



LEADERSHIP

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This year's report—The Future Is in Sight: Ensuring the Future of Eye Care Belongs to Everyone—reflects the powerful idea that no one should be left behind when it comes to something as essential as sight. From the creation of the Flying Eye Hospital to today, innovation has remained at the heart of how Orbis builds a future where eye care is within reach for all.

In 2024, we leaned into the power of cutting-edge innovations to expand access to care. Cybersight Al screened over 9,000 people—more than ever before—for diabetic retinopathy and glaucoma, enabling faster diagnoses and same-day referrals for people like Esther, who appears on the cover of this report. We also launched a new VR training solution for cataract surgery—an affordable, portable tool tailored to the technique most used in low- and middle-income countries, unlike most existing simulators, which are costly, hard to transport, and designed for high-resource settings.

We also embraced practical, low-tech solutions, proving impact doesn't require complexity. In Ethiopia and Zambia, the BOOST mobile app helped improve cataract surgical outcomes with real-time feedback for surgeons; in China, a WeChat mini-app helped tailor Cybersight content to local users; and in Zambia, community health workers used bicycles to reach patients in "last mile" areas and improve follow-up care.

We helped eye care professionals and community health workers in nearly every corner of the globe build their skills and confidence to deliver quality care through over 32,000 trainings completed in partner hospitals across Africa, Asia, and Latin America. And Cybersight, Orbis's e-learning and telehealth platform, reached a powerful milestone: over 100,000 registered users across 215 countries and territories. The platform received a \$1 million endowment in 2024 to ensure it remains freely available to future generations of eye health professionals—people like Dr. Amr Hamzah, a remarkable pediatric ophthalmologist in Yemen who went from being



DIANA WHEELER
Interim President & CEO

a long-time user of Cybersight to presenting his first webinar on the platform this year.

Our Flying Eye Hospital took flight to Mongolia and Bangladesh, where we partnered with local teams to share knowledge, provide care, and build lasting skills. In the pages of this report, you'll also read about the launch of Women Leaders in Eye Health, a powerful initiative sparking a new sense of empowerment and confidence for women in the profession.

All the stories you'll read in this report are a testament to how technology—when made accessible—can change lives and futures. They also show that, even as we embrace innovation, the future of eye care will always be built on human connection, through community outreach, local trainers mentoring the next generation, and eye care professionals who understand the challenges their patients face. Because in the end, it's the dedication, compassion, and collaboration of people that save sight—and that includes a global community of supporters like you who make this work possible.

Thank you for being part of this journey.

Cliana Wheeler

At the end of another busy and eventful year, I am struck by how rapidly eye care is evolving. The innovative solutions we once imagined in medicine—technologies such as AI detecting eye disease and VR training eye surgeons—are no longer relegated to science fiction.

The future of eye care is here at Orbis, bringing exciting new possibilities in sight. As you will read in this report, since its first Flying Eye Hospital, Orbis has been and continues to be at the forefront of utilizing new technologies to bring eye care to those in need on a global basis.

Our firm belief that sight-saving care should be accessible to all is a legacy we owe to Dr. David Paton, a visionary ophthalmologist, and the other pioneers who helped launch Orbis International and our Flying Eye Hospital training facility, thereby enhancing the availability of eye care around the world. Their idea was that teaching others to provide, and advocating for, better eye care would improve the lives of millions of people, because building local expertise and influencing health systems are the bases on which sustainable care can grow exponentially in underserved communities. We honor Dr. Paton's memory this year in the wake of his passing. The ground-breaking work Orbis is doing now is a testament to the spirit of innovation instilled within our organization from the start, furthering our mission to make access to eye care available to all.

That work makes a real, life-changing difference to patients and providers alike. Every year, our cutting-edge digital tools, our country programs, our healthcare and government partners, our unique Flying Eye Hospital, our Volunteer Faculty, and our donors and other supporters come together to help millions of people in more than 200 countries and territories. Over just the past decade, Orbis has enabled eye care professionals and health workers to complete more than 436,000 trainings. In that same period, Orbis-trained eye-health providers and partners of Orbis gave more than 22 million sight-



JOHN HOWITT
Chair of the Board

saving eye screenings and exams at community outreach events, provided eye care to nearly 12 million patients at Orbis-supported health facilities, and distributed more than 87 million doses of trachoma-fighting antibiotics.

