

ACVREP NEWSLETTER – FEBRUARY 13, 2007

ACVREP – Academy for Certification of Vision Rehabilitation and Education Professionals

Table of Contents:

- 1. Attention CVRTs And VRTs!!! Are You Interested In Participating In the VRT Blueprint Survey?**
- 2. Medicare Low Vision Demonstration Project Updates.**
- 3. Can You Help Us Locate The Following Individuals?**
- 4. VA Improves Services For Blinded And Low-Vision Veterans.**
- 5. AER Supports Financial Incentives For Vision Professionals Who Are Certified – Second Request.**
- 6. New Informational Website.**
- 7. Orientation & Mobility Faculty Position - Birmingham, Alabama.**
- 8. Orientation & Mobility Specialist Job Opening – Anchorage, Alaska.**
- 9. Vision Rehabilitation Therapist Job Opening – Portland, Maine.**
- 10. Blind Rehabilitation Specialist Job Opening – Minneapolis, Minnesota.**
- 11. Deaf-Blind Supervisor Job Opening – St. Louis, Missouri.**
- 12. Vision Supervisor Job Opening – St. Louis, Missouri.**
- 13. O&M Instructor Job Opening – St. Louis, Missouri.**
- 14. O&M Specialist Job Opening -Butte, Montana.**
- 15. Teacher Of The Visually Impaired Job Opening – New York, New York.**
- 16. Orientation & Mobility Job Opening – New York, New York.**
- 17. Open Positions At Clovernook Center For The Blind & Visually Impaired.**
- 18. Vision Rehabilitation Therapist (Rehabilitation Teacher) Job Opening – Madison, Wisconsin.**
- 19. Education Program Consultant/Outreach Consultant Job Opening – Cheyenne, Wyoming.**
- 20. Education Program Consultant/Outreach Consultant Job Opening – Riverton, Wyoming.**
- 21. Quote Of The Day!**

Attention CVRTs And VRTs!!! Are You Interested In Participating In the VRT Blueprint Survey?

Would you like to participate in the Vision Rehabilitation Therapy (VRT) Blueprint Survey? The Blueprint Survey is the second critical step in developing a new ACVREP VRT exam.

The first step in developing a new exam was conducting the Job Task Analysis (JTA) Workshop. Last September, we had ten (10) VRTs participate in the JTA. These individuals met for two days to discuss and itemize the major roles and responsibilities of VRTs. Now that their work is done, we want you to comment on their work. The Blueprint Survey gives you the opportunity to review their work, comment on how often

you perform a specific role or task, how important that role or task is in your job, if the JTA group missed any major roles or tasks, etc.

The Blueprint Survey will be conducted on-line and will be accessible to individuals who use Jaws or Window Eyes. The Survey will be open for two to three weeks and will take approximately one to two hours to complete. CVRTs will be given ten (10) recertification points under "Category 4 - Professional Service" if they choose to participate in the Survey.

If you have an interest in assisting ACVREP in developing a new VRT exam and would like to participate in this survey, please contact Sharon L. Mikrut at 520-887-6816 or smikrut@acvrep.org immediately. Should you choose to participate, we will forward additional information to you about when the Blueprint Survey will be conducted, and how to access and complete it.

In advance, thank you for your time and interest in helping ACVREP to develop a new VRT exam.

Medicare Low Vision Demonstration Project Updates

1. As many of you know, Bryan Gerritsen, CLVT, was under contract last year to assist us in educating ACVREP certificants, eye care physicians, organizations serving individuals who are blind or visually impaired, and the field about the Medicare Low Vision Demonstration Project. Now that Sharon Mikrut will be able to devote more time to this critical project, Bryan's contract ended December 31, 2006. On behalf of ACVREP's board of directors and staff members, I would like to thank Bryan for his time and expertise, and for doing an excellent job. I hope you will all join me in thanking Bryan for his hard work and incredible devotion to ensuring the success of this project.

2. George Theriault in New Hampshire shared the following good news: "We have just formally reached agreement with one of New Hampshire's leading eye medical practices to work together to support the demonstration project. It was a good process, developing an agreement with the doctors, developing relationships with the staff, and making sure all of our paperwork, etc. is understood and workable. Under our model, patients identified by the retinal specialists and technicians will be offered the opportunity to receive the covered services. We will develop the service plan with the patient/client, and the technicians will perform the services. The practice will bill Medicare. We will receive 80% of reimbursement, the practice 20%. The Association will subsidize aids and appliances that may be provided. Both organizations understand that supporting the demonstration project is an investment in the future that we hope will include full Medicare reimbursement." The first referrals were expected to be received by the end of January.

Can You Help Us Locate The Following Individuals?

