



Restore sight
every month of the year



The Fred Hollows
Foundation NZ



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Make a difference the world can see

Fred Hollows was a straight-talking, no-nonsense Kiwi eye surgeon who called himself simply an 'eye doctor'. In his lifetime he set out to provide the skills and technology needed by doctors in developing countries to restore sight to the needlessly blind.

Fred believed that training local people was the only long term solution, helping them to "own their own problems and run their own show".

His 'can-do' attitude is now epitomized by the Fred Hollows Foundation and its partners, who have restored the sight to over one million people in the world's poorest countries.

But **we need your help** to continue restoring sight.

The Miracle Club offers a way for you to give regularly to keep Fred Hollows' vision alive and ensure that more people receive the precious gift of sight - each and every month of the year.

Front cover: Prior to surgery, Harahi Lari of PNG was going blind in both eyes. Now he is able to fish again and provide for his family. Courtesy Ben Bohane.



Restoring sight in the scattered islands of the Pacific, courtesy Angela Wylie/The Age

Why The Miracle Club needs you

Without your help, The Fred Hollows Foundation cannot continue its work. It's that simple.

By giving as little as \$25 a month, you can help The Foundation and its partners achieve so much by:

- Helping us train and equip local doctors to restore sight
- Ensuring the availability of low cost, high quality Fred Hollows Intraocular Lenses (IOLs) and other medical equipment and consumables
- Developing strategies to ensure the long term sustainability of local eye care programs
- Expanding our sight-saving programs into more needy countries.

Best of all, you'll be allowing individuals who are needlessly blind to discover a whole new world of family, nature, light and life. You'll help someone who is blind to receive the precious gift of sight.

Please support The Fred Hollows Foundation Miracle Club today.

You'll share the reward in the smiles of those who see their loved ones again.



For some people, it's like a miracle

You can help restore **the miracle of sight**, every month of the year.

"It's magical when you restore the gift of sight and its colours to a person. Every patient's reaction is different...some laugh, some cry and some just want to hug you."

Dr John Szetu
Fiji



Having undergone cataract surgery at an outreach clinic in Nepal, a patient shows his delight at being able to see again.

"Some miracles are no longer considered the stuff of myth and legend. In countries all over the world, blind people have heard of the miracle. They have heard of Fred Hollows; they have heard about our work. They have heard we are coming."

Dr Sanduk Ruit
Nepal

Help Fred's work live on

"For many of us, the ability to see is something we take for granted. But for millions of people in developing countries, sight is often an elusive dream.



*Gabi Hollows, courtesy
www.hollows.org/photolibrary*

These people suffer from preventable forms of blindness such as cataract.

The tragedy is it doesn't have to be that way. More than 75% of blindness can be treated.

I know that Fred's vision of affordable eye health to all peoples of the world can be achieved with you by our side. Please continue our efforts to restore sight by joining The Miracle Club today."

Gabi Hollows
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Yes! I'll help work miracles

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*Details will be forwarded to you

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- \$25 \$50 \$75 \$100 Other \$.....
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Separate coupon on both sides, place in pocket and mail. (No stamp required).

Donations of \$5 and above are tax deductible.



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every month of the year

Walking to Macibini for treatment, Queenstown, South Africa, courtesy Sandy Scheltema.