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What type of practice do you run (e.g. medical, retail, contact lens fitting)?

We cover all of the above. We are a high-tech, high-touch practice—a very family feel to the office.

Describe the types of patients you see.

Suburban Baltimore and Washington DC communities and prisoners with developmental disabilities come to our office for care.

What is your biggest exam-related challenge?

I see prisoners with developmental disabilities and the SVOOne has made it much easier to care for these patients who sometimes have limited to no ability to communicate.

How did you hear about Smart Vision Labs?

I first heard about the SVOOne on the online optometric forum ODwire. Then I participated in webinars.

What attracted you to the SVOOne?

The value for money and good wow factor for the patients.

How do you use the SVOOne?

I've been practicing for over 30 years. With my recent purchase of the SVOOne I've put aside my retinoscope and now use this innovative new technology on every patient, every day. I get more comfortable with it every time and feel very confident counting on it in my practice as a starting point.

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Tell us about a time when the SVOOne was uniquely useful to you.

The most recent example of this was a “ward of the state” who turned out to be a moderate myope with moderate astigmatism. I put on the result of his SVOOne scan and he smiled and started looking around the office. The people who brought him in said they had never seen him respond like that.

For me it is also about the SVOOne's potential future features that will be very useful—higher order aberrations, etc.

How do you envision the SVOOne will help you grow your practice?

[The SVOOne] lets the patient know that I am keeping up with the technological advancements in the field.