Brenda Barnes
Joyce Brewers

Peter Dal Poggetto
Barbara Davis
Lee Duboise
Amy Edgerton
Willis Hazard Jr.
Susan Kosier
Brooke Larson
Rosie Kirksey Lawler
Mary Leveque
Christine Llewelyn
Stacey MacLeod
Loana Mason
Audrey Matheson
John McHugh
Preston McKenzie
Orrin Newby
Mary Nicklawske
Samuel Paradise
Cheryl Parise
Stanley Rudkin
Shirley Sellars
Jeffrey Smith
Sarah Stanton Witter
Noel Stephens
Diane Swanson
Julie Taylor
Vincent Van Hay
Gale Ventimiglia
Anita Villalobos

If you have any information on these individuals, please contact Sharon L. Mikrut at 520-887-6816 or smikrut@acvrep.org.

VA Improves Services For Blinded And Low-Vision Veterans

WASHINGTON (January 25, 2007) – More than a million visually impaired veterans will receive enhanced health care services from the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) under a reorganization of VA's vision rehabilitation services, Secretary of Veterans Affairs Jim Nicholson announced today.

“These veterans, many of whom had their vision damaged by their military service, have earned the best health care America can provide” Nicholson said. “Under this new plan, we can provide all eligible visually impaired veterans with world-class health care closer to their homes.”

The VA will make approximately \$40 million available during the next three years to establish a comprehensive nationwide rehabilitation system for veterans and active duty

personnel with visual impairments. The system will enhance inpatient services and expand outpatient services throughout the 1,400 locations where VA provides health care.

Under the reorganization plan, each of VA's 21 regional networks, called Veterans Integrated Service Networks or VISNs, will implement a plan to provide eye care to veterans with visual impairments ranging from 20/70 to total blindness. Basic low-vision services will be available at all VA eye clinics, and every network will offer intermediate and advanced low-vision services, including a full spectrum of optical devices and electronic visual aids.

The VA's 10 existing inpatient blind rehabilitation centers will continue to provide the Department's most intensive eye care programs, but each VISN now will also provide outpatient-based blind rehabilitation care.

"We intend to ensure that our visually impaired patients receive appropriate care and the latest technological devices at the right time and in the best setting to meet their needs" said Dr. Michael J. Kussman, VA's Acting Under Secretary for Health. "Our goal will be early intervention, so that we can maximize the independence of these veterans and substantially reduce their dependence on their families and communities."

The VA estimates there are more than 1 million visually impaired veterans over the age of 45 in the United States. Within this group, approximately 157,000 are legally blind, and 1,026,000 have low vision. About 80 percent of all visually impaired veterans have a progressive disability caused by age-related macular degeneration, glaucoma, or diabetic retinopathy.

AER Supports Financial Incentives For Vision Professionals Who Are Certified – Second Request

Does being ACVREP certified mean additional compensation for you? Does your employer support your continuing education needs or requirements by paying for courses? AER wants to know! Support AER Resolution Number 2006-6, Recruitment and Equitable Reimbursement of Vision Rehabilitation Therapists, by helping us gather valuable data. Take the 3-Second Survey found on AER's web site (<http://www.aerbvi.org/modules.php?name=News&file=article&sid=976>). Survey results will be published in a future issue of AER Report. Thank you for your input!

Lorna Frazier-Lindsey
Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired
1703 North Beauregard Street, Suite 440
Alexandria, VA 22311
877-492-2708 ext. 202
703-671-4500 ext. 202
703-671-6391 fax
www.aerbvi.org

New Informational Website

My name is Chris Glavin and I run a website devoted to providing resourceful information for a number of topics in education and disorders. I have created a wonderful page on Blindness including causes, adaptive techniques, tools, Social Attitudes towards Blindness, Organizations, Support Services, Books, Videos, Magazines, Products, Software, Mailing Lists and a community discussion list for the visual impairment. Please take a moment out of your day to visit the page. If you would like to help in any way, please do not hesitate to contact me. I am always looking for individuals interested in providing articles and resources for Blindness. The website is <http://www.k12academics.com/blind.htm>.

Orientation & Mobility Faculty Position - Birmingham, Alabama

The Department of Vision Sciences at The University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) invites applications for a Research Assistant Professor, non-tenure earning faculty position. Candidates with expertise in O&M training are especially requested to apply.

This position in the Department of Vision Sciences will have responsibility for educational research and training in O&M training for persons with low vision, blindness and deaf-blindness. Courses in O&M and Visual Impairment education will lead to O&M professional national certification. Research activities will involve community issues related to vision loss. Grant writing, grant administration, coordination of projects related to vision education and research, and supervision of staff and students is required.

Candidates must possess a PhD with Master's degree level training in O&M. Experience with community programs in low vision, with research, and with publications is desired.

