



RECRUITMENT, EDUCATION, TRAINING & CONSULTATION

Contact a Vocational Rehabilitation Services Employment Specialist

Our goal is to connect your business with qualified job seekers, saving you time and money. Vocational Rehabilitation Services (VRS) offers a wealth of expertise and experience to assist businesses with creative strategies to recruit and retain skilled workers with disabilities. Our talent pool ranges from entry-level to experienced professional. And, we charge no fees . . . ever.

FEATURED SERVICES AND BENEFITS

Recruitment

Prescreened and qualified talent pool; candidate matching based on your business needs; tap into a skilled, dependable and diverse workforce; our talent pool ranges from entry-level to experienced professionals.

Financial Incentives

Access to individualized On-the-Job Training & Job Tryout funds — cost reimbursements to your business for providing employment opportunities to new employees. Resources for Work Opportunity Tax Credit; Disability Access Credit; and Barrier Removal Tax Deduction.

Education and Training

Customized training for your business regarding employment and disability-related topics; creative strategies for effective recruitment and retention of a diverse workforce; ADA and Section 503 information.

Consultation

Professional staff available to provide technical assistance with your employment and disability-related questions.

Job Coaching

Individualized training to maximize initial skill development and enhance successful employment provided to employees recruited through a VRS Employment Specialist.

Accessibility

Assistance to identify job accommodations, job restructuring, worksite modifications or current barriers to the employment and advancement of qualified persons with disabilities.

Follow-Up

Interactive communication between the VRS Employment Specialist and your business to ensure long-term success after hiring a new employee.

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