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- Photoscreening may electively be performed in children age 6 months to 3 years.
- Photoscreening is recommended as an alternative to visual acuity screening in children ages 3-5 years.
- Visual acuity screening with charts is preferred in children above 5 years of age.