

# José I. Barraquer Lecture and Award



## Dr. Francis W. Price, Jr.

*The José I. Barraquer Lecture and Award honors a physician who has made significant contributions in the field of refractive surgery during his or her career.*

Dr. Francis W. Price, Jr. maintains an active clinical and surgical practice and is involved in clinical research and the teaching of eye surgery to physicians worldwide who participate in surgical training at his center in Indianapolis. He began performing refractive surgery with relaxing incisions and radial keratotomy in 1983 and cryolathing keratomileusis in 1984.

He is medical director of Price Vision Group and founder and president of the Board of Cornea Research Foundation of America. He has served as a past president of the Indiana Academy of Ophthalmology and his colleagues have recognized him as Ophthalmologist of the Year.

Dr. Price has been named one of the Best Doctors In America<sup>®</sup> and has received the Healthcare Hero Award from the *Indianapolis Business Journal*, the Melvin Jones Fellow award from the Lions Clubs International Foundation, and the Senior Achievement Award from the American Academy of Ophthalmology.

Dr. Price has published over 125 peer-reviewed articles and has been principal investigator for over 80 clinical studies of new drugs and surgical devices. He has been an invited guest surgeon and lecturer throughout the world.