

Celebrating 30 Million optomap® Patients around the World

Optos plc (LSE: OPTS), a leading medical retinal imaging company, announced that it reached an important milestone for its ultra-widefield retinal imaging product line – capturing images for 30 million optomap patients. For more than 10 years, Optos has helped eye care professionals diagnose, analyze and monitor ocular pathology in 82% of the retina, something no other device is capable of doing in any one image. More than 4,000 practices in 17 countries have helped Optos accomplish this milestone.

On May 17th, Albright & Schnulo Family Eye Care in Worthington, Ohio and an Optos customer since 2004 captured the image of the 30 millionth optomap® patient. Drs. Albright and Schnulo remarked, “Our office performs an optomap for every patient. We feel an ultra-widefield retinal image provides important information about the health of the central and peripheral areas of the retina. With optomap you can also see other potential health issues, such as diabetes and hypertension. We feel very good about providing the best care not only for our patients’ eyes but also for their overall health. It is an important part of a routine comprehensive eye exam.”

A simple optomap image is an important tool for the screening, early detection and diagnosis of eye

problems such as retinal detachment, glaucoma, cataracts, retinal holes/retinal tears and age-related macular degeneration. It can also indicate evidence of non-eye diseases such as diabetes, hypertension and certain cancers. Many of these conditions can be seen in the periphery of the retina as well as in the central pole further supporting the value of widefield imaging. Recognizing its customers’ contributions to this achievement, Optos declared May 17th optomap day. As the specific office that took the 30 millionth optomap, Albright and Schnulo Family Eye Care will have a visit and lunch meeting with Roy Davis, CEO of Optos in their Ohio office. Mr. Davis commented, “Optos is dedicated to providing eye care professionals and their patients with the most advanced retinal imaging technologies to aid in the accurate diagnoses of diseases and help guide treatment plans. We are excited to reach this milestone as it demonstrates our customers’ beliefs that optomap benefits their patients and practices.”

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