Applicants should send their curriculum vitae and the names of three references to:

Dr. Paul D. R. Gamlin, Chair
Department of Vision Sciences
University of Alabama at Birmingham
924 South 18th Street
Birmingham, AL 35294-4390
E-mail: pgamlin@uab.edu

Orientation & Mobility Specialist Job Opening – Anchorage, Alaska

The Alaska Center for the Blind & Visually Impaired is looking for the right O&M professional who would like to explore a big life in wild Alaska. The position is headquartered in Anchorage with the opportunity to travel in-state. We are a small organization with a wonderful staff (great team) and openings for creativity and variety. The position starts at \$42,000 for a certified staff person. There is generous leave & holidays and fully paid health insurance. Low vision certification is desirable.

This really is a wonderful place to live! The wilderness is 20 minutes away from downtown, there is a lively performing arts season, gardens, culturally diverse citizenry, good restaurants, and Nordstrom.

For more information, contact:
Karla Jutzi, Executive Director
Alaska Center for the Blind & Visually Impaired
3903 Taft Dr., Anchorage, AK 99517-3069
907 248-7770, x100, or 800 770 7517
Fax: 248-7517, www.AlaskaBVI.org

Vision Rehabilitation Therapist Job Opening – Portland, Maine

The Iris Network has a job opening for a full-time (37.5 hours per week) Vision Rehabilitation Therapist. The position is based in Southern Maine.

Qualifications: The Vision Rehabilitation Therapist shall have a Master's degree in Vision Rehabilitation Therapy (formerly Rehabilitation Teaching) and be ACVREP certified or eligible for certification; or a Bachelor's degree in Rehabilitation Teaching with two years related experience and be ACVREP certified or eligible for certification; or a Master's degree or Bachelor's degree in Rehabilitation Counseling, Special Education, Social Work, Sociology, or related field may be considered due to the national shortage of trained specialized staff, if the individual can become ACVREP certified.

Duties: To work with people who are visually impaired and blind in assessing needs and developing a rehabilitation plan; to teach independent living and low vision skills to individuals or to small groups and to provide information on obtaining adaptive materials; to provide information and counseling, serve as an advocate, and make referrals to other agencies for support services; to prepare and maintain case records in a professional manner; to work within the requirements of the funding source contracts; to serve as a resource, providing information and public education within the community; to participate in the establishment and implementation of department program development; and to accept and perform other duties as assigned, which specifically relate to the professional role and responsibilities of rehabilitation professional.

Contact: Send resume and cover letter to Sherry MacKinnon, Vice President, Program Services, smackinnon@theiris.org, or 189 Park Avenue, Portland, ME 04102.

Blind Rehabilitation Specialist Job Opening – Minneapolis, Minnesota

Announcement: 07201
Pay Plan: GS 601 series
Target Grade: 12
Closes: 2/28/07
Tour of Duty FT Mon-Fri (coverage for off-tour required)
Special Comments: Bargaining Unit, Non Drug Testing

Service: Extended Care & Rehabilitation PSL
Section: Polytrauma
Area of Consideration: VAMC Minneapolis

Major Duties: Incumbent will work closely with the polytrauma rehabilitation team, participating in the rehabilitation of a population whose rehabilitation is complicated by multiple injuries, including traumatic brain injury, amputations, or orthopedic injuries for example. Incumbent must be able to adjust rehabilitation techniques to meet the unique needs of these younger, more active patients. Incumbent will be responsible to manage and provide direct blind rehabilitation training services to eligible beneficiaries. The incumbent identifies, assesses, trains, manages, and provides follow up for patients using clinical resources of the facility; uses objective and subjective assessment tools and methods requiring broadly based advanced knowledge in low vision orientation and mobility, living skills teaching, manual skills and other associated disciplines; develops an individualized rehabilitation training plan for each client with rehabilitation potential; makes use of a wide variety of complex training aids and devices; provides case management for all patients while under his/her treatment; provides effective patient counseling in the psychosocial adjustments to blindness as an integral component of the work to assist the client in achieving a greater acceptance of blindness and the blind rehabilitation process; creates local policies, projecting and administering budgets; must be familiar with computers in order to write reports, document workload, schedule clients and maintain the database. The incumbent will impact assessments to clients' unique medical, physical, and psychosocial needs including environmental considerations and has substantial accountability for promoting program effectiveness, modification of service delivery patterns and promoting acceptance of the program; and interaction with a large interdisciplinary treatment team.

Qualifications: At the GS-12 level, must have at least one year of specialized experience equivalent to at least GS-11. Specialized experience is experience which is directly related to the position to be filled and which has equipped the candidate with the particular knowledge, skills, and