

# 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

Interstate Commerce Center, Building #18  
6325 North Center Drive, Suite 131  
23502 VA  
United States

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.

Service Area(s)

Accomack County

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Chesapeake City

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Franklin City

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Gloucester County

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Hampton City

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Isle of Wight County

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James City County

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Mathews County

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Middlesex County  
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Newport News City  
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Norfolk City  
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Northampton County  
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Poquoson City  
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Portsmouth City  
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Southampton County  
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Suffolk City  
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Surry County  
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Sussex County  
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Virginia Beach City  
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Williamsburg City  
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