

Apply for Vocational Rehabilitation Services

Adult Career and Continuing Education Services-Vocational Rehabilitation (ACCES-VR) provides services to individuals who have a disability, or disabilities, that interfere with getting, keeping, or advancing in a job.

To apply or be referred for ACCES-VR services you must be:

- A person with a disability or disabilities that impact your ability to get, keep or advance in a job
- Currently present in New York State & able to work in the United States
- Available to participate in the vocational rehabilitation process

Community Information Sessions (White Plains District Office)

Reservations are required to attend a session. Please (914) 946-1313 to pre-register.

 At White Plains District Office, Every Wednesday @ 10:15 AM For other locations click <u>HERE</u>

Applying for ACCES-VR Services

Application for Services VR-04:

- Click HERE for English (or continue to page 2).
- Click <u>HERE</u> for Spanish or
- click <u>HERE</u> for additional languages

When completing the ACCES-VR Application for Services, please complete as fully as possible. <u>You must minimally provide</u>: Your Name, Address, Date of Birth, Gender, Disability(ies), Signature and Date on the application. **Only signed applications will be accepted.**

• Note: For individuals under the age of 18, or for individuals with legal guardians, the Application for Services must also include the signature of a parent or legal guardian.

Submitting Your Application

You can submit your application to ACCES-VR either by email or mail:

Email: accesvrapplications@nysed.gov

o In Email's Subject Line: Write your full name and "ACCES-VR Application"

Mail: To the address of your Local District Office, for Westchester & Rockland county residents:

WHITE PLAINS DISTRICT OFFICE:

Address: Fuentes, Ramona, District Office Manager

75 South Broadway Phone: 914-946-2683

Suite 200 Ehrenberg, Debra, Senior VR Counselor

Transition and Youth Services

Phone: 914-946-7648

General Phone: 914-946-1313 **Fax**: 914-946-1726 or 914-946-2588

White Plains, NY 10601

o District Office Locations may be found at the <u>District Office Locations webpage</u>.

Please return the completed form to:

The University of the State of New York THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Office of Adult Career and Continuing Education Services-Vocational Rehabilitation (ACCES-VR)

Application for VR Services

VR-04 (7/14)

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NAME	Last First			Middle Initial			GENDER Male Female					
If you ha	ave been known I	oy another name , e	enter here:	Last	Firs	t	Middle Initial					
HOME A	ADDRESS S	treet		Ара	artmen	t Number						
City				County SOC			AL SECURITY NUMBER					
If your MAILING ADDRESS is different than your home address, please complete the mailing address information below.												
MAILING ADDRESS Street Apartment Number												
City	State	Zip +4 Code	Cou	nty								
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Home Cell Other Home Other												
Email:_												
Race/Ethnicity-Choose ALL that apply. If left blank ACCES Will complete. If Hispanic or Latino is checked, please check additional box. American Indian or Alaska Native Asian (includes Indian Subcontinent) Black or African American Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White												
What is	your disability?		Wh	no referred you to us?		MARITAL STA	TUS: (Check Box)					
						Married	Widowed Divorced					
						Separated	Never Married					
I hereby apply for rehabilitation services: Date Signature of applicant, parent, or legal guardian.												
X (S	ign here.)											
• • • Please answer the questions below and on the back of this form. • • •												
Havava							process your application.					
Have you ever received services from ACCES-VR or its former name, the Office of Vocational and Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (VESID)?												
Are you now receiving services from one or more agencies?												
(1)												
(2)												
Describe how your disability limits your ability to work.												

What services are you seeking from ACCES-\	/R?											
Are you disabled because of a work-related in	jury?	Yes	☐ No		you a v	eteran?						
Do you use any assistive devices or aids?		☐ Yes	☐ No									
Do you have a NYS driver's license?		☐ Yes	☐ No		Are you a citizen of the United States Yes No							
Do you have a driver's license from a state oth	ner than New York?	☐ Yes	☐ No			e you legally permitted to work in						
Do you have Access to a motor vehicle?		☐ Yes	☐ No		this country? Yes No							
Do you use public transportation?		☐ Yes	☐ No		Check the benefits you now receive: ☐ SSI ☐ SSDI ☐ Workers Compen							
Are you able to leave your home?		☐ Yes	☐ No		Other, specify							
Do you regularly see a doctor or clinic about your disability? Yes No If yes, indicate date of last visit: Please provide the name and address of doctor(s) and clinic(s): (1) (2)												
List the highest grade you have successfully completed: and check the applicable box(es) GED or High School Equivalency Diploma Yes NoCollegeGraduate SchoolDoctorate												
Special Education Yes No Do you now attend high school? Yes No Indicate college degree(s) earned:												
Name and address of school you last attended: Name of School Address												
List below other people in your household												
Full Name						Their Relationship to You						
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Persons applying for or receiving rehabilitation services have the right to have any actions or decisions of this Office reviewed. A description of the review process and form can be obtained from any ACCES-VR District Office.

All information will be kept confidential and is subject to verification.

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