## Vocational Rehabilitation, Blind, Vision Impaired and DeafBlind, Regional Office, Norfolk

Age Requirements 18 and over Available 24/7 No Other Eligibility Criteria Virginia residents who have worse than 20/70 acuity in the better eye with best correction or a visual field less than 70 degrees. Family No Intake Contact **Denise Walker** Intake Contact Email Denise.Walker@dbvi.virginia.gov Intake Process Eye report documenting eye condition required and application for services. Referrals are accepted in person, by telephone and by mail. Intake Contact Telephone (757) 466-4162 **Provider Refer** Yes Self Refer Yes Virginia Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired https://www.vdbvi.org/deafblind.htm Main (757) 466-4162 Toll-Free (800) 622-2155 TTY/TTD (804) 371-3133

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Fee Structure Call for Information Languages Spoken English

Vocational rehabilitation services are designed to assist eligible consumers in obtaining or maintaining employment. An Individualized Employment Plan outlining a specific vocational goal is developed by the consumer and vocational rehabilitation counselor to facilitate various activities leading to employment. Based on the unique needs of each consumer, services may include but are not limited to vocational guidance and counseling, vocational training, job development, job placement, and job training. Other services might include adjustment to the loss of vision; rehabilitation engineering services to include assessment and evaluation of job sites, assistive technology; and supported employment.

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