



## **The EyeDoctors, Optometrists announce installment of RTVue FD-OCT instrument**

Imaging System helps detect early glaucoma and wet macular degeneration

Topeka, KS March 1, 2009 – The EyeDoctors, Optometrists announced that they have purchased five RTVue™ systems for use in 5 of their locations across Northeast Kansas.

In just two years since its introduction, RTVue has gained rapid acceptance by leading clinicians around the globe. RTVue is the first and only FDA-cleared spectral domain OCT capable of imaging both the front (cornea) and back (retina) of the eye in a single system. In addition, RTVue offers unprecedented analytical capabilities, allowing optometrists and ophthalmologists to evaluate tissue at greater depths than ever before. These functions allow earlier detection of glaucoma and wet macular degeneration as well as collecting information about the cornea. It also helps doctors to determine if current treatment plans for patients are working or if a different course needs to be taken.

“When our practice considered the options for spectral domain OCT, we concluded that RTVue offered the best combination of performance and patient comfort,” said Brian J. Horsch, O.D. managing partner of The EyeDoctors who practices in Topeka, KS. “The system gives us the resolution we need for better decision making of glaucoma and macular degeneration. Plus, the test is easily tolerated by patients and can be done without dilation. In short, RTVue gives us the right package of functions for our clinical needs.

The RTVue instrument which is manufactured by Optivue is being installed in The EyeDoctors locations in Topeka, Olathe, Junction City, Manhattan, and Lawrence. For further information and a list of all The EyeDoctors locations please visit; [www.theeyedocotors.net](http://www.theeyedocotors.net)