



## AER Neurological Visual Impairment Division



Hello NVID!

It's been a while but, weeeee'rrreeee baaaackkkk! Just in time for October, but nothing scary here except some excellent information on offerings for our members.

1 Royal Dutch Visio will be presenting a webinar on CVI on November 11th from 1pm to 4:30 p.m. (Central European Time) *don't be afraid of the time change, check it out!* See sign-up information below and note that you will receive the materials if you register.

The programme consists of two interactive presentations on CVI products that Visio has developed and translated into English and a session of discussion groups.

2 The book "CVI in the Picture", describes the process of 'seeing' from beginning to end, in a practical manner. The impact of CVI on daily activities and basic advice on how to deal with this is described in detail and provide starting points for setting up assessment and rehabilitation guidelines for persons with CVI.

Presenter: Femke van der Veer, occupational therapist.

3 The VAS CVI-PIMD is an instrument that records the results of observations done by a multidisciplinary team, after the ophthalmological examination and the formal assessment of visual functions. Using the observations, the aspects of visual functioning and the characteristics of CVI are compiled in the VAS. Also the many items in the VAS give a clear indication for the basis of intervention. The VAS CVI-PIMD consists of a manual, a filling-in form and a parent questionnaire.

Presenters: Marjolein Wallroth, Specialized Health Care Psychologist and Marieke Steendam, occupational therapist.

Both documents will be shared with you digitally (and for free) after the webinar.

Simultaneous discussion groups.

Proposed themes:

- Diagnosing lower order visual functions in CVI
- Neuropsychological assessment in CVI
- Multidisciplinary assessment in CVI
- Intervention in CVI
- Putting theory into practice
- CVI in children with MDVI/PIMD

You can sign up for the CVI webinar by sending an email with your preferred themes (please indicate 3 in order of preference) to [international@visio.org](mailto:international@visio.org)

## **PCVI Conference videos with sessions now available online**

Past registrants of the conference can view the following presentations from the 2021 PCVI conference. Interested individuals can also register to access the content. See information below

- Cortical Visual Impairment: The Matter of the C, by Lynn Elko, MA
- Kaleidoscope Podcast: The Sound of Real CVI Stories, by Jessica Marquardt, MS
- Characteristics of Individuals with Cortical Visual Impairment of Pediatric Onset, by Veeral Shah, MD
- Understanding CVI from the Inside Out and The Austin Assessment: a Tool to Detect Visual Perception, by Nicola McDowell, PhD
- Navigating Brain Based Visual Impairment in Older Children and Young Adults, by Sharon Lehman, MD
- CVI Literature Review, by Karen Harpster, PhD, OTR/L
- The Thalamus and Ventral Stream: Two Key Players in Visual Processing, by Corinna Bauer, PhD

Registration is available for \$25 at the link below. The materials will be available until 8/30/2022. After registration, you'll receive an email with direct links to each available video.

<https://cmetracker.net/CHMCOCE/Publisher?page=pubopen#/EventID/27151/>

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