



**FELRA & UFCW Health and Welfare Fund**  
**2017 Annual Report**

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February 20, 2018

Mr. William Jensen  
Associated Administrators, LLC  
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Re: FELRA & UFCW Health and Welfare Fund  
2017 Vision Benefits Annual Report

Dear Mr. Jensen:

It is my pleasure to present the FELRA & UFCW Health and Welfare Fund's 2017 Vision Benefit Annual Report. The following report provides an in-depth review of utilization, membership counts, and estimated savings for the 2017 plan year.

I look forward to the opportunity to present the results to the Board of Trustees in the near future. In the interim, please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions, or require any additional information regarding the group's vision benefits or this report. My contact information is provided below.

As always, thank you for partnering with Advantica to provide FELRA & UFCW Health and Welfare Fund's vision benefits.

Sincerely,

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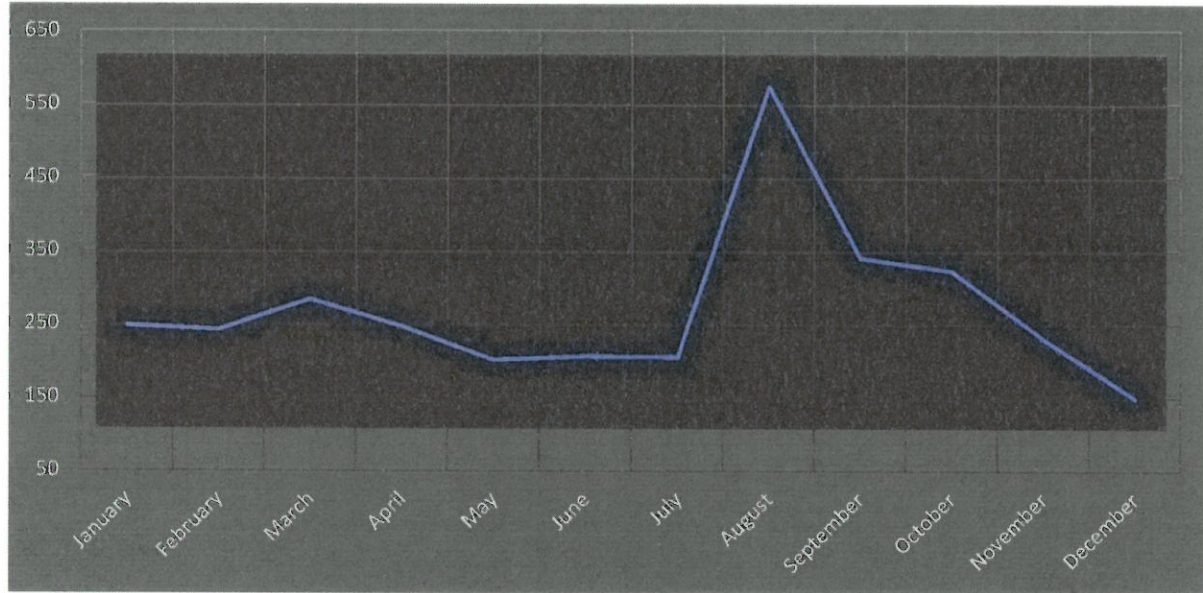


## ENCOUNTERS



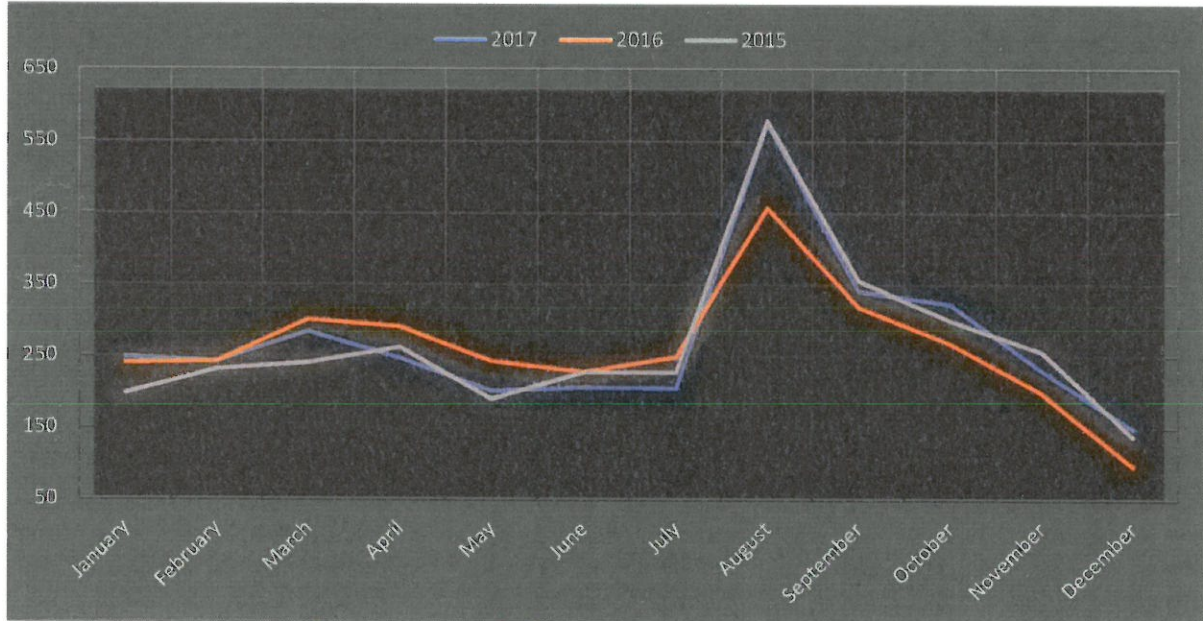
## COMPREHENSIVE EYE EXAMINATION ENCOUNTERS

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



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| ENCOUNTER | 249 | 243 | 285 | 248 | 202 | 207 | 206 | 576 | 342 | 324 | 231 | 150 |

