



Nebraska Client Assistance Program

Hotline for Disability Services

Contact the Nebraska Hotline for Disabilities

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NEBRASKA VR (VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION)

Description:

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION SERVICES IS A SERIES OF ACTIVITIES AIMED AT HELPING INDIVIDUALS PREPARE FOR, SEEK AND KEEP A JOB BASED ON THEIR ABILITIES. SOME OF THE POSSIBLE SERVICES ARE: EVALUATION, COUNSELING AND GUIDANCE, RESTORATION SERVICES TRAINING, INDEPENDENT LIVING SERVICES, PLACEMENT SERVICES, POST-EMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT

Eligibility:

MUST HAVE A PHYSICAL, EMOTIONAL OR MENTAL DISABILITY. IMPEDIMENT TO EMPLOYMENT. MUST NEED SERVICES FROM VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION.

List of Provided Services:

Accessibility: Financial Accessibility

Assessment Services: Independent Living Assessment, Educational, Vocational Assessment

Assistive Devices: Financial for Devices

Assistive Technology Services: Financial for AT Services

Counseling and Guidance: Vocational Counseling and Guidance

Education: Educational Support, Financial Education

Employment: Job Placement, Self-employment

Supported Employment: Intensive Job Skill

Training: Independent Living Training, Vocational Training

Transition: Transition Services

Contact Information:

Address:

3100 23rd STREET, STE 5

Columbus NE 68601

Hours of Operation: 8:00 TO 5:00 MONDAY-FRIDAY

Website: www.vr.nebraska.gov

Main Phn/TDD1: 877.505.0866

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Other Contact(s):

General Information

Agency ID: 1043

Counties Served:

Butler, Colfax, Nance, Platte, Polk

Ages Served: Ages 14 and Up

Disabilities Served:

Alcohol/Drug, BIM (Behavioral Impairment/Mental Illness), Brain Injury/Head Injury, DD (Developmental Disability including ID), Hearing Impairment, LD (Learning Disability), OHI - Other Health Impairment, Orthopedic, Speech Disability

Wheelchair Accessible: Yes

Fees: NONE

Sliding Fee Schedule: Yes

Interpreters on Staff:

How to Appeal a Decision:

CONTACT SUPERVISOR OR THE CLIENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM