

# SOUTH DAKOTA VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION IS HERE FOR YOU IF:

- You have a documented disability
- You need services to get into work, or retain your employment
- You want to work in a competitive job market
- You came to South Dakota Vocational Rehabilitation to discontinue receiving entitlement programs
- You are ready to make some positive choices to get your life moving in the direction of employment



## REMEMBER:

South Dakota Vocational Rehabilitation is here to help YOU take charge of your life and meet YOUR employment goal!

South Dakota Vocational Rehabilitation Services provides services without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sex, disability, ancestry or national origin.

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## WHERE CAN I GO TO APPLY FOR SERVICES?

South Dakota Vocational Rehabilitation is a state/federal program in the Division of Rehabilitation Services administered by the South Dakota Department of Human Services with offices in the following locations to serve you:

### Aberdeen

1707 4th Ave SE Suite A, 57401  
Phone/TTY 605.626.2398 or 800.439.3417

### Brookings

1310 Main Ave S, Suite 102, 57006  
Phone/TTY 605.688.4280 or 800.382.2176

### Chamberlain

320 Sorenson Dr., Suite 102, 57325  
Phone/TTY 605.734.4555 or 800.265.9677

### Huron

2361 Dakota Ave S, 57350  
Phone/TTY 605.353.7130 or 800.382.2176

### Mitchell

1321 N Main, 57301  
Phone/TTY 605.995.8072 or 800.265.9677

### Pierre

912 E Sioux Ave, 57501  
Phone/TTY 605.773.3318 or 877.873.8500

### Rapid City

2330 N Maple, Suite 2, 57701  
Phone/TTY 605.394.2261 or 800.439.8861

### Sioux Falls

811 E 10th St, Dept 21, 57103  
Phone/TTY 605.367.5330 or 800.265.9679

### Spearfish

1300 North Ave, 57783  
Phone/TTY 605.642.6817 or 800.439.8861

### Watertown

2001 9th Ave SW, Suite 200, 57201  
Phone/TTY 605.882.5150 or 866.261.9261

### Yankton

3113 Spruce St, Suite 128, 57078  
Phone/TTY 605.668.3050 or 800.265.9677

South Dakota

## VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION SERVICES

We are here to help you  
on your journey  
to SUCCESS!

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ASSISTING INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES TO OBTAIN EMPLOYMENT, ECONOMIC SELF-SUFFICIENCY, PERSONAL INDEPENDENCE AND FULL INCLUSION TO SOCIETY

## WHAT IS VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION?

We are the state agency that helps people with disabilities to become employees in the South Dakota competitive workforce.

South Dakota Vocational Rehabilitation Services is a leader in providing disability related services to assist people with employment opportunities.

## HOW DO I QUALIFY FOR SOUTH DAKOTA VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION?

To receive South Dakota Vocational Rehabilitation Services, you will need to complete an application. After you apply for services, documentation of your disability will be gathered. A Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor will decide if you are eligible for services. The Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor will then meet with you to discuss your disability, work history and abilities.

## HOW DOES VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION WORK?

You and your counselor will develop an Individualized Plan for Employment (IPE). This written agreement will list services that you and your counselor have decided will assist you to obtain your employment goal. You may need to share the costs of some services, but you and your counselor will talk about services before they begin.

## WHAT ARE SOME SERVICES THAT WILL BENEFIT ME?

- Evaluations  
Medical, psychological, educational, work related
- Vocational Counseling  
Adjustment to disability, planning for the future, interest assessments, disability related knowledge
- Training  
On the job training (OJT), job coaching and post secondary training programs
- Employment  
Resumes, applications, interviewing, job placement assistance
- Accommodations  
Personal support services, assistive technology, interpreters, readers, note takers, ADA, work site evaluations
- Transition services for students 16 years old and older. Services can include Project Skills, attending IEP meetings, and other school to work activities

