Secretary of the I.U. Student Association. While at IU, she developed and organized a canned food drive for the local food bank.

East Central Indiana Optometric Society, Vice President

2010-2012

Indiana Optometric Association Electronic Medical Records Task Force

2009-2012

Indiana Low Vision Rehabilitation Society, Board Member

2003-Present

Indiana University Optometric Student Association, Vice President	1999-2000
Indiana University Optometric Student Association, Secretary	1998-1999
Pre-Optometry Club Committee Member	1996-1997

Professional Affiliations

Dr. Laura Windsor became a member of the American Optometric Association, Indiana Optometric Association and American Academy of Optometry as a student at the I.U. School of Optometry. She has supported the AOA-PAC and IOA-PAC efforts to help improve and expand optometric care throughout Indiana and the United States.

American Optometric Association	1998-Present
American Optometric Association Low Vision Section	1998-Present
American Optometric Association Contact Lens Section	1998-Present
American Optometric Association-Political Action Committee Supporter	2001-Present
American Academy of Optometry	1998-Present
Indiana Optometric Association	1998-Present
Indiana Optometric Association Political Action Committee Supporter	2001-Present
East Central Indiana Optometric Society	2001-Present
Indiana Low Vision Rehabilitation Society	2003-Present
Indiana Chapter of American Council of the Blind	2001-Present
American Optometric Student Association	1998-2001

Optometric Research

Clinical Research Project: Harvard’s Multi-Center Study of the EP Hemianopsia Lens 2004-2005

Dr. Laura Windsor was a clinical researcher for this NEI funded study. This study was done in conjunction with Harvard’s Schepens Eye Research Institute. The results of this study were published

in the May 2008 *Archives in Ophthalmology*. Dr. Laura Windsor was among 15 doctors selected by Harvard to study this new lens for hemianopsia. This study showed the clinical efficiency of this new rehabilitation tool for the treatment of hemianopsia.

Bowers, A., Keeney, K., Peli, E. "Community-based trial of a Peripheral Prism Visual Field Expansion Device for Hemianopsia." *Archives of Ophthalmology*. May 2008: Pgs. 657-664.

Special Optometric Activities

Dr. Laura Windsor has an extensive background in writing, website design and content. She designed, updated and maintained the highly acclaimed Future Optometrist website for eight years and was also the webmaster for the Indiana Optometric Association website for three years. She has an extensive writing background and co-authored a comprehensive manual on how to successfully select and implement an EMR system into the optometric practice for the Indiana Optometric Association for which she received the Meritorious Service Award.

Indiana Optometric Association Electronic Medical Records Task Force 2009-2011

Dr. Windsor co-authored a manual on the adoption of electronic medical records into the optometric practice. She has been using EMRs in her practice for 5 years and has extensive background in using and customizing EMR software. This manual goes through how to evaluate, select and implement an EMR system successfully. It is designed to be a comprehensive manual with tips to avoid the major pitfalls that can occur in EMR adoption. This manual, *Optometric Electronic Medical Records: A Step by Step Guide to Selection and Implementation*, is available free to all IOA members and to all non-members via the IOA website.

Indiana Optometric Association Website 2001-2004

Dr. Laura Windsor donated her time and skills as the webmaster for the Indiana Optometric Association website for three years. While webmaster, she updated the pages of the website with new information on upcoming programs, continuing education information and general optometric information. She also managed the members access to the private members only side of the website.

Future Optometrists Website 1997-2005

Dr. Laura Windsor designed, updated and maintained the Future Optometrists website to enhance the optometric education worldwide. This site brought together optometry and pre-optometry students from around the country and world to discuss and educate students in optometry. This website contained discussion boards, links to optometric related sources on the Internet as well as information written by Dr. Laura Windsor. She wrote and published information on common abbreviations, learning retinoscopy, information on performing clinical procedures, and resources on each of the classes in the core curriculum.

It was nationally recognized in both *Optometry Today* and the *Review of Optometry* magazines. This site received over 1.4 million visits a year from students, optometrists, and others from around the world interested in optometry. It won a Featured Site 2000 Award from HealthAtoZ.com in December 1999. This site ran for eight years and Dr. Laura Windsor maintained the site for four years after graduating from optometry school.