But with vision loss expected to grow by 55%, reaching 1.7 billion by 2050, we must continue not only to grow our impact, but also to ensure it reaches the people and places that need it most. Notably, nine out of ten people with vision loss live in low- and middle-income countries.

These are big challenges to meet, but with the support of our full community, all working together to scale ground-breaking and exciting innovations like those you'll read about in this report, we can help even more eye care teams help even more people—faster, more efficiently, and in more places. That way, the next era of eye care can truly include everyone.

Thank you for your belief in our mission and your support.

Jah P. Anoth

Yours sincerely.

Volunteer Faculty member Dr. Tony McAleer examines a patient in Hawassa, Ethiopia, during a week-long strabismus training session.

A GLOBAL SNAPSHOT OF VISION LOSS AND WHY SOLVING IT FOR **EVERYONE MATTERS**

From reading and learning, to working and supporting families, sight shapes how we live our lives. But today, millions lose their sight because of a lack of access to quality care and a lack of trained eye care professionals. And the need for these resources is growing. As people live longer, as the world's population grows, and as modern lifestyle habits drive a surge in conditions such as diabetic retinopathy, more people are in need of sight-saving care.

The good news is that we know what it takes to meet the growing demand and ensure everyone—no matter where they live—has access to quality eye care. The key lies in providing high-quality training and mentorship to develop the next generation of eye health professionals. That's why Orbis is dedicated to training and supporting passionate eye care providers, helping them grow into leaders who advocate for and expand access to eye care in their communities and beyond.

Here's even more good news: Investing in eye care really pays off. In low- and middle-income countries, every \$1 spent can return \$4 in economic benefits—and simple solutions like cataract surgery or providing glasses can bring in as much as \$36 for every dollar invested. These are some of the most cost-effective health interventions out there—cataract surgery is even more so than many treatments for diseases like malaria or diarrhea. With results like these, making eye care more accessible isn't just about better health—it's a smart way to boost longterm economic growth and help communities thrive.

1.1 BILLION

people live with vision loss

90% of it is avoidable

By 2050, .7 BILLION people will live with vision loss including

60 MILLION

people who will be blind, unless there is significant investment in vision care.

But there's still more work to be done. With vision loss—most of it preventable—affecting over a billion people, we must act with urgency and collective commitment. From funding sight-saving programs to raising awareness and advocating for change, everyone has a role to play. Together, we can change the way the world sees.

OF PEOPLE WITH VISION LOSS:

are children and adolescents

90%

live in low- and middle-income countries

55% are women and girls



552,000+ patient visits to health facilities for eye care

72,000+ eyeglasses prescribed

8.6 MILLION+

doses of antibiotics distributed for trachoma elimination



CYBERSIGHT

61,000+ enrollments in online courses

2 MILLION+ views of video

library content

9,000+ patients screened using Cybersight Al

16,000+ new accounts

registered

1,400+ consultations conducted for complex cases

VOLUNTEER FACULTY

170+

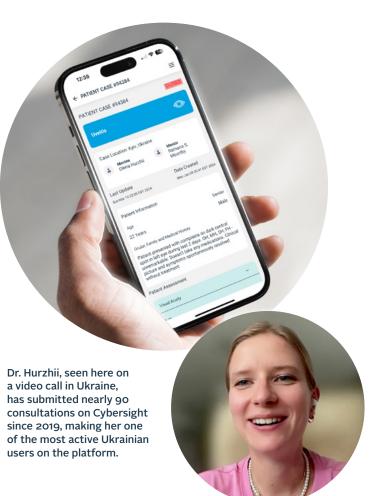
Volunteer Faculty gave up their free time and energy to lead inperson training in local hospitals or on board the Flying Eye Hospital, virtual training courses, online lectures, or Cybersight webinars and e-consultations.

Volunteer Faculty Dr. Gabriel Lazcano Gomez examines a patient, Brigida, during a glaucoma training project in Trujillo, Peru.



