

**Table 4 Causes of uncorrected visual acuity 6/12 or worse**

| Causes           | Children with VA 6/12 or worse in one or both eyes |       | Prevalence in the population in one or both eyes, % (95% CI) |
|------------------|--|-------|--|
|                  | n  | %     |  |
| Refractive error | 126  | 76.8  | 10.5 (8.8-12.2)  |
| Amblyopia        | 36   | 22.0  | 3.0 (2.04-4.0)   |
| Corneal opacity  | 1  | 0.6   | 0.08 (-0.08 to 0.24)   |
| Cataract         | 1  | 0.6   | 0.08 (0.08-0.24)   |
| Any cause        | 164  | 100.0 | 13.6 (11.7-15.5)   |

CI = confidence interval; VA = visual acuity.