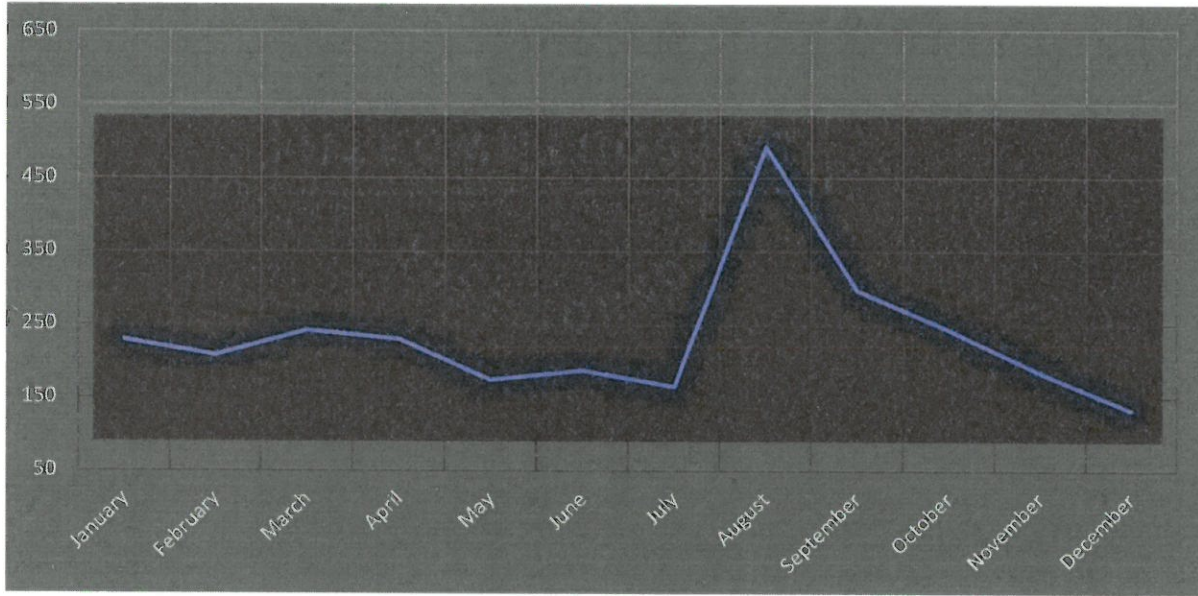
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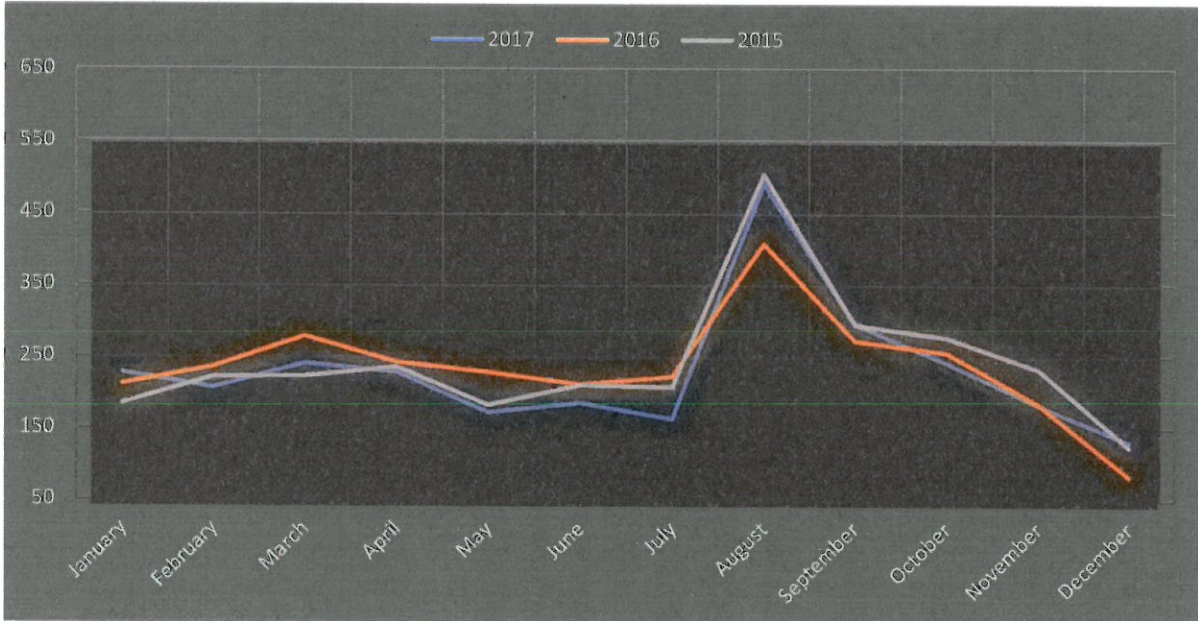


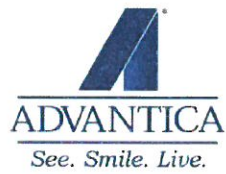
## FRAME ENCOUNTERS

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



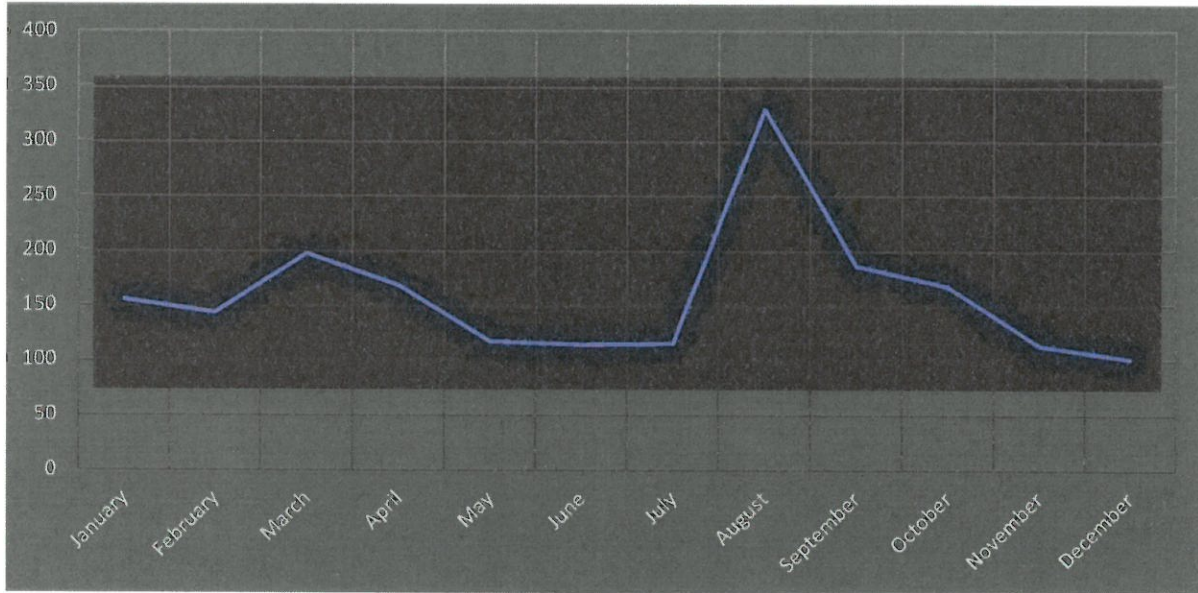
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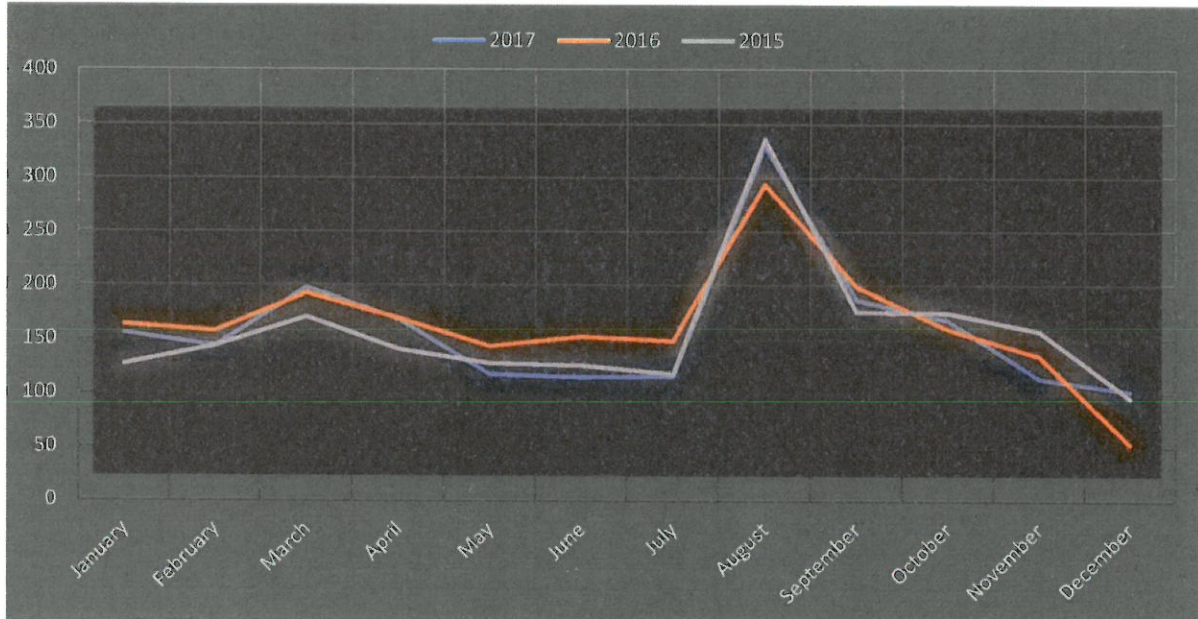