Practice Websites and Social Media

Dr. Laura has used her writing and computer skills to help build numerous websites for her practice. These websites help educate the public on areas of low vision including various ocular conditions, low vision rehabilitation, neuro-optometry and bioptic driving. These websites help educate patients, caregivers and professionals about low vision rehabilitation and the ocular conditions. These websites have brought patients from around the world to Indiana for low vision care. Dr. Laura also uses social media including Facebook and Twitter to educate the public.

Eye Associates Group, LLC	www.eag2020.com
Low Vision Centers of Indiana	www.eyessociates.com
Achromatopsia.info	www.achromatopsia.info
BiopticDrivingUSA.com	www.biopticdrivingusa.com
Hemianopsia.net	www.hemianopsia.net
Eye Associates on Facebook	www.facebook.com/eyessociates
Eye Associates on Twitter	www.twitter.com/eyessociates
Low Vision Centers on Facebook	www.facebook.com/lowvisioncenters
Low Vision Centers on Twitter	www.twitter.com/low_vision_ctr

Published Books and Book Chapters

Dr. Laura Windsor has extensively written on areas of low vision rehabilitation. In 2008, she co-authored three chapters published in the Eye Care Sourcebook, which is a library reference book on various eye health topics. This book can be found in libraries across the nation. She also has co-authored a 333-page book on applying Six Sigma and Lean Management Principles to the optometric practice to help decrease complexity and provide better management within the optometric practice. This is a topic that is not covered in traditional practice management books and lectures.

Windsor, L., Windsor, R. Eye Care Sourcebook. "Understanding Nystagmus" Ch. 51: Pgs 436-440. "Vision Problems from Stroke or Head Injury" Ch 56: Pgs. 477-480. "Albinism and Its Effect on Vision" Ch 57: Pgs 482-486. Detroit: Omnigraphics, Inc, 2008.

Windsor, L., Windsor, R. Optometric Cost Control: New Approaches to Re-Engineering the Optometric Practice, 333Pages. OD Think Tank: Hartford City, 2005.

Published Papers and Articles

Dr. Windsor has authored and/or co-authored 25 articles on low vision rehabilitation. She has written for rehabilitation journals for occupational therapists and other rehabilitation professionals. Additionally, she has written for the WISH TV8 Indianapolis website and co-authored articles on many low vision conditions for Vision Enhancement Magazine which was distributed to low vision therapists, counselors and patients throughout the country.

Publications for Rehabilitation Professionals

Windsor, L. Windsor, R. "Bioptic driving in the United States", *Advancements in Ophthalmology and Optometry: Volume 7*. Elsevier, 2022. Pgs 1-29.

Windsor, L. Schuldiner, R. "Genetic Disorders that Cause Vision Loss: When You Think Nothing More Can Be Done, Think Again!", *Optometric Management, Low Vision News*, Sept. 2019.

Windsor, L. "Gene therapy promising treatment for patients with achromatopsia.", *Primary Care Optometry News (PCON)*, July 25, 2019.

Windsor, L., Windsor, R. "Low Vision Care of the Diabetic Patient", *Advance for Directors in Rehabilitation*, March, 2004

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Low Vision Rehabilitation: An Introduction", *Rehab Pro Journal*, May 2001

Articles for American Optometric Association, Journals and Other Publications

Windsor, L. Genetic Disorders that Cause Vision Loss: When You Think Nothing Can Be Done, Think Again!" *Managing Low Vision Newsletter, Optometric Management Magazine*, Sept. 2019.

Windsor, L. Gene therapy promising treatment for patients with achromatopsia. *Primary Care Optometry News*, August 2019

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Weave Your Web: Using the Internet to Market Your Practice" *AOA News*, November 16, 1998. (Won a 1999 Gold Medal)

Windsor, L. "Optometric Web Site." *American Optometric Student Association Foresight*, Fall 1998.

Articles for Television Websites

Windsor, L. "Age Related Macular Degeneration", WISH TV 8 website, 2003.

