

# ATTENTION THIRD-YEAR STUDENTS

**\$5,000 STUDENT GRANT & \$2,500 STUDENT GRANT**

## **2009 InfantSEE® Scholarship Grant Sponsored by Vision West, Inc.**

*Administered by the Optometry's Charity™ – The AOA Foundation*

Vision West, Inc. (VWI), a leading national ophthalmic product buying group, and Optometry's Charity™ – The AOA Foundation are pleased to offer a national scholarship program to promote InfantSEE®. The national winner will be awarded \$5,000 and the runner-up will receive \$2,500. This InfantSEE® Scholarship Grant, sponsored by Vision West, Inc., will be awarded to the author of the entry judged to be the best essay submitted to Optometry's Charity™, in accordance with the criteria listed below.

To be eligible for the InfantSEE® Grant, a student must:

- ❖ Be a third-year student member (class of 2010) in good standing in the American Optometric Student Association (AOSA) and the American Optometric Association (AOA);
- ❖ Be a student in good academic standing.
- ❖ Submit a paper, written in English, not to exceed 1,000 words on the following topic:

*How will you, as a primary health care provider, use your professional skills and patient treatment programs to further the goals of the InfantSEE® program?*

Materials are to be submitted to Dr Melissa Bailey by February 16. Each school and college will choose one candidate's essay from all applications received by the on-campus deadline and forward the individual's name and essay to Optometry's Charity™ – The AOA Foundation in St. Louis by **March 6, 2009**. The recipients will be selected from all applications received. The winners will be announced in April 2009.

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For additional information about the InfantSEE® Scholarship Grant sponsored by Vision West, Inc., please contact:

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