## SINGLE LENS ENCOUNTERS

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



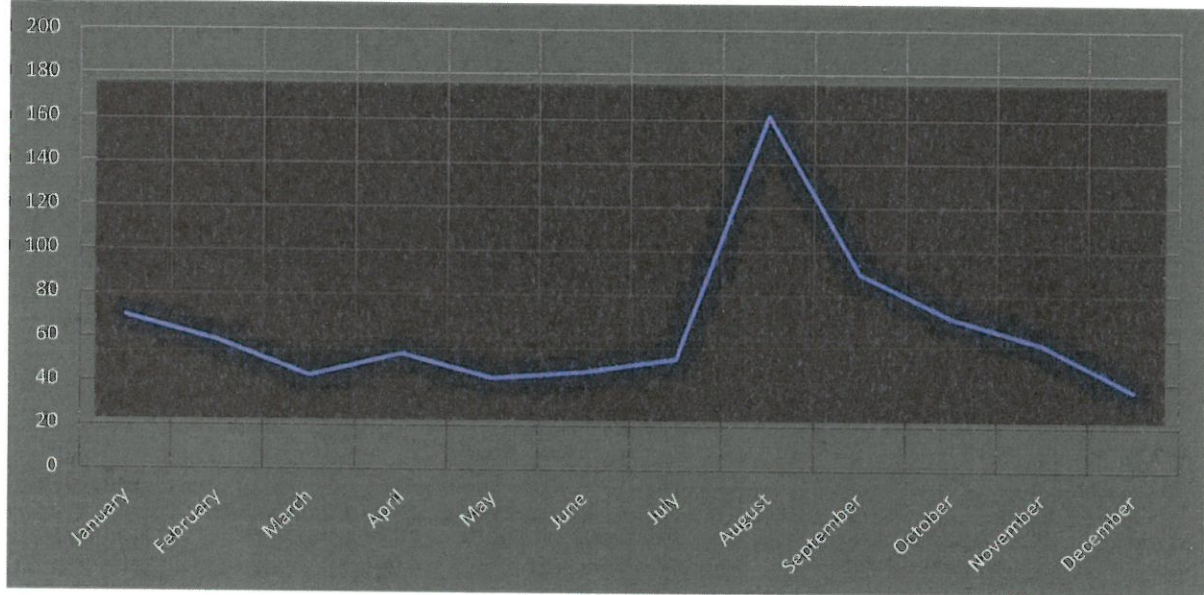
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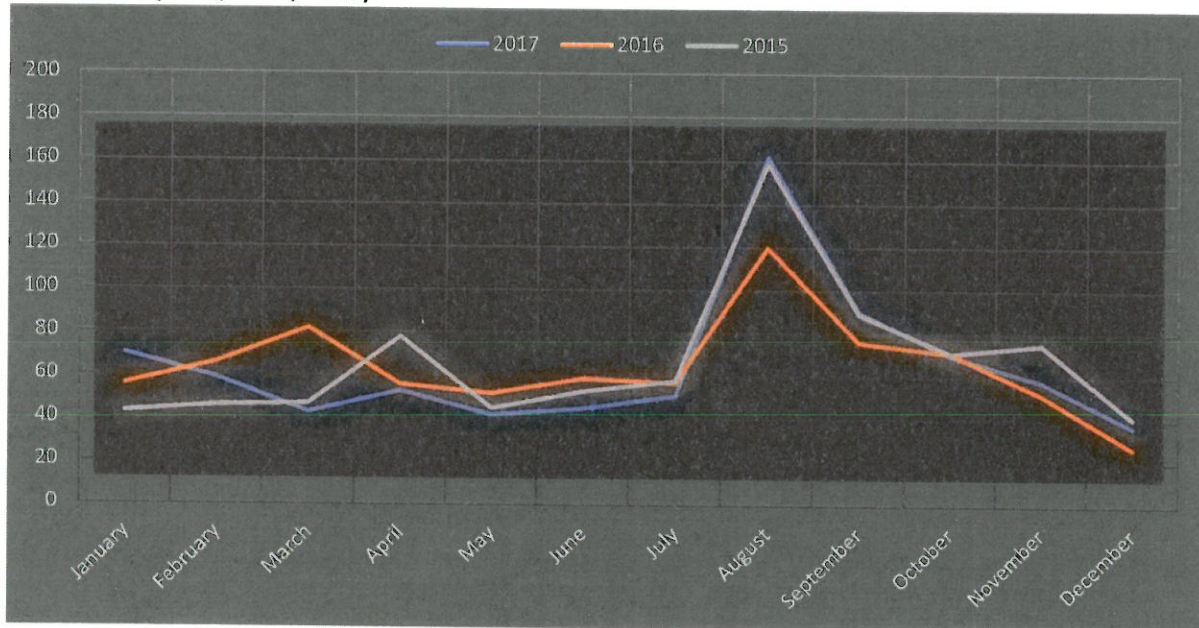
## BIFOCAL LENS ENCOUNTERS

