152WP0200X PEDIATRICS Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Code Set

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152WP0200X Pediatric Optometrist

Taxonomy Code	152WP0200X
Status	Active
Level	Level III Area of Specialization
Short Name	Pediatrics
Full Name	Pediatric Optometrist
Level I, Provider Grouping	Eye and Vision Services Providers
Level II, Classification	Optometrist
Description	Optometrists who work in Pediatrics are concerned with the prevention, development, diagnosis, and treatment of visual problems in children.
Additional Information	Source: American Optometric Association [1/1/2009: added definition, added source]

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