



**Partner Cross Training Reference: Illinois Department of Human Services
Division of Rehabilitation (DRS)**

Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) – Assists persons with disabilities in achieving employment, self sufficiency and independence

Eligibility:

- Must have a physical or mental impairment impacting employment
- Individual desires to go to work
- Requires VR services to secure, retain or regain employment

Services:

- Training Services
- Placement Services
- Restorative Services
- Counseling and Guidance
- Information and Referral

Home Services (HSP) - Provides services to individuals with significant disabilities so they can remain in their homes independently.

Eligibility:

- Imminent risk of health care facility placement
- Severe disability lasting at least 12 months or life
- Requires services with cost the same or less than nursing home services
- Under age 60 at application Resident of Illinois and U.S. citizen or legal resident with a Physician's approval of initial care plan
- Less than \$17,500 in non-exempt assets for customers 18 or older or \$35,000 in family assets for customers under age 18
- Apply and cooperate with the Medicaid process

Services:

- Personal Assistants(PA),Homemaker Services, Maintenance Home Health
- 24 hour Electronic Home Response, Adult Daycare, Home-Delivered Meals



JB Pritzker, Governor

Illinois Department of Human Services

Grace B. Hou, Secretary

Bureau of Blind Services (BBS)- Assists adults who are blind or visually impaired rediscover their independence.

Services:

- Training Services
- Placement Services
- Restorative Services
- Counseling and Guidance
- Information and Referral
- Orientation and Mobility

Contacting DRS:

- www.drs.illinois.gov/success
- 1-877-761-9780

Local Office Locations and Phone Numbers:

currently not open to the public/not accepting walk-ins, but services continue remotely

- Peoria DRS, One Technology Plaza, 211 Fulton, Suite 207, Peoria, IL 61602
309/671-8580
- Pekin DRS, Sunset Plaza, 2970 Court Street, Pekin, IL 61554 **309/353-5996**
- Bloomington DRS, 207 S. Prospect Rd., Suite 4, Bloomington, IL 61704
309/662-1347