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



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|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| ENCOUNTER | 70  | 59  | 43  | 53  | 42  | 45  | 51  | 162 | 90  | 70  | 58  | 37  |

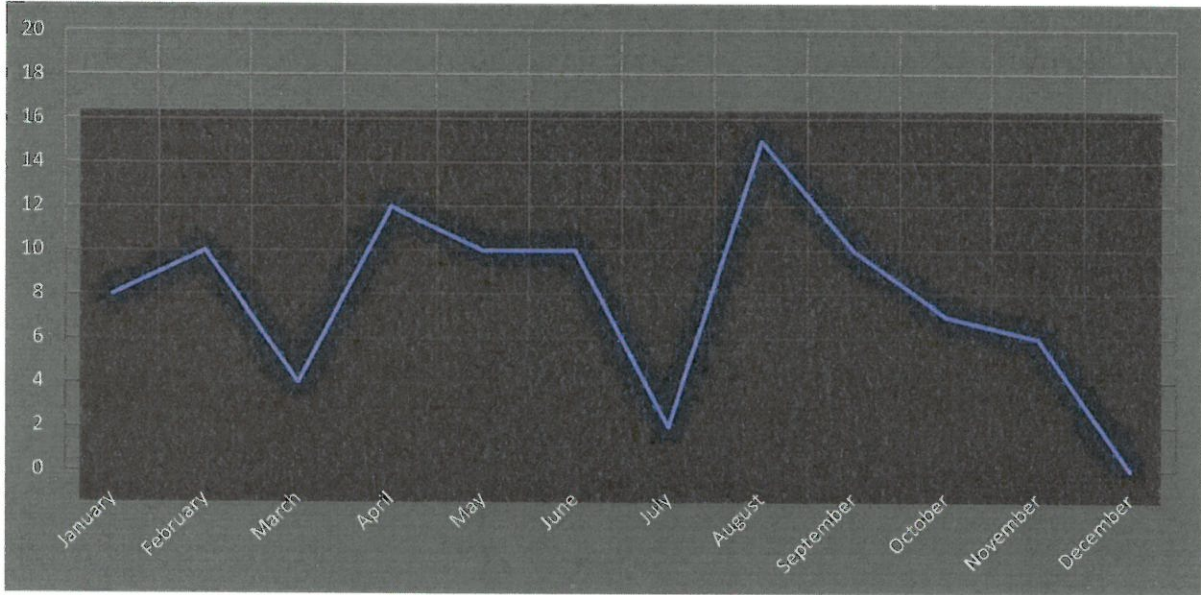
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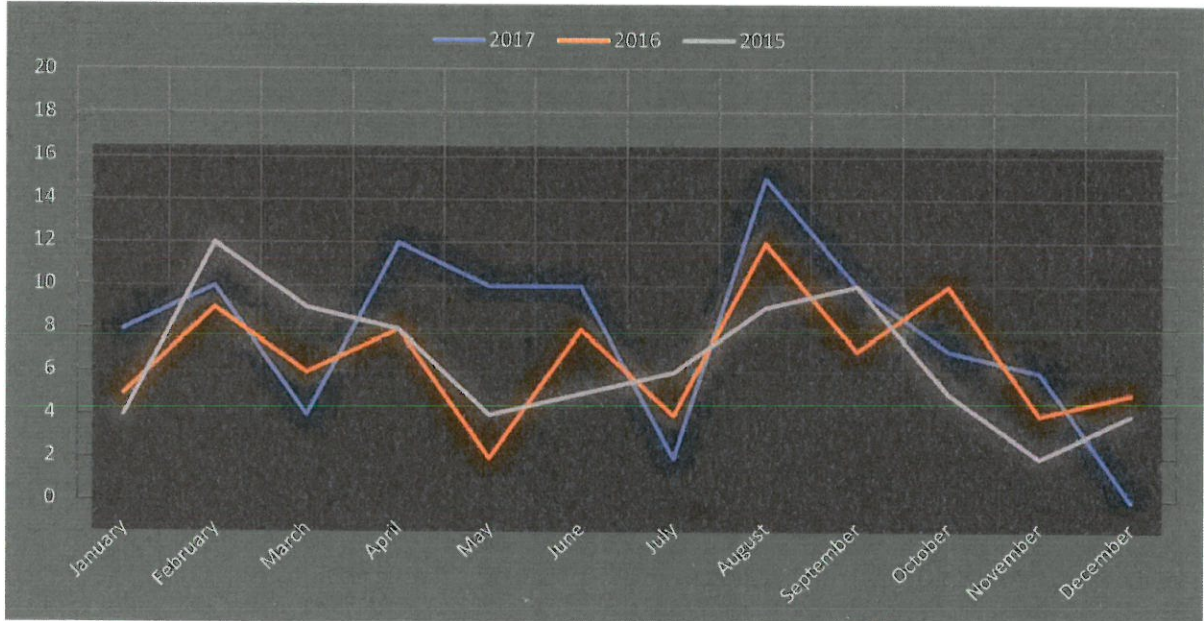


