

Dr. Nadine M. Girgis graduated with the Doctor of Optometry degree from Indiana University School of Optometry in 2003. Dr. Girgis then completed a residency in Pediatric Optometry and Binocular Vision/Vision Therapy at the Illinois College of Optometry in 2004. She then went on to practice at two separate private practices in Chicago, IL specializing in Pediatrics/Vision Therapy until April 2007. Concurrently, she was an adjunct professor at the Illinois College of Optometry; one practice was an extern site for 4th year students. She is currently a full time faculty member at Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry and holds the rank of Assistant Professor.

Dr. Girgis' publications include a recent publication in the Journal of the American Optometric Association titled "A case of primary congenital glaucoma: a diagnostic dilemma". She has also published and presented multiple posters at the American Academy of Optometry and American Optometric Association meetings over the past 3 years. Dr. Girgis received her fellowship from the Academy in 2005 and is presently pursuing fellowship from the College of Optometrists in Vision Development. She is currently a member of the Florida Optometric Association, College of Optometrists in Vision Development, the American Academy of Optometry, and the American Optometric Association.

Dr. Girgis' particular areas of interest include pediatric ocular disease, amblyopia, and vision training and she is currently involved in clinical research in the area of amblyopia. Her current teaching responsibilities at NSU's College of Optometry include: Preceptor for 3rd-and 4th interns in the NSU Pediatrics and Primary Care Eye Clinics and lab instructor for Anomalies of Binocular Vision II and Pediatric Optometry.