OUR GEOGRAPHIES GO BEYOND BORDERS From hands-on programs in Africa, Asia, and Latin America to digital programming that reaches more than 200 countries and territories, our work is making a difference in almost every corner of the globe. 2 IN-PERSON FLYING EYE HOSPITAL PROJECTS 14 OFFICES New York (HQ), Bangladesh, Beijing, Canada, Ethiopia, Hong Kong, India, Ireland, Macau, Mongolia, Shanghai, UK, Vietnam, Zambia **54 PROJECTS IN 10 COUNTRIES** Asia: Bangladesh, China, India, Mongolia, Vietnam Africa: Ethiopia, Ghana, South Africa, Zambia Latin America: Peru **OVER THE PAST 10 YEARS (2015-2024): 11.6 MILLION+** 436,000+ **22.3 MILLION+** trainings were completed eye screenings and patient visits for eye by doctors, nurses, other care were held at Orbisexaminations were conducted eye care professionals, and at community outreach events, supported health facilities. including school screenings. community health workers. 607,000+ 87 MILLION+ Gia Bao, 8 months old, was treated for congenital glaucoma by Orbis Volunteer eye surgeries and laser doses of trachoma-fighting Faculty member Dr. Jamie antibiotics were distributed. treatments were performed. Brandt in Hanoi, Vietnam.

o cybersight



Orbis's free telemedicine and e-learning platform, Cybersight, hit an exciting milestone this year: It now has more than 100,000 users from over 200 countries and territories, including nearly 15% of the world's eye surgeons.

Cybersight offers access to world-class ophthalmic training resources, live surgeries and webinars, and the opportunity to connect with expert medical volunteers to get advice on tough clinical cases—a feature that has now helped more than 30,000 patients.

The idea behind Cybersight began in 1998, when Dr. Eugene Helveston began sending eye care advice through email, a remote training method that sparked the official creation of the platform in 2003. Cybersight took off exponentially during the COVID-19 pandemic, and its continued growth in the years since multiplying its user base fivefold between 2020 and today—shows the demand for learning and mentorship in eye care is here to stay.

"Cybersight gives me an amazing opportunity to help. It feels as if I'm seeing my patient with a mentor right beside me ... helping me."

-Dr. Olena Hurzhii, a Cybersight user in Kyiv, Ukraine

WHEN DELAYS RISK SIGHT, AI CLOSES THE GAP

A new Orbis project in Vietnam is using Cybersight's artificial intelligence (AI) tool to detect diabetic retinopathy, a common complication of diabetes that can cause blindness. Over the next three years, the project will train health workers to use the tool to screen 72,000 people with diabetes for diabetic retinopathy.

The project will also raise community awareness about diabetic retinopathy—a growing threat to millions of people with diabetes in Vietnam, where the rate of the disease is rising, as it is around the world.

Saving people's sight is best done when diabetic retinopathy is detected early through eye exams. Cybersight AI can give doctors results in seconds, critical in remote areas where people can struggle to access care and may delay it until it is too late.

has also teamed up with Hanoi Medical University at six screening sites in three provinces to train around 500 health workers through in-person and online courses, including some with no eye care background, in using Cybersight AI to detect diabetic retinopathy and glaucoma.

Orbis is deeply thankful to these partners who are helping to tackle this sight-threatening condition affecting millions throughout Vietnam.

This year, in addition to Vietnam, Orbis began rolling out Cybersight AI in South Africa and Rwanda, boosting early detection and access to care for patients with diabetic retinopathy. Building on this momentum, Orbis will continue to scale Cybersight Al to more Orbis programs and countries in 2025.



VIRTUAL REALITY TRAINING,

EXPANDING ACCESS TO CATARACT CARE— ONE VR HEADSET AT A TIME

Orbis launched a new immersive virtual reality (VR) training tool, developed in partnership with FundamentalVR, specially designed to help doctors in low- and middleincome countries practice cataract surgery to improve their skills and boost patient outcomes.

Cataracts, the world's leading cause of blindness, can be treated with a fairly simple procedure. But many people still lose their sight due to a lack of trained eye care professionals able to provide this care.