## TRIFOCAL LENS ENCOUNTERS

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



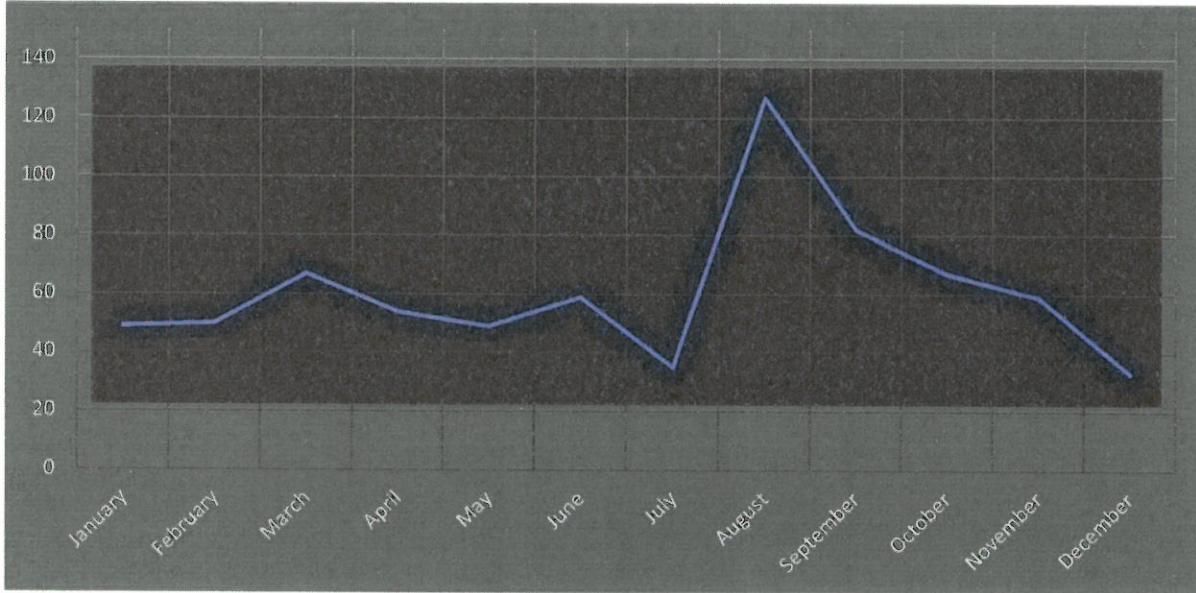
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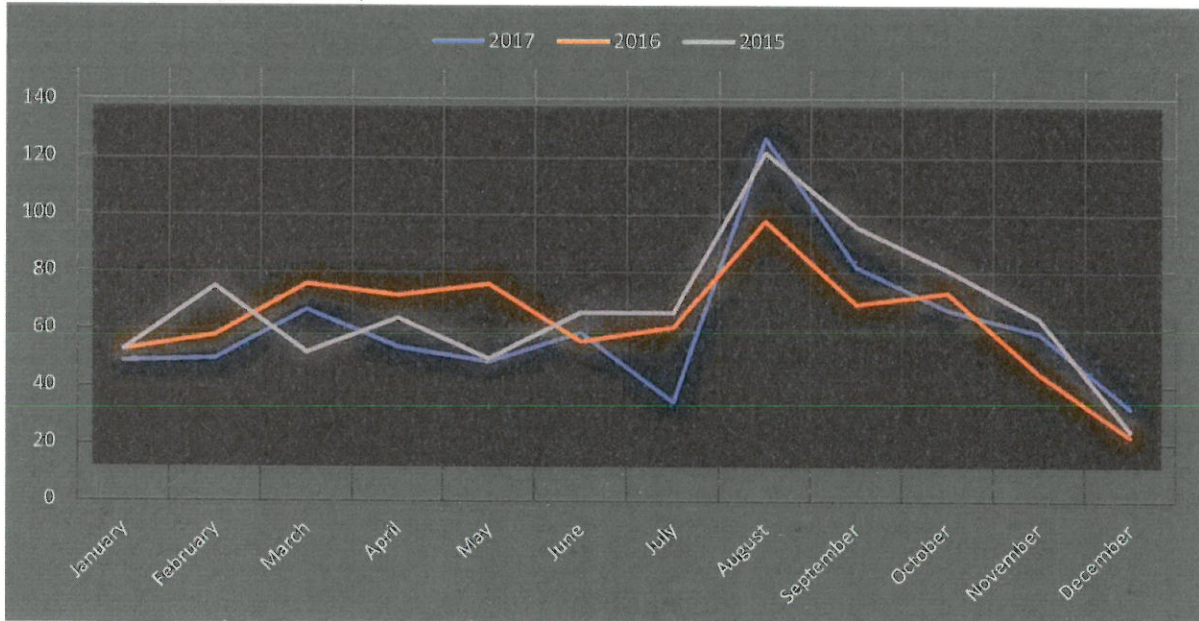


## PROGRESSIVE LENS ENCOUNTERS

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



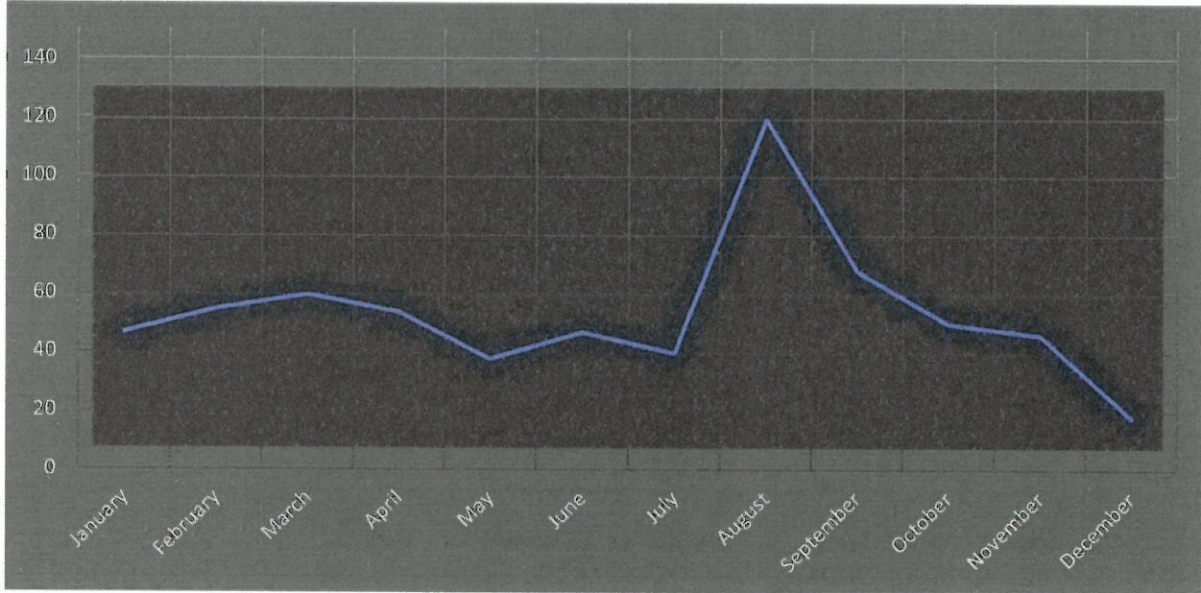
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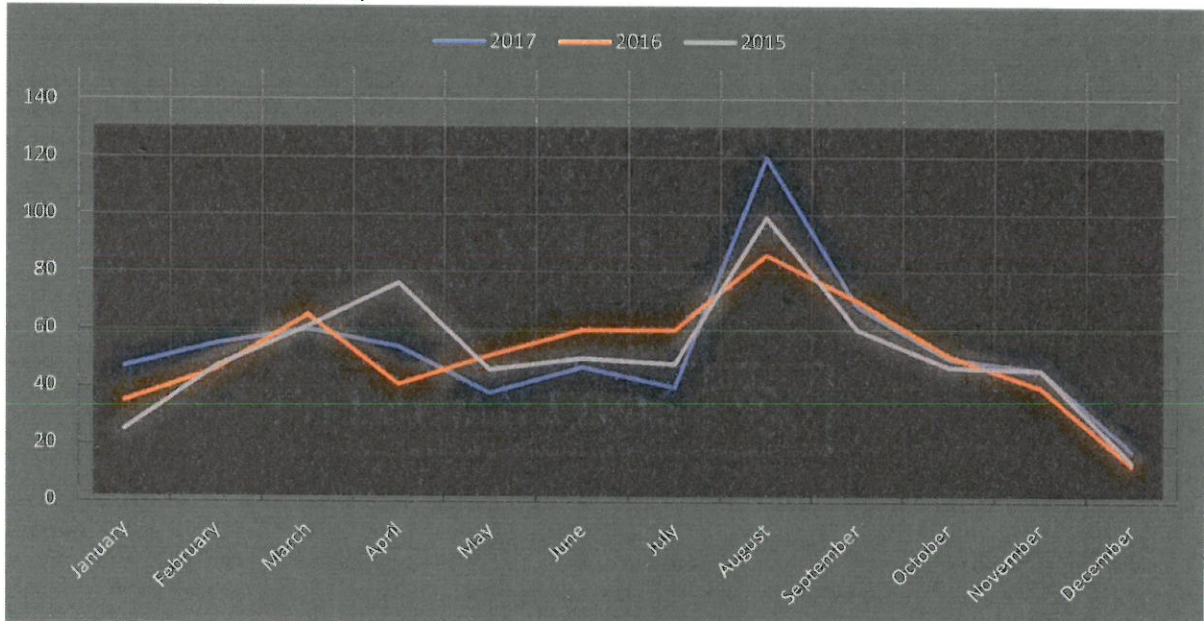


