

Eversight has partnered with The Lions of Illinois Foundation.

Dear Lions,

It is with great excitement that I would like to announce that Eversight has partnered with The Lions of Illinois Foundation/LIF. This partnership allows Eversight to receive an annual grant from LIF, through The Lions of Illinois Foundation Birdies for Charity Program. Eversight expects to serve even more individuals in need of sight-saving transplants in the state.

Since Eversight's founding as the Illinois Eye Bank in 1947, Lions Clubs have remained foundational to our sustained impact. On average, Illinois Lions Clubs generously give around \$10,000 in charitable support to Eversight annually. In 2020, this allowed Eversight to honor the wishes of 5,166 cornea/eye tissue donors who gave the gift of sight to benefit vision transplantation, research and education and allowed Eversight to provide over 6,500 tissues for safe transplantation.

Without the Lions, Eversight would not be able to act on our mission to restore sight and prevent blindness through the healing power of donation, transplantation and research.

Please consider making a donation to Eversight through The Lions of Illinois Foundation, to keep hope in sight for the thousands living in darkness.



- Donate online at <u>www.givecentral.org/Lions</u>. Select "general donation" as your donation type and write "Donation to Eversight" in the reason for donation box.
- Write a check to Lions of Illinois Foundation with "Eversight" in the memo.

Thank you for your continued support. YOU change lives!

In appreciation,

Marta Garczarczyk Director of Philanthropy