Orbis's new portable and affordable tool helps fill that need by helping more doctors around the world hone their skills. The tool combines VR, haptic feedback, and offthe-shelf hardware to create an immersive and realistic simulation of the surgical procedure. Students and residents can practice each step to build confidence before stepping into the operating room, a process that has been proven to result in better outcomes for patients.

Along with its virtual learning experience, the tool delivers realtime feedback about the user's performance on the surgery, helping users refine their technique as they practice. It is especially

valuable for novice doctors or those just beginning surgical training, as it helps them learn the procedural steps more efficiently and arrive better prepared for hands-on experiences like wet labs, assisting in surgeries, and eventually performing procedures themselves. By accessing both this tool and Cybersight, Orbis's e-learning platform, eye care professionals can get effective training no matter where they are. The VR solution is quickly becoming an essential training resource in Orbis partner hospitals in Bangladesh, China, Ethiopia, India, and Mongolia. Orbis is also expanding its VR training project to new sites in India and to Ghana, Nepal, Peru, Rwanda, and Zambia in 2025.

Meta has featured our training tool in two campaigns showing how VR can help people, including in healthcare. The ads showcase how Dr. Renee Badroe from Jamaica and Dr. Anushree Baid from India practice their surgical skills using the new VR tool.



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"This training is completely

different and unique compared

to any other training. If I make a

mistake in any step, I have the

confidence to correct it and

practice again and again."

-Dr. Manirul Islam, resident

ophthalmologist in Bangladesh

The Orbis Flying Eye Hospital is a one-of-a-kind, state-of-the-art teaching facility—complete with an operating room, classroom, recovery area, and advanced simulation center. It's the only non-land-based hospital accredited to top U.S. medical standards. Since taking its first flight in 1982, the Flying Eye Hospital has traveled to more than 80 countries, delivering hands-on training that empowers local eye care teams to provide life-changing treatment in their own communities.

EYE HOSPITAL

In 2024, the plane touched down in Mongolia and Bangladesh, where Orbis Volunteer Faculty expert ophthalmologists, nurses, anesthesiologists, and biomedical engineers—provided specialized training to strengthen local skills. With your support, this flying hospital becomes a powerful platform for knowledge-sharing and lasting progress in expanding access to quality eye care.

> health care professionals trained

patients treated

This year saw Orbis's ninth Flying Eye Hospital project in Mongolia, where eye care professionals came from across the country to Ulaanbaatar, the capital, to train on the Flying Eye Hospital and at two partner hospitals. During the threeweek project, participants enhanced their skills to treat patients facing leading causes of blindness in the country, including glaucoma, cataracts, and strabismus, and also focused on the sub-specialties of oculoplastics and surgical retina.

Orbis Volunteer Faculty (medical experts) work closely with training participants, guiding them through each step of a procedure so they can confidently apply it in the future. Chair of the Orbis Medical

MONGOLIA

Advisory Committee Dr. Malik Kahook, who volunteered in Mongolia, describes how he trained a local surgeon: "I would do the maneuver, teach her how I was doing it, then pass along that skill set to her for the



Flying Eye Hospital staff nurse, Xiao Ying, trains local nurses in the operating room.

subsequent case. I can say that she is able to perform a glaucoma drainage device on her own at this stage, which to me is one of the biggest successes of this trip."

The project also hosted training for biomedical engineers, nurses, and anesthesiologists. With support from the Alcon Foundation, OMEGA, and FedEx, nearly 250 eye health professionals gained handson training from top experts, giving them the skills and confidence to better care for patients in their own communities.

Head to page 4 and the back cover of this report to meet Buyandeleger and Gunj, two little girls who received care during the project.

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opportunities, giving participants experience they can apply for future cases of cataracts, oculoplastics, pediatric glaucoma, and retina or cornea issues. Local anesthesiologists, nurses, and biomedical engineers also received training, recognizing that delivering quality eye care depends on the entire team working together effectively.

Additional simulation training allowed local teams to practice complex surgical techniques for strabismus, glaucoma, and cataracts, and for nurses and anesthesiologists to improve their life-saving skills on realistic manikins.