## TRANSITIONS (PHOTOCHROMIC) LENS ENCOUNTERS

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



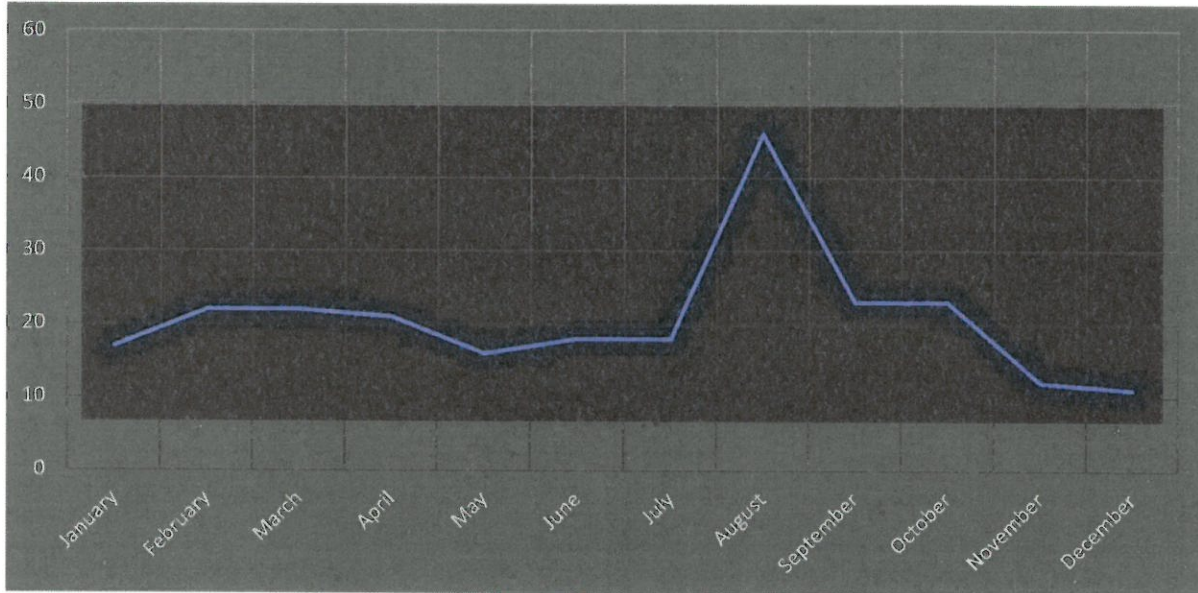
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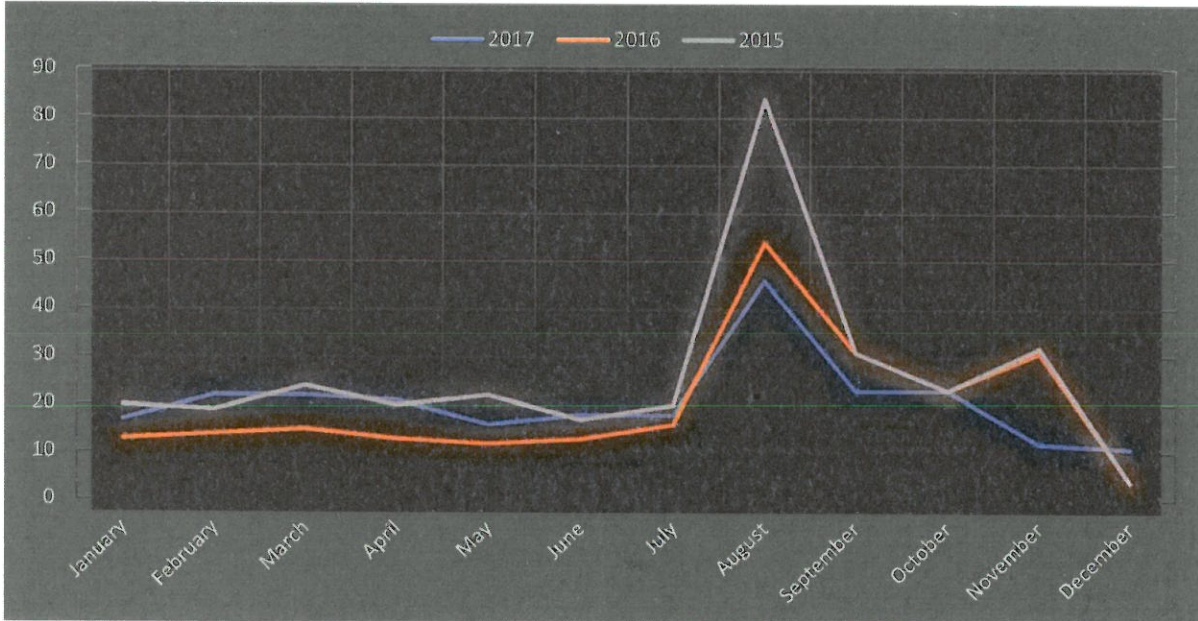


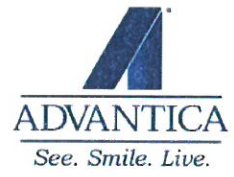
## POLYCARBONATE LENS ENCOUNTERS (DEPENDENT ONLY)

