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Group visits state prison in South Mississippi to provide eye exams and glasses

LEAKESVILLE – Inmates at the South Mississippi Correctional Institution received eye exams and prescription glasses thanks to an out of state group visiting the facility on February 24.

A Missouri-based Focus on Mission/Vision Group recently visited SMCI where they brought more than 10,000 pairs of glasses and cases which were distributed to the inmates. The group's primary goal is to help residents of North and South America who have not received glasses from the facility. The glasses were donated to the organization, mostly from overstock supplies elsewhere.

Volunteers with the group visiting SMCI said they were amazed by the gratitude shown by SMCI inmates for receiving their glasses.

