

*Module:* **Visual Conditions and Functional Vision:  
Early Intervention Issues**

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**Session 1: Working With Families and  
Eye Care Professionals**

**Activity E: Pamphlet for Families**

**Participant Guidelines**

The purposes of this assignment are to

- demonstrate understanding of the TVI's responsibilities,
- demonstrate understanding of the responsibilities of the eye care specialist, and
- demonstrate knowledge, cultural sensitivity, and creativity in developing a product that can be helpful to families.

Design a pamphlet to be shared with families that explains the responsibilities of TVIs and eye care specialists. Pamphlets are generally an 8 ½ x 11 inch piece of paper folded into halves or thirds and should be designed to be eye-catching and to provide overview information. Pamphlets often have pictures or diagrams.

The pamphlet should be designed with the following considerations:

- accessibility to families of varying educational levels;
- cultural sensitivity;
- clear, concise information appropriate for a family new to early intervention, yet valuable to families who have been in early intervention for some time; and
- written text and pictorial components.

Participants should be prepared to share their completed pamphlet with the class and instructor.

Evaluation of this activity will be based on

- comprehensiveness and clarity of the pamphlet in conveying the many responsibilities of the TVI and eye care specialist,
- cultural sensitivity displayed within the pamphlet, and
- overall aesthetic and creative components of the pamphlet.