Articles for Vision Enhancement Magazine

Windsor, L. "NEI Study Shows High Dose Vitamin Supplements Beneficial in Reducing Age Related Macular Degeneration", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, L. "New Drug Looks Promising for Treatment of Wet Macular Degeneration", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, L., Windsor, R. "Understanding Retinopathy of Prematurity", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, L., Windsor, R. "Hemianopsia: Loss of Half of the Visual Field After Stroke or Traumatic Brain Injury", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, L., Windsor, R. "Bioptic Driving: Driving with Low Vision", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Understanding Stargardt's Disease (Juvenile Macular Degeneration)", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Understanding Vision Loss from Pathological Myopia", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Common Vision Problems from Stroke or Traumatic Brain Injury", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Understanding a Stroke of the Optic Nerve (Anterior Ischemic Optic Neuropathy)", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Understanding the Visual Problems of Retinitis Pigmentosa", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Common Visual Problems of Ocular Histoplasmosis", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Albinism: Low Vision Considerations", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Vision Loss in Diabetes", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Many Visual Problems of Macular Degeneration", *Vision Enhancement*

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. "Understanding Nystagmus", *Vision Enhancement*

Clinical Movies and Segments

Dr. Laura Windsor has co-produced and narrated movies on low vision rehabilitation subjects including macular degeneration, achromatopsia, bioptic driving and the EyeFine low vision system. Over 5,500 copies of the 72-minute movie, *Macular Degeneration: The Path to Understanding and Overcoming*, on DVD has been distributed throughout the state and nationwide to optometrists, ophthalmologists,

vision rehab professionals, patients and caregivers. This movie was broadcast on Fort Wayne, IN public access television.

Windsor, L. Windsor, R. *Achromatopsia: New Options in Contact Lenses*, January 2010.

Windsor, L. Windsor, R. *Blue Cone Monochromatism: The Other Achromatopsia*, December 2010.

Windsor, L. Windsor, R. *Achromatopsia: A Journey through the Light*, October 2010.

Windsor, L. Windsor, R. *Macular Degeneration: The Path to Understanding and Overcoming*. 72 minutes, April 2007.

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. *Biopic Driving: An Introduction*. 8 minutes. November, 2002.

Windsor, R., Windsor, L., *Red Central Contact Lenses for Achromatopsia*. 10 minutes. January 2004.

Windsor, R., Windsor, L. *EyeFine: A New Form of Auto Focus Low Vision Aid*. 15 minutes. February 2004.

Professional Newsletters

Dr. Laura Windsor is an editor and writer for the quarterly newsletter, *Third Party News*. This newsletter updates Indiana optometrists on insurance issues and changes in Medicare, Medicaid, VSP®, Blue View®, Eye Med®, HIPAA and OSHA. She also writes small articles for the email newsletter as well.

Windsor, L., Windsor, R., Morrow, D., Teagle, S. *Third Party News: A Newsletter for Indiana Optometrist, Featuring Medicare, Medicaid Compliance, Other Third Party Insurances, HIPAA, and OSHA*. Co-Publisher/Editor/Contributor. Published Quarterly, 2001 to 2012.

Windsor, L., Windsor, R., Morrow, D., Teagle, S. *Urgent Email Third Party Update, Internet Email Newsletter featuring Medicare, Medicaid, Other Third Party Insurances, HIPAA, and OSHA*. Published by email bi-monthly, 2003 to 2012.

Major Course Manuals

After graduating from optometry school, Dr. Windsor began lecturing and writing for the annual Optometric Compliance Seminar. This seminar has annually over 400 doctors and their staff members attend to be updated on billing, coding and compliance issues on Medicare, Medicaid, VSP®, Blue View®, EyeMed®, HIPAA and OSHA. She has authored and added a section on and how to be OSHA compliant in the optometric practice. Dr. Laura has been the editor of this 300+ page manual for the past two years. This manual is updated each year with all of the changes and additions to third party billing procedures throughout the year. A new complete indexed manual is created each year.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, with Douglas Morrow, August, 2022.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, with Douglas Morrow, August, 2021.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, with Douglas Morrow, September, 2020.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, with Douglas Morrow, August, 2019.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, August, 2018.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, August, 2017.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, August, 2016.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, August, 2015.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, August, 2014.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, August, 2013.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2012 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, August, 2012.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2011 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, August, 2011.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2010 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, August, 2010.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2009 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, August, 2009.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2008 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, August, 2008.

Optometric Third Party Survival and Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2007 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, August, 2007.

