



## LV Prasad Eye Institute

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### Statement of Declaration

I, Dr. Srinivas Marmamula, hereby, state that the research work presented for the Sun Pharma Science Foundation Research Award 2024 represents my overall contribution to public health research in the field of elderly eye health and epidemiology of vision impairment over the years.

I hereby state that this research has not been given any award in the past.

The following team members contributed to this research.

- Thirupathi Reddy Kumbham and Satya Brahmanandam Modepalli were the field investigators who assisted in the field interviews.
- Navya Rekha Barrenkala (optometrist), Rajesh Challa (Vision Technician) and Maduri Bhakki (Vision Technician) helped in clinical eye examinations in the homes for aged centres
- Ratnakar Yellapragada and Rajyalakshmi Munni helped with the data entry.

All the team members were either co-authors or acknowledged in all the manuscripts published from this work.

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