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



### HISTORICAL (2017, 2016, 2015)



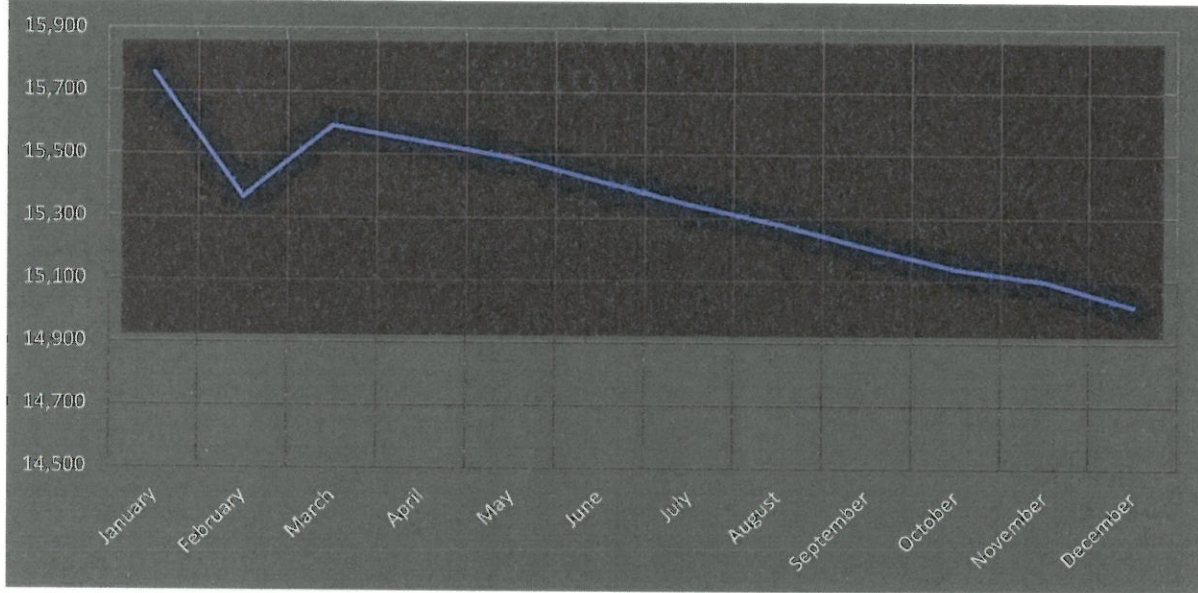


## ENROLLMENT



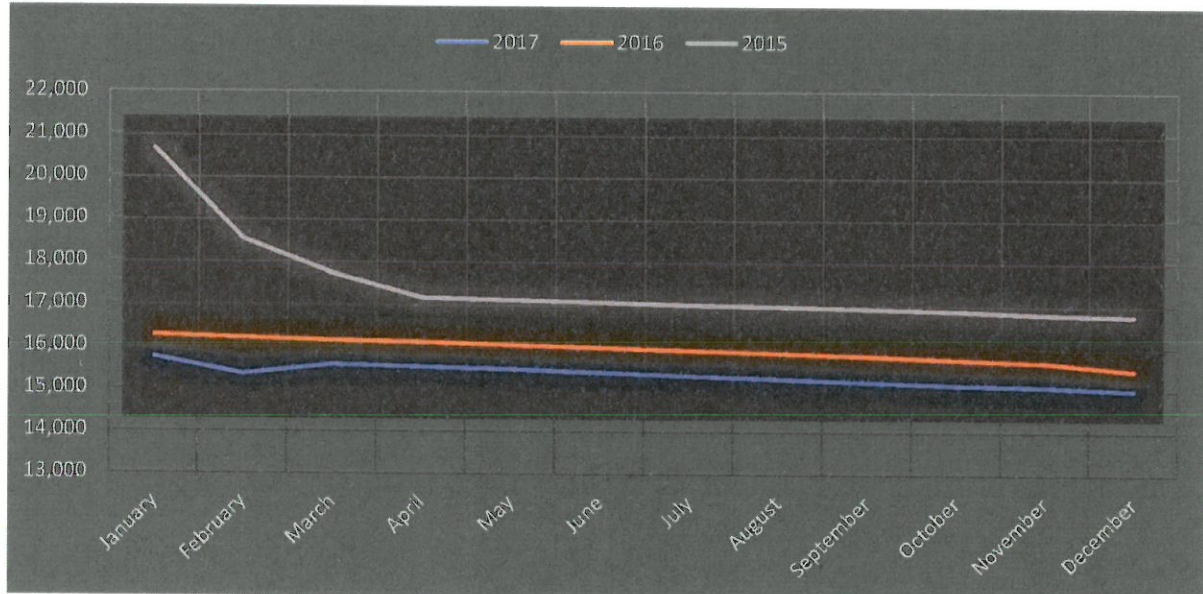
## ENROLLMENT BY EMPLOYEES (SUBSCRIBERS)

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



| MONTH   | JAN    | FEB    | MAR    | APR    | MAY    | JUN    | JUL    | AUG    | SEP    | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    |
|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEMBERS | 15,761 | 15,363 | 15,592 | 15,542 | 15,490 | 15,415 | 15,344 | 15,281 | 15,207 | 15,138 | 15,100 | 15,021 |