Optometric Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2006 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, Deb Runyon, August, 2006

Optometric Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2005 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, August, 2005

Optometric Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2004 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, August, 2004

Optometric Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2003 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Shelley Teagle, August, 2003

Optometric Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2002 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Deb Runyon, Shelley Teagle, August, 2002

Optometric Compliance Manual: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPAA and OSHA, 2001 Medicare Medicaid Seminar, Richard Windsor, Douglas Morrow, Deb Runyon, August, 2001

Lectures and Presentations

Dr. Laura Windsor has lectured extensively throughout Indiana and nationally on issues of low vision and stroke/head trauma rehabilitation. She has carried the message of optometric low vision care to rehabilitation professionals, doctors, caregivers and patients. In 2010, she lectured at the Indiana Optometric Association's Spring and Fall Conventions to both doctors and paraoptometric. In September 2008, she was a featured speaker for two lectures at the Envision national low vision conference in San Antonio, Texas where she educated doctors, therapists, technicians, and other low vision professionals on bioptic driving and low vision rehabilitation.

Dr. Laura Windsor has lectured to numerous low vision support groups throughout the Midwest. She also has lectured on both low vision and primary care issues. Additionally, she co-taught the neuro-optometric rehabilitation section of the Advanced Therapeutics Course for several years to the third year I.U. optometry students. In 2003, she co-taught a course on "Vision and Driving" at the IOA Fall Convention. Dr. Laura Windsor lectures annually at the Optometric Compliance Seminar on billing issues, rules and guidelines on supplemental testing, procedure coding, nursing home and hospice coding issues, general lens coding, OSHA, as well as safe harbor and fraud and abuse.

"Understanding the Vision of Bioptic Driving Candidates", Association for Driver Rehabilitation Specialists (ADED). Midwest Chapter, April 29th, 2022.

"Low Vision and the Aging Eye" Ascension Health, St. Vincent's Hospital Institute on Aging, Preceptor to the Gerontology Residents, Indianapolis, IN, October 2020.

"Modern Approaches in Inherited Retinal Diseases and Low Vision Technology and Driving", Indiana Optometric Association, Fall Seminar, Bloomington, IN Oct. 1st, 2021.

"Bioptic Driving: The Keys to Success", Pennsylvania Optometric Association, Virtual Live, Pittsburgh, PA, September 8, 2021.

“Low Vision and Neuro-Optometric Rehabilitation”, Indiana Vocational Rehabilitation Services, Indianapolis, IN August 19, 2021.

“Low Vision and the Aging Eye” St. Vincent’s Hospital Institute on Aging, Indianapolis, IN, October 2020.

“The Future of Inherited Rare Eye Diseases”, International Low Vision Society, Nashville, TN, Nov. 2019.

“New Technology in Low Vision Rehabilitation” Federation for Fighting Blindness, Fort Wayne, IN April 2019.

“Understanding Vision Loss in Patients with Visual Impairments and Low Vision Update”, Anderson Outreach Center for the Blind, Lutheran Church, Anderson, IN, March 2019.

“Ocular Disease, Low Vision Rehabilitation and Traumatic Brain Injuries”, Indiana Vocational Rehabilitation Blindness/Visual Impairment Counselors, Bosma Enterprises, August 2018

“Ocular Disease and Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Indiana Vocational Rehabilitation Blindness/Visual Impairment Counselors, Bosma Enterprises, October 2017.

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation 2017”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2017

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation 2016”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2016

“Stroke and Head Trauma Rehabilitation”, Parkview Stroke Support Group, Parkview Hospital, Fort Wayne, IN, July 2016

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation 2015”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2015

“Understanding Vision Loss in Patients with Visual Impairments”, Anderson Outreach Center for the Blind, Lutheran Church, Anderson, IN, April 2015

“Stroke and Head Trauma Rehabilitation”, Methodist Hospital Therapy Departments, Indianapolis, IN, Jan. 2015

“Bioptic Driving”, Vocational Rehabilitation, Fall Training Seminar, Indiana Government Center, Indianapolis, IN Sept. 2014

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation 2013”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2013

“Stroke and Head Trauma Rehabilitation”, Parkview Hospital Therapy Departments, Fort Wayne, IN, Jan. 2014

