

Taking Heart

Eye care for senior citizens

THE Singapore Society of Ophthalmology and Standard Chartered Bank have launched a two-year joint initiative to provide eye care to needy senior citizens in Singapore, especially those who live by themselves and are unable to receive medical attention because of physical constraints or logistical barriers.

The Mobile Eye Clinic aims to conduct four screening sessions annually for the next two years and will benefit 1,600 elderly persons, who will receive follow-up support after the first eye screening.

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