The project was made possible thanks to support from the Alcon Foundation and FedEx, as well as local collaborators and partners, including the Ophthalmological Society of Bangladesh, the Bangladesh College of Physicians & Surgeons, the National Eye Care program, and the Chittagong Eye Infirmary and Training Complex.

allowing 136 eye care professionals in 47 countries around the world to learn from the training as well.

Orbis's 11th Flying Eye Hospital

project in Bangladesh provided

eye care professionals over the

Many of the sessions were also

streamed live on Cybersight,

course of two weeks.

world-class training to nearly 420

Sight-saving surgeries for 44 patients, including 18 children, provided hands-on training

> "I'm so happy, but the tears of joy are coming from within me. Now I can be self-sufficient again." -Kunchao

Kunchao developed cataracts in both eyes, which severely impacted his life. He lost his job at the local ship-breaking yard and couldn't even cross the street without help. He lived with the condition for two years before he had his sight restored during the project in Bangladesh.

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In 2024, Orbis launched the Women Leaders in Eye Health (WLEH) initiative in partnership with Seva Foundation and Women in Ophthalmology. The partnership is dedicated to helping more women take on leadership roles in eye health around the world. This is part of Orbis's broader commitment to advancing eye health for all.

Dr. Maria Montero (right) leads a live coffee hour discussion, simulcasted on Cybersight, in Doha, Qatar. The coffee hours are a regular series hosted by WLEH to promote continuous professional development and community engagement among women leaders in eye health.

Women and girls make up 55% of all people living with vision loss—largely due to unique challenges that can make it harder for them to access care, such as limited access to family finances, safety concerns, and caregiving responsibilities. Training more women eye care professionals—and supporting them as leaders—is one way to help close this gap. In many regions, female patients are more likely to seek care from women providers, and women in leadership can help shape eye

care to better meet the needs of other women and girls. At the same time, women—who represent 70% of the global health workforce but hold just 25% of leadership roles—face challenges advancing their careers.

According to the American Psychological Association, including women in leadership roles leads to better decision making and overall success in eye health initiatives. WLEH is committed to helping women overcome these challenges by creating opportunities for leadership, fostering mentorship, and building strong professional networks. WLEH hosts interactive coffee

hours and webinars to connect women from diverse backgrounds and experiences in eye health together for mentorship and peer-learning opportunities.

Through professional development grants and training programs, WLEH empowers women to drive progress in the field. In its first year, WLEH awarded professional development grants to 15 women from a range of countries, such as Chile, Ghana, Honduras, Iraq, and

> South Sudan. These grants support women's participation in conferences and thought leadership platforms so they can engage with critical networks and share expertise.

WLEH is building a future where more women shape the eye care profession to better serve everyone, where more patients receive life-changing treatment, and where quality eye care is within reach for all. By increasing the number of women in leadership roles, eye health services can be better tailored to the needs of all individuals, including those who daily face unique barriers to accessing eve care.

BREAKING BARRIERS, BUILDING CONFIDENCE

I was moved by the story of a notable doctor from South Sudan, Dr. Aja Khol. In 2024, she received a WLEH grant to attend and make a presentation at the College of Ophthalmology of Eastern, Central, and Southern Africa (COECSA) as a keynote speaker—an incredible opportunity for a woman from a conflict-affected country. But just leaving the country was a struggle. She experienced immense challenges and was stopped at airports, questioned, and delayed in the process. At one point, she told me she was ready to give up and go back home to South Sudan. But the leader in her refused to give up. She made it to the conference, delivered her keynote, and afterward she said.

"Now there's very little I cannot overcome."

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That moment stayed with me. It was a powerful reminder of what women in conflict zones face just to do their work—and how something as simple as a travel grant can unlock confidence, recognition, and a renewed sense of purpose. She went back to South Sudan reenergized to continue providing care in incredibly difficult conditions. And because women are more likely to seek care from other women, her presence in that community matters even more.