“Stroke and Head Trauma Rehabilitation”, Lutheran Therapy Departments, Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne, IN, Dec. 2013

“Understanding Vision Loss in Patients with Visual Impairments”, Anderson Outreach Center for the Blind, Oct. 2013

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation 2013”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2013

“Eye Diseases and Their Impact on Vision”, Vocational Rehabilitation Spring Deaf-Blind Seminar, Turkey Run State Park, May 2013

“Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Vocational Rehabilitation Spring Deaf-Blind Seminar, Turkey Run State Park, May 2013

“The 20 Common Visual Problems of Low Vision Patients”, Indiana Northwest Vocational Rehabilitation Services, South Bend, IN, Jan. 2013

“Understanding Retinitis Pigmentosa”, National Federation for the Blind, Fort Wayne, IN, January 2013

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation 2012”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2012

“Understanding the Vision Loss of Low Vision Patients”, Woodview Assistive Living, Fort Wayne, IN, July 2012

“Understanding the Vision Loss of Low Vision Patients”, Fostoria Church of the Brethern, Fostoria, OH, July 2012

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation 2011”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2011

“Understanding the Vision Loss of Low Vision Patients”, Richmond Low Vision Support Group, Richmond, IN, March 2011

“Understanding the Vision Loss of Low Vision Patients”, LifeStream Services, Yorktown, IN, January 2011

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation”, Greenwood Village, Greenwood, IN, Oct. 2010

“The 20 Common Visual Problems of Low Vision Patients”, Indiana Optometric Association’s Fall Seminar, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, Oct. 2010

“Macular Degeneration: Understanding the Loss of Vision”, Woodview Center, Fort Wayne, IN, October 2010

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation 2010”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2010

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Outreach for Bosma Low Vision Focus Group, Fort Wayne, IN, September 2010

Third Party Compliance Course 2010: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN, Aug. 2010

“Macular Degeneration: Understanding and Overcoming the Loss of Vision”, GreenCroft Macular Degeneration Support Group, Goshen, IN, July 2010

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Outreach for the Blind Low Vision Support Group, Anderson, IN, May 2010

“Electronic Filing and E-Prescribing”, Indiana Optometric Association Spring Convention, Indianapolis, IN, April 2010

“Effective Medical Coding”, Indiana Optometric Association Spring Convention, Indianapolis, IN, April 2010

“Macular Degeneration: Understanding and Overcoming the Vision Loss”, St. Vincent’s Hospital’s Institute on Aging and Healthy Living Annual Convention, Carmel, IN, March 2010.

“New Innovations and Technology in Low Vision” Low Vision Support Group, The Leeland, Richmond, IN, March 2010.

“Macular Degeneration: Understanding and Overcoming the Loss of Vision”, Covington Heights Low Vision Support Group, Fort Wayne, IN, Feb. 2010

“Overview of Vision Impairments and Its Impact on Daily Living”, Vocational Rehabilitation Services, Bosma Enterprises, Indianapolis, IN, Jan. 2010

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation”, Foundation for Fighting Blindness, Allen County Library, Fort Wayne, IN, Oct. 2009

“New Innovations and Technology in Vision Rehabilitation”, Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2009

Third Party Compliance Course 2009: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN, Aug. 2009

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Mishawaka Low Vision Support Group, Mishawaka, IN, Aug. 2009

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Fostoria Low Vision Support Group, Fostoria, OH, June 2009

“New Approaches in Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Danville Low Vision Support Group, Danville, IN, March 2009

“Low Vision Rehabilitation for 2009”, Bosma Enterprises, Indianapolis, IN, Feb. 2009

“Low Vision and Neuro-Optometric Rehabilitation”, Midwest Health Strategies Rehabilitation, Muncie, IN, Nov. 2008

“The 20 Common Visual Problems of Low Vision Patients”, Envision National Low Vision Conference, San Antonio, TX, Sept. 2008

“Bioptic Driving Fitting and Training: The Keys to Success” , Envision National Low Vision Conference, San Antonio, TX, Sept. 2008

“New Innovations in Vision Rehabilitation: Visual Field Loss, Diplopia, and Loss of Central Vision” Indiana State Library Vision Expo, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. 2008

Third Party Compliance Course 2008: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN, Aug. 2008

