

# Lighthouse Guild Parent Support Network



When your child is diagnosed with a serious eye condition that can cause blindness or vision impairment, you may feel lost and alone, and unsure of what your child needs.

Our free **National Tele-Support Network for Parents of Children with Visual Impairment** connects you with parents whose children have the same eye condition, so you share resources, experiences, strength and hope.

Tele-support groups meet by phone or online every week, and are facilitated by a Psychologist or Social Worker with input from professionals and experts in the field of blindness.

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## We currently have groups for parents of children with the following eye conditions:

- Cortical Visual Impairment
- Retinopathy of Prematurity/  
    Familial Exudative Vitreo Retinopathy
- Leber Congenital Amaurosis
- Autism and Blindness
- Hermanski-Pudlak Syndrome  
    (English and Spanish)
- Albinism
- CHARGE Syndrome

Our free **Teen Tele-support Groups** are for high school students who are visually impaired or blind. The group meets by phone to share experiences and discuss topics of interest.

You may join us whenever you wish. We welcome you, whether you want to actively participate or just listen. You're not in this alone.

## For more information or to enroll in a parent support group

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