Dr. Aja Khol from South Sudan

It's stories like hers that show just how transformative investing in women leaders can be and why I'm so proud to lead the WLEH initiative. —Rose Namukwai, Orbis Senior Gender Equality & Social Inclusion Advisor

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IN MEMORY OF **DR. DAVID PATON**

His Vision Gave Millions Theirs

Orbis honors the extraordinary life of Dr. David Paton, a visionary ophthalmologist and global health pioneer whose ideas helped launch Orbis International, our Flying

Eye Hospital, and shape the future of eye care around the world.

He and fellow Orbis trailblazers believed that bringing training where it is needed most would help local eye care teams build the skills to save sight in their communities—a principle that still guides our work today.

Their vision helped reimagine what's possible in global eye care. From the Flying Eye Hospital to Cybersight, that legacy lives on in every life touched—like Esther in Rwanda, whose sight was saved by AI, and Dr. Amr Hamzah in Yemen, who is now training others after once being a training participant himself. Their powerful stories continue across the page.



DR. AMR HAMZAH: FROM LEARNING TO LEADING

Dr. Amr Hamzah, a pediatric ophthalmologist in Yemen, recently conducted his first webinar on Cybersight after being a user of the platform as a learner and mentee. Upon receiving his medical education and training in Sudan, Jordan, and India, he went back to Yemen to practice. When he graduated in 2021, he became the first fellowshipcertified pediatric ophthalmologist in the country of 40 million people. Cybersight was a key source of vital information as he provided eye care as a young physician, including confronting conditions and injuries he had no prior experience treating.

In one case, Dr. Hamzah had to treat a three-monthold girl with acorea—a rare condition where she was born without pupils, meaning that no light could reach the back of her eyes—leaving her unable to see.

Finding few cases documented in medical research and unsure how to proceed, he consulted with Cybersight mentor, Dr. Alex Levin, for help in creating the right surgical plan. After a successful operation, the child now is 2.5 years old and can see with both eyes.



AI SAVES ESTHER'S SIGHT IN RWANDA

When Esther, a 26-year-old woman in Rwanda (who appears to the left and on the cover of this report), was diagnosed with type 1 diabetes, it explained the symptoms of extreme weight loss and thirst she had been experiencing for a year. But it also brought the challenge of managing the condition with medicine and lifestyle adjustments. And soon enough, a blurring of her vision made her worried she would lose her sight.

She traveled to Kigali to attend her first-ever eye screening, where she was diagnosed with diabetic retinopathy, an eye disease that can lead to irreversible vision loss. She got instant results thanks to Cybersight Al, Orbis's innovative artificial intelligence technology that scans

images of the retina (the back of the eye) and detects disease within seconds. Both of Esther's eyes showed significant signs of diabetic retinopathy.

Diabetic retinopathy is the leading cause of vision loss among working-age people around the world, and it is a risk for anyone with diabetes. There is evidence that its prevalence is increasing in sub-Saharan Africa more than in any other region, yet, on average, there are fewer than four ophthalmologists per 1 million people in the region to treat this fast-increasing condition.

When Esther left the clinic that day with her diagnosis, she was equipped with knowledge of where to seek treatment to prevent further vision loss. Esther received treatment for her diabetic retinopathy and cataract. She went on to get married and have a baby—and is now better able to see the faces of her new, beautiful family.

"After the operation, with my eyes still covered, I was curious about what I'd experience. When they removed the bandage, I saw clearly and was so happy ... and excited to see everyone again with my new eyesight."-Esther