“New Approaches in Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Mishawaka Low Vision Support Group, Mishawaka, IN, July 2008

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Fostoria Low Vision Support Group, Fostoria, OH, June 2008

“New Approaches in Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Wabash County Council on Aging, Wabash, IN, May 2008

“New Low Vision Technology for Macular Degeneration and Low Vision Update”, St. Vincent’s Hospital Low Vision Support Group, Indianapolis, IN, May 2008

“New Approaches in Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Crossroads Rehabilitation Services, Indianapolis, IN, May 2008

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Blind and Visually Impaired Support Group, Anderson, IN, April 2008

“Vision and Multiple Sclerosis”, Multiple Sclerosis Support Group, Muncie, IN, March 2008

“New Innovations in Low Vision: Low Vision Update”, Low Vision Support Group, Services for the Visually and Hearing Impaired, Marion, IN, March 2008

“New Low Vision Technology for Macular Degeneration and Low Vision Update”, Anderson Low Vision Support Group, Anderson, IN, Jan. 2008

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Huntington Low Vision Support Group, Huntington, IN, Dec. 2007

“New Low Vision Technology for Macular Degeneration and Low Vision Update”, Cornerstone Community, Indianapolis, IN, Nov. 2007

Third Party Compliance Course 2007: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN, Aug. 2007

“Understanding Low Vision in Nursing Home Patients”, Colonial Oaks Nursing Facility, Marion, IN, June 2007

Third Party Compliance Course 2006: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN, Aug. 2006

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, New Castle Low Vision Support Group, New Castle, IN, July 2006

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Southdale Tower Retirement Community, Anderson, IN, May 2006

Third Party Compliance Course 2005: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN, August 2005

“Maximizing Function with Low Vision”, Anderson Low Vision Support Group, Anderson, IN, October 2004

“Your Eyes and Vision”, Northside Elementary School, 3rd and 4th Graders, Hartford City, IN, October 2004.

“Your Eyes and Vision”, Montpelier Elementary School, 3rd and 4th Graders, Montpelier, IN, October 2004.

Third Party Compliance Course 2004: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN Aug. 2004

“Hysterical Blindness and Conversion Syndrome in Low Vision”, Indiana Rehabilitation Services Staff, Vocational Rehabilitation, Government Center, Indianapolis, IN, Jan. 2004

“Update in Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Vocational Rehabilitation, Government Center, Indianapolis, IN, Jan. 2004

Third Party Compliance Course 2003: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN Aug. 2003

“CHARGE Syndrome: Low Vision Rehabilitation”, National CHARGE Syndrome Convention, Cleveland, OH, July 2003

“Maximizing Function in Low Vision”, Greenwood Village, Greenwood, IN, May 2003

“Vision Rehabilitation in Acquired Brain Injury”, Indiana University Optometry School Advanced Therapeutics Third Year Course, Bloomington, IN, Mar. 2003

“Maximizing Function in Low Vision”, Indiana Occupational Therapy Association Annual Seminar, Ft Wayne, IN, Oct. 2002

“Neuro-Optometric Rehabilitation”, Indiana Occupational Therapy Association Annual Seminar, Ft Wayne, IN, Oct. 2002

“Vision and Driving”, Indiana Optometric Association Fall Seminar, Bloomington, IN, Oct. 2002

“Maximizing Function in Low Vision”, Four Seasons Retirement Community, Columbus, IN, Sept. 2002

Third Party Compliance Course 2002: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN, Aug. 2002

“Maximizing Function in Low Vision”, Crossroad’s Rehabilitation Low Vision Support Group, Greenwood, IN, Apr. 2002

“Low Vision Rehabilitation in Macular Degeneration”, Kettering Low Vision Support Group, Kettering, OH, Apr. 2002

“Maximizing Function in Low Vision”, St. Vincent’s Hospital Institute on Aging Annual Seminar, Indianapolis, IN, Mar. 2002

“Vision Rehabilitation in Acquired Brain Injury”, Indiana Univ. Optometry Advanced Therapeutics Third Year Course, Mar. 2002

“Vision Rehabilitation in Acquired Brain Injury”, East Central Optometric Society, Muncie, IN, Mar. 2002

“Neuro-Optometric Rehabilitation”, Methodist Hospital Rehabilitation Department, Indianapolis, IN, Feb. 2002

