

INFANT VISION SIMULATOR CARD

How An Infant Views The World

From a distance of 1 meter



At 3 Days



At 1 Month



At 3 Months



At 6 Months



At 1 Year

**Vision is normally developed
by age 3 years.**

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The Importance of Eye Exams for Infants

- A comprehensive eye exam can and should be performed on an infant before one year of age.
 - 1 out of 4 school-age children have a vision problem.
 - 4 out of 100 children have a lazy eye (Amblyopia). Half of those children with lazy eye go undetected, resulting in permanent, preventable vision loss.
 - Farsightedness (Hyperopia) – Distant objects are blurry while near objects are clear.
 - In normal circumstances, 80% of what we learn is through our visual sense.
 - A lifetime of comprehensive eye care should start during infancy with an eye exam by a primary eye doctor.
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