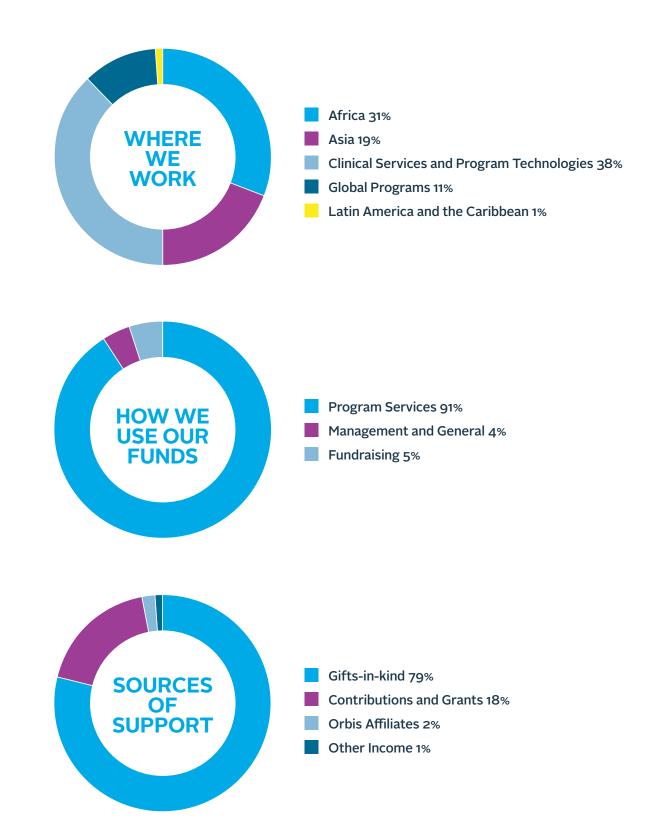
FINANCIALS

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Year ended December 31, 2024 and December 31, 2023 (in thousands)

OPERATING REVENUES	2024	2023
Net fundraisings events	848	1,059
Contributions	46,388	38,143
Revenue from affiliates	5,345	5,952
Gifts-in-kind and contributed services	205,054	214,894
Investment and miscellaneous income	2,052	1,719
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	259,687	261,767
OPERATING EXPENSES	2024	2023
Program Services		
Donated medicines, supplies, and equipment	204,917	213,665
Other program expenses	29,197	33,096
Total Program Services	234,114	246,761
Supporting Services		
Management and general	9,678	9,740
Fundraising	13,227	10,742
Total Supporting Services	22,906	20,482
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	257,019	267,243
Excess (deficiency) of operating revenues		
over operating expenses	2,668	(5,476)
Net non-operating activities	880	696
Increase in net assets	3,548	(4,780)
Net assets, beginning of year	59,928	64,708
Net assets, end of year	63,476	59,928

The condensed financial information for year ended December 31, 2024, has been derived from Orbis International's financial statements. Complete financial statements, audited by BDO USA, LLP, are available on orbis.org.



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We could not do our life-changing work without the incredible support and dedication of our global corporate partners. Their contributions range from major multi-year cash grants to critically needed gifts-in-kind.





In our partnership spanning more than four decades, Alcon has been an integral partner, supporting our mission through training program support, content collaboration, and biomedical engineer volunteers. Through its two charitable foundations, Alcon provides state-of-the-art ophthalmic equipment and product donations, and is a Global Title Sponsor of our Flying Eye Hospital program around the world.



For more than 40 years, FedEx has played an indispensable role in helping Orbis achieve our mission, including the donation of the MD-10 aircraft that serves as our third-generation Flying Eye Hospital. Through its Delivering for Good initiative, FedEx is a longstanding Global Title Sponsor of the Flying Eye Hospital.



Since 2021, HOYA has been a Global Sponsor, supporting Orbis's REACH program in India. Providing sight-saving eye screenings and eyeglasses to school children reflects the company's mission to support vision for a lifetime, ensuring that every child's journey begins with clarity and hope.



Since 2011, Jebsen has generously partnered with Orbis on "Project Morning Star" to establish a training, screening, and eye care referral network covering hospitals and clinics in rural areas



Since 2011, OMEGA has provided ongoing support to Orbis as a Global Title Sponsor, providing teddy bears to young patients and raising awareness of the Flying Eye Hospital projects through documentaries with OMEGA brand ambassadors.



The Pfizer-Orbis relationship dates back to 1979, three years before Orbis's first sight-saving flight, when Pfizer began supporting Orbis through cash grants and donations of medical supplies.



Santen's generous support allows Orbis to provide quality residency training in Vietnam and India, to grow ophthalmologists' expertise in glaucoma in China, Vietnam, and India, and to develop digital training programs for glaucoma that enable greater access to patient care. Santen also invests in Orbis-led research that aims to quantify the importance of eye health, including how improved care and better vision can affect quality of life.

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Orbis deeply appreciates the incredible dedication of our Volunteer Faculty and volunteer pilots who generously gave their time to support our mission throughout 2024.

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