“Vision Rehabilitation after Brain Injury”, Northeast Indiana Occupational Therapist Association, Fort Wayne, IN, Jan. 2002

“Providing Low Vision Care for Children”, Michigan Association of Educators in Rehabilitation, Lansing, MI, Oct. 2001

“Ocular Side Effects in Common Medications”, Michigan Association of Educators in Rehabilitation, Lansing, MI, Oct. 2001

Third Party Compliance Course 2001: Medicare, Medicaid, HIPPA, OSHA and Vision Insurance Program, Indianapolis, IN, Aug. 2001

“New Technologies in Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Darke County Low Vision Society, Greenville, OH, Sept. 2001

“Vision Rehabilitation after Brain Injury”, Parkview Hospital Rehabilitation Department, Fort Wayne, IN, Sept. 2001

“Low Vision Rehabilitation”, Rotary Club, Fort Wayne, IN, May 2001

“Low Vision Rehabilitation Update”, Indiana Vocational Rehabilitation serving the Blind and Visually Impaired, Indianapolis, IN, Mar. 2001

“Vision Rehabilitation after Brain Injury”, Indiana Vocational Rehabilitation serving the Blind and Visually Impaired, Indianapolis, IN, Mar. 2001

Community Service

Tori’s Butterfly Garden Foundation

2011-Present

After the tragic death of Dr. Windsor’s daughter, Tori, following complications of a routine tonsillectomy, she and her husband founded Tori’s Butterfly Garden Foundation. This is a 501(c)3 non-profit charity in Blackford County. The mission of this charity is to support the fine arts, gardening and nature initiatives in their community. They along with many volunteers and family, have built two memorial community gardens. This garden is open to the public to enjoy and is just walking distance from a local elementary school. They have also held art nights for children and art in the park day for local families. They have built a second garden in conjunction with the Mayor of Hartford City as well. They also hold the annual SummerFest Arts Festival in downtown Hartford City every July. They offer free arts and crafts activities for the kids through the event.

Girl Scouts of Central Indiana, Service Unit Manager Girl Scout Troop 3407 Leader

**2022-Present
2017- Present**

Dr. Laura Windsor became a Troop Leader for her youngest daughter and 14 other girls in kindergarten and first grade in 2017. Dr. Laura was herself an 8-year member of Girl Scouts in her youth. The troop is currently 17 members and Dr. Laura strives to teach her troop about entrepreneurship, camping and other real-world skills that they will take with them for life. Her goals for her troop include building confidence and courage in these young ladies as they grow and mature into young ladies. In July 2022, Dr. Laura became the Service Unit Manager for Blackford County, IN. This is a leadership and mentoring role to other troop leaders in the county.

Tri Kappa Sorority, Corresponding Secretary Tri Kappa Sorority, Vice President Tri Kappa Sorority, Member

**2007-2011
2005-2007
2004-Present**

Dr. Laura Windsor has been a member of Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority in Hartford City for over six years. She has worked to raise funds annually for local and state projects for Tri Kappa’s mission of culture, charity and education. She has worked to raise money for local scholarships, help provide Christmas gifts to needy families, provide art awards to talented high school students, award gifted and

talented junior and senior high school students, provide Christmas gifts to patients at the Richmond State Hospital, donate funds to Riley's Children's Hospital, participate in the Adopt-A-Highway program and also has helped those battling cancer in the community by helping to pay for medical expenses and transportation costs for treatment.

For the past three years, she has been one of the committee chairperson's for their biggest fundraisers, the Annual Craft Fair, each year in November. Her management and cooking skills have increased their fundraiser profits substantially each year. As Vice President, she was responsible for the scholarship committee and awarding scholarships to local students to go to college and for non-traditional students to return to school. Dr. Laura Windsor currently serves as Corresponding Secretary and is the local writer for the Tri Kappa *Cross Keys*, the quarterly magazine which is mailed to each Tri Kappa member across the state. She has chaired the Christmas Family committee for the past five years where she shops, wraps and delivers hundreds of presents to families in Blackford County. In 2010, she was the chair of the fundraising committee for the Tri Kappa Cancer Fund. She organized and managed an all day scrapbooking fundraiser which raised thousands of dollars for patients in the community with cancer. The Cancer Fund provides gas gift cards to patients traveling out of the county for chemotherapy and/or radiation.

Blackford County Special Olympics, County Coordinator	2004-2011
Blackford County Special Olympics, Bowling and Track & Field Coach	2004-2011
Blackford County Special Olympics, Treasurer	2002-2004

Dr. Laura Windsor is one of five children and three of her siblings were adopted developmentally handicapped children. This has spawned her passion to help special needs children and adults both in her practice and outside of it. Upon returning to Blackford County, she helped form the current Special Olympics program. She began as the Treasurer for the group. As Treasurer, Dr. Windsor wrote the grants that resulted in the funding to buy all of the special sporting equipment needed for the Blackford County programs.

Dr. Laura Windsor stepped up to become the County Coordinator/Director for Blackford County in 2004. She is responsible for and organizes all local activities, fundraisers, sporting practices and tournaments. She has organized fundraisers including fundraisers which have made over \$2500 at each event for Special Olympics Blackford County.

She is a certified Special Olympics bowling and track/field coach. During each sporting season, she coaches and trains athletes for four to eight weeks before they compete in local and area competitions. For many years, she and her husband have transported athletes to and from the Area Meets throughout East Central Indiana and the state meets. Dr. Windsor and her delegation have taken Special Olympic athletes for 4 years to the Special Olympics Indiana State Games in Terre Haute, where they compete against athletes from around the state in doubles bowling and track and field events. Dr. Windsor is not only Blackford's certified bowling and track and field coach, she is also a Unified Bowling Partner and bowls on a team at Area and/or State Meets with Special Olympics athletes.

Blackford County Community Foundation, Board of Directors	2003-2012
Blackford County Community Foundation, Grants Committee Member	2003-2012

Dr. Laura Windsor is on the Board of Directors for the Blackford County Community Foundation. She is a member of the Grants Committee for Blackford County where she helps review, discuss and award all Community Foundation grants to various groups and programs to better the community. She has helped secure grant funding for many projects including Blackford Youth Soccer, helping support student trips and educational activities, the Imagination Library program for preschoolers, Montpelier historical society projects, park improvement projects, helping local food banks, etc.

Blackford County School Vision Screening

2001-2014

Dr. Laura Windsor has provided her services to screen hundreds of school children in Blackford County each year. She has worked with the school nurses to screen children in all of the elementary schools in the county. Dr. Windsor has just recently written a newsletter for school nurses to educate them on eyecare issues they may see in their school system.

American Optometric Association InfantSee Participant

2005-Present

Dr. Laura Windsor has provided care for infants in Blackford County to promote eyecare and vision wellness in infants through the AOA InfantSee program. As a mother of two young children, she is dedicated to preserving the eyesight of all children and supports and promotes the AOA's goals in the InfantSee program.

Blackford County Health Fair and Screenings

2003-2007

Dr. Laura Windsor has provided free glaucoma screenings at the community health fairs held annually in Blackford County. She joined the local hospital and the Community Foundation in its mission to promote health and wellness in the members of the community. She screened more than 100 people each year for glaucoma using the GDX and educated hundreds in the community on macular degeneration, diabetes and glaucoma. The application of the scanning laser GDX to these screenings greatly increased the accuracy of glaucoma screenings.

Hartford City Senior Citizen's Center Glaucoma Screening

2008

Additionally, she developed, organized, and provided the clinical care for the glaucoma screening at the Hartford City Senior Citizen's Center in early 2008. She screened the patients using the GDX and educated them also on macular degeneration and diabetic issues.

Personal and Family

Dr. Windsor was raised in Hartford City, IN. She is one of five children of which three are adopted special needs children. In 2000, she married her high school sweetheart, Jeffrey Whetzel. He is the Accounts Administrator at the Eye Associates Group, LLC. Dr. Laura Windsor has three children. Her

first child, Tori, tragically passed away from complications of a tonsillectomy in February of 2011 at age six. She has a son, Taylor, 14, and daughter, Ella, 9.

Dr. Laura is an avid heirloom vegetable gardener raising her plants from seed each year. She and her family enjoy fishing and camping together during the summer. Additionally, Dr. Laura loves to cook and bake gourmet treats for staff, friends, and family.