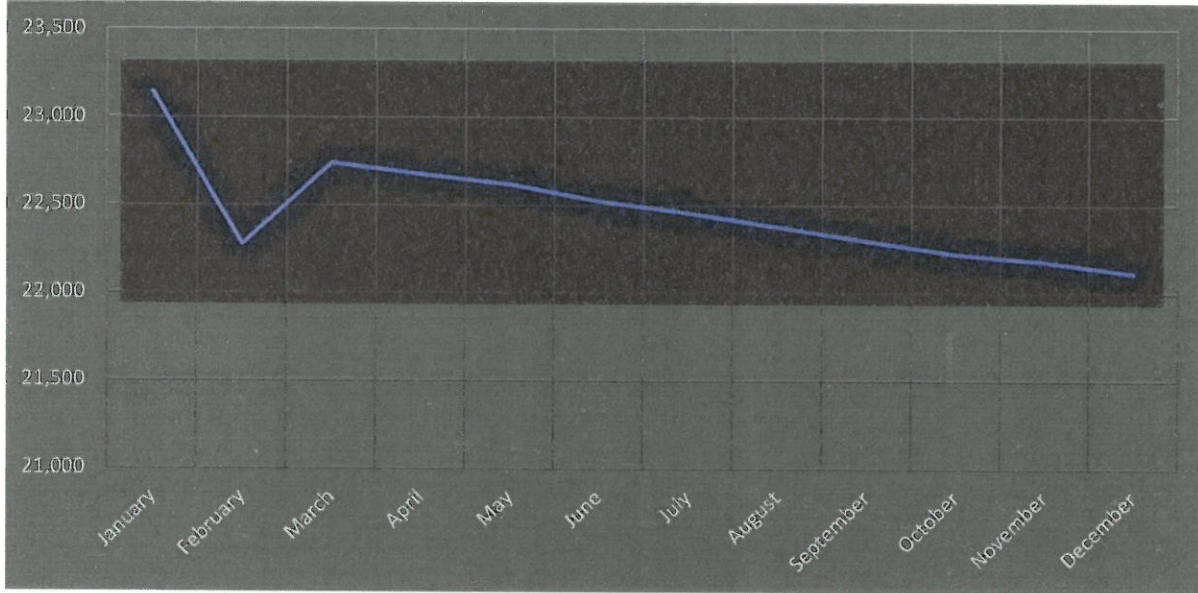
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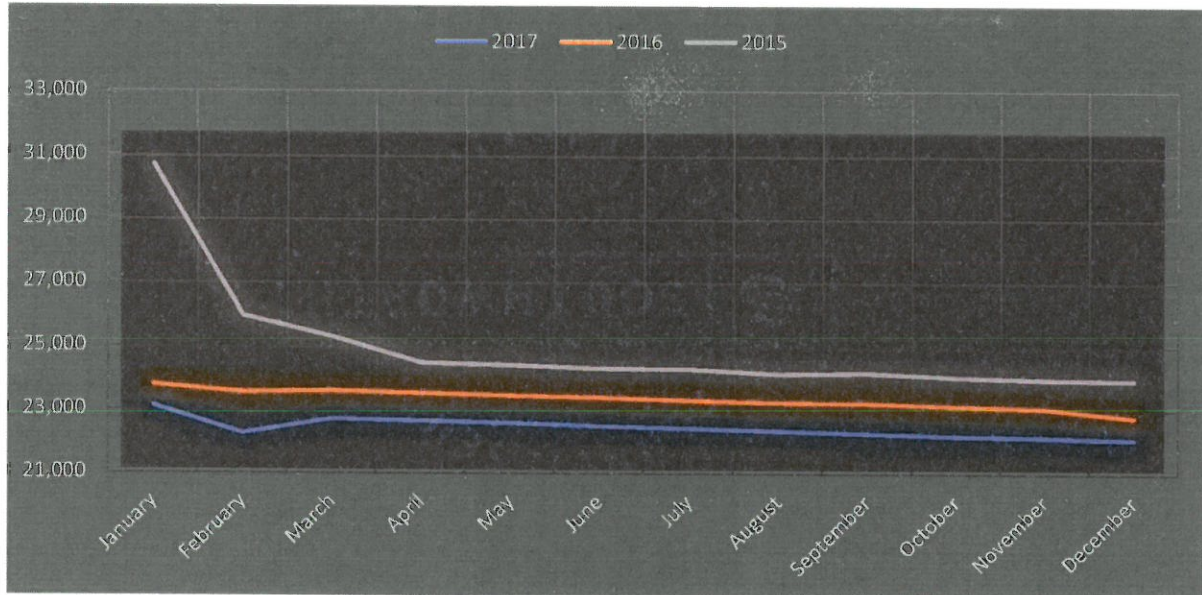


## ENROLLMENT BY MEMBERS (SUBSCRIBERS, SPOUSES, CHILDREN)

### 2017 PLAN YEAR



### HISTORICAL (2015, 2016, 2017)





## **SAVINGS**



## ESTIMATED PLAN SAVINGS BY ENCOUNTER

### 2017 PLAN YEAR

| SERVICE                    | ENCOUNTER | RETAIL COST        | MEMBER COST     | MEMBER SAVINGS     |
|----------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Eye Exam                   | 3,263     | \$626,496          | \$0             | \$626,496          |
| Frames                     | 2,785     | \$278,500          | \$0             | \$278,500          |
| <b>Lens Options</b>        |           |                    |                 |                    |
| Single                     | 1,917     | \$210,870          | \$0             | \$210,870          |
| Bifocal                    | 780       | \$93,600           | \$0             | \$93,600           |
| Trifocal                   | 94        | \$13,160           | \$0             | \$13,160           |
| Progressive                | 731       | \$182,750          | \$36,550        | \$146,200          |
| Transitions                | 643       | \$128,600          | \$38,580        | \$90,020           |
| Polycarbonate              | 249       | \$11,205           | \$0             | \$11,205           |
| <b>Lens Sub-Total</b>      |           | <b>\$640,185</b>   | <b>\$75,130</b> | <b>\$565,055</b>   |
| <b>Total Costs/Savings</b> |           | <b>\$1,545,181</b> | <b>\$75,130</b> | <b>\$1,470,051</b> |

This savings chart is for illustration purposes only. This information is an estimation based on national averages and is not guaranteed savings.



## ESTIMATED PLAN SAVINGS BY PREVENTION

### 2017 PLAN YEAR

|                                             | IMPACTED<br>EMPLOYEES | MEDICAL<br>SAVINGS | PRODUCTIVITY<br>GAINS | TOTAL               |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Systemic Disease</u>                     |                       |                    |                       |                     |
| Prediabetes                                 | 1,264.85              | \$1,557,484        | \$375,489             | \$1,932,973         |
| Undiagnosed Diabetes                        | 393.81                | \$316,626          | \$382,751             | \$699,377           |
| Undiagnosed High Blood Pressure             | 869.53                | \$761,605          | \$549,009             | \$1,310,614         |
| <i>Subtotal of Systemic Disease</i>         | <b>2,528.19</b>       | <b>\$2,635,715</b> | <b>\$1,307,249</b>    | <b>\$3,942,964</b>  |
| <u>Eye Disease</u>                          |                       |                    |                       |                     |
| Cataract                                    | 932.49                | \$718,014          | --                    | \$718,014           |
| Diabetic Retinopathy                        | 86.39                 | \$122,755          | --                    | \$122,755           |
| Elevated Intraocular Pressure               | 512.81                | \$762,064          | --                    | \$762,064           |
| Glaucoma                                    | 1,264.85              | \$323,238          | --                    | \$323,238           |
| <i>Subtotal of Eye Disease</i>              | <b>2,796.54</b>       | <b>\$1,926,071</b> | <b>--</b>             | <b>\$1,926,071</b>  |
| <u>Vision Problems</u>                      |                       |                    |                       |                     |
| Trouble Seeing Up-Close                     | 4,842.72              | --                 | \$5,425,615           | \$5,425,615         |
| Trouble Seeing Far Away                     | 2,193.56              | --                 | \$2,430,572           | \$2,430,572         |
| Eyestrain and Fatigue                       | 3,063.53              | --                 | \$142,283             | \$142,283           |
| Debilitating Headaches from Light and Glare | 84.76                 | --                 | \$720,151             | \$720,151           |
| <i>Subtotal of Vision Problems</i>          | <b>10,184.57</b>      | <b>--</b>          | <b>\$8,718,621</b>    | <b>\$8,718,621</b>  |
| <u>Return on Investment</u>                 |                       |                    |                       |                     |
| <i>Investment/Savings</i>                   | <b>\$926,473</b>      | <b>\$4,561,786</b> | <b>\$10,025,870</b>   | <b>\$13,661,183</b> |

This calculator is provided for illustrative purposes only. This information is an estimation based on national averages and is not a guaranteed return; savings assume that conditions are detected early through eye exam and preventive measures are taken.