RESIDENT		

DATE	PROBLEM	GOAL	TO DATE	INTERVENTIONS	RESP DISC
	related to Blindness Glaucoma Macular degeneration Cataract Poor vision Visual field disturbance As evidenced by: Impaired: Sees large print, but not regular print in newspapers / books Moderately Impaired: Not able to see newspaper headlines, but can identify objects Highly Impaired: Object identification in question, but eyes appear to follow objects Severely Impaired: No vision or sees only light, colors, or shapes; eyes do not appear to follow objects Decreased peripheral vision	Resident will negotiate environment safely and participate in ADLs to maximum potential		Ensure glasses are appropriate for resident, in good repair, and assist with placement if necessary – Keep glasses in consistent place Monitor for the need for eye exam, and refer if indicated Investigate if resident stops wearing glasses or begins rubbing eyes Keep most frequently used items in a consistent area within reach Keep furniture in same place – do not rearrange Keep room and pathways free from clutter Provide large print reading materials or talking books Instruct resident to notify nurse if any changes in current visual level Announce self when entering room, and explain all procedures Refer to OT for adaptive equipment and assistive devices if indicated	