



Providing excellent and equitable eye care services to all those in need

- Globally, an estimated 2.2 billion people are visually impaired, of whom one-third are in the South-East Asia region
- More than 90% of blindness is preventable

The United Nations resolution passed in 2021, Vision for Everyone: Accelerating action to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals, explicitly links eye health to over half of the Sustainable Development Goals



So that all may see

**Established in 1987, the LV Prasad Eye Institute (LVPEI) is a World Health Organization Collaborating Centre for the Prevention of Blindness.**

LVPEI operates as an integrated, multi-level pyramid model of eye care, ensuring universal eye health coverage and providing comprehensive eye care services, including promotive, preventive, curative, and rehabilitative care.

LVPEI is governed by two not-for-profit organizations: the Hyderabad Eye Institute and the Hyderabad Eye Research Foundation. The Institute is committed to providing services across its network to anyone with any kind of eye problem, irrespective of its complexity or the patient's ability to pay.

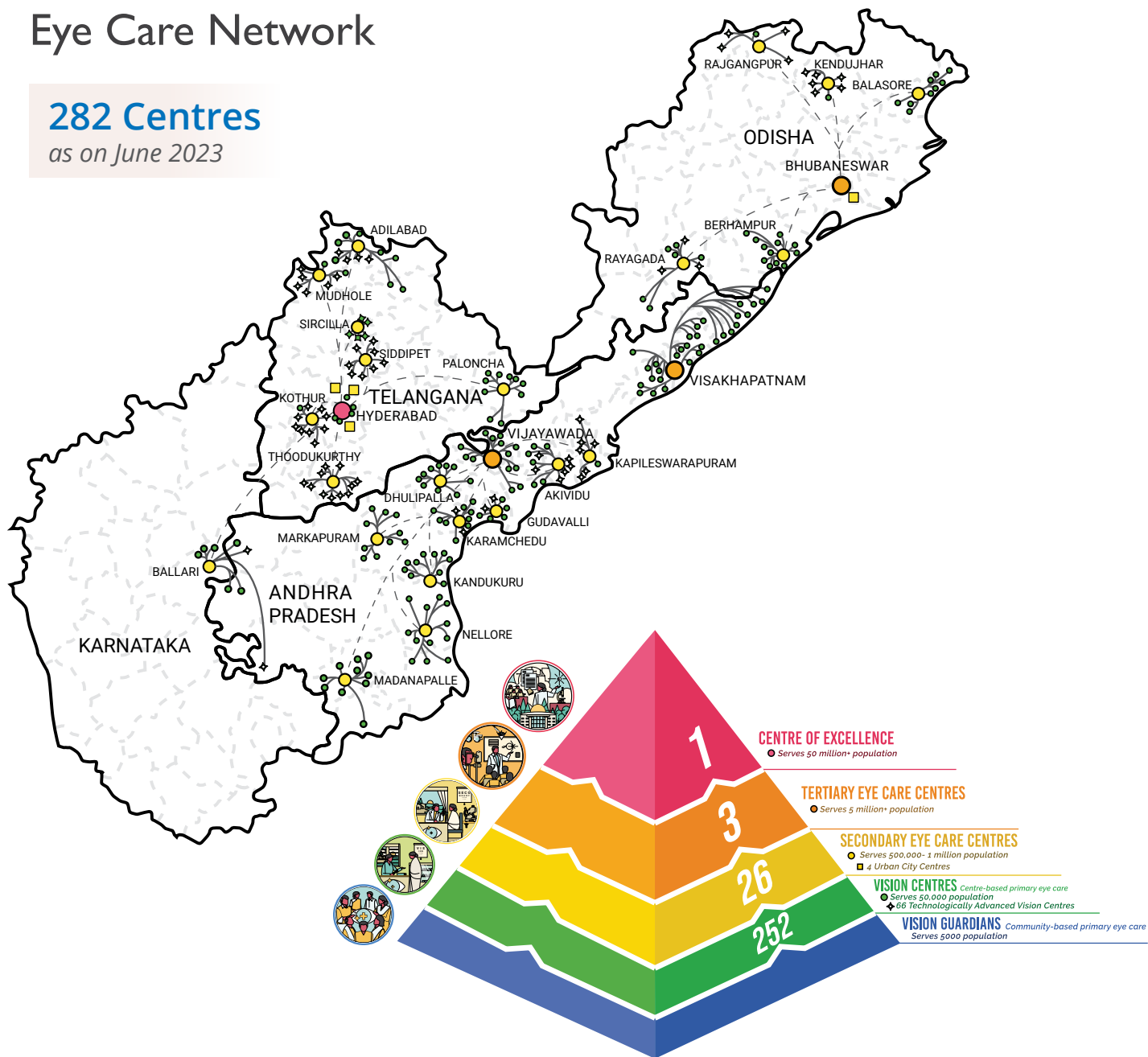
**Vision:** To create excellent and equitable eye care systems that reach all those in need

**Mission:** To be a centre of excellence in eye care services, basic and clinical research on eye diseases and vision-threatening conditions, training, product development, and rehabilitation for those with an incurable visual disability, with a focus on extending equitable and efficient eye care to underserved populations in the developing world.

# Eye Care Network

282 Centres

as on June 2023



Additionally, LVPEI, in partnership with the Government of Liberia, has established and manages the Liberia Eye Centre, in Monrovia, the capital city of Liberia.

# Functional Arms



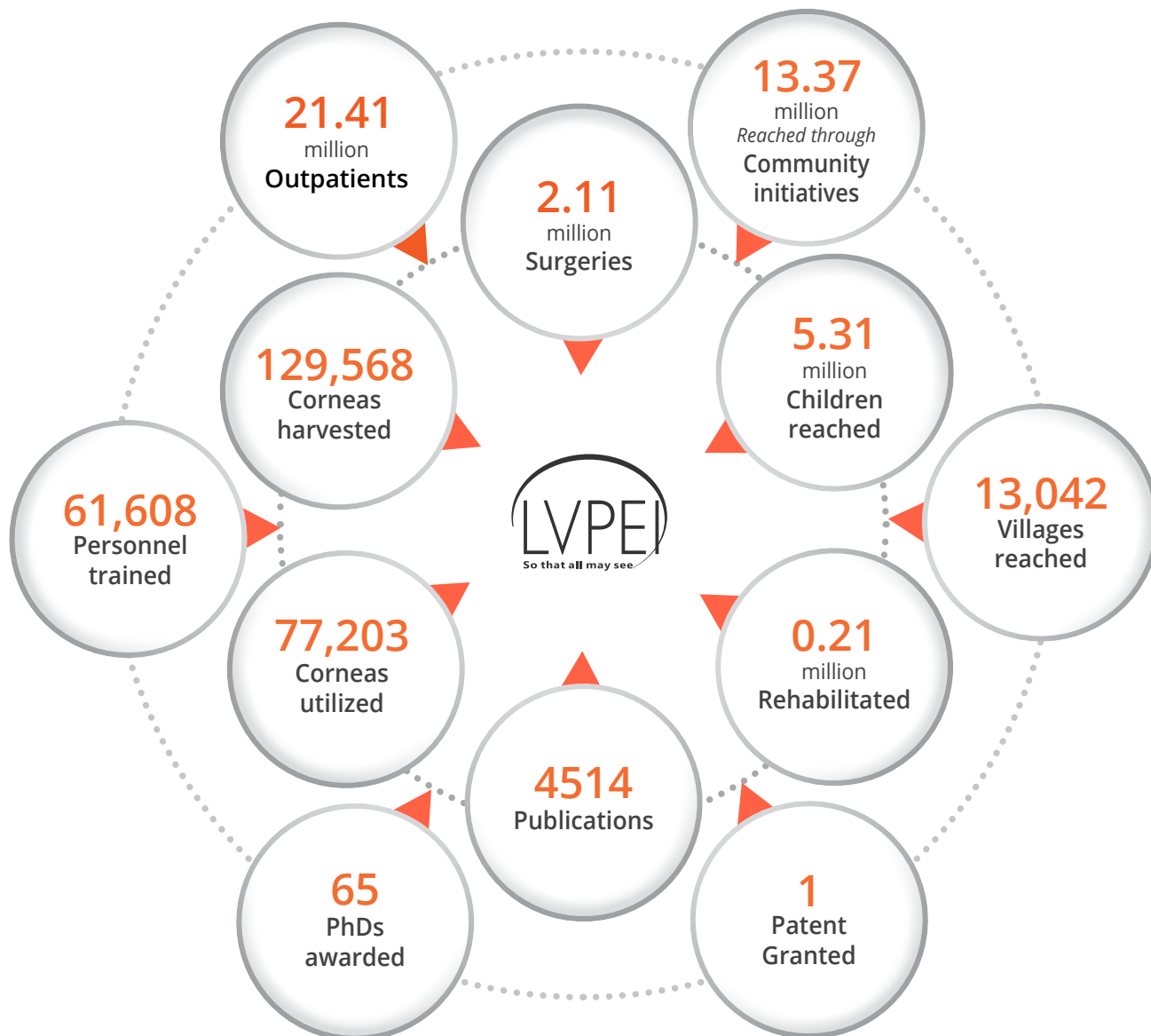
# Impact

1987 - March 2023



**36.89** million  
People reached

50% plus services provided free of cost,  
regardless of complexity



# Highlights

- LVPEI developed the first and only integrated multi-level pyramidal model of eye care delivery system globally.
- In the SCLImago Institutions Rankings 2023, LVPEI is ranked eighth in the world in the Ophthalmology health category for its research output, making it the only eye health institution from India to be listed among the top ten global eye research institutions - demonstrating LVPEI's commitment to advance research in the area of vision sciences and improve patient outcomes.
- Eleven LVPEI scientists featured in the world ranking of top 2% scientists by the Stanford University Study.
- LVPEI received the prestigious award 'The Greenberg Prize – End Blindness 2020' for its significant contributions to eliminating blindness globally. It has also been recognized as the Best Ophthalmology Hospital in India by The Economic Times and The Financial Express, both nationally and regionally (South and East).
- The Institute campuses in Hyderabad, Bhubaneswar, Visakhapatnam, and Vijayawada continue to be ranked among the Best Eye Hospitals in India by The Week and the Times of India health surveys.
- LVPEI is the world's first eye institute to integrate rehabilitation services into its care delivery for people with irreversible vision loss.
- The institute is among the few institutes worldwide with dedicated facilities for children's eye care, elderly eye care, myopia, and rare eye diseases.
- The Institute's Eye Bank Network is the largest Eye Bank in the Asia Pacific Region and one of the biggest corneal transplantation care centres in the world.
- As a national resource centre for training, the institute offers several training programs for eye care professionals, ranging from advanced subspecialty training to basic eye care.
- The rural outreach, technology, and innovation work at the Institute focuses on ensuring 'Universal Eye Health' by reducing healthcare costs and making high-quality eye care accessible to communities facing geographical and financial challenges.

## Contact

We work in partnership with individuals, corporates and other like-minded organizations. All donations to the institute are eligible for income tax exemption. LVPEI is registered with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs to undertake CSR activities as an implementing agency for eligible corporates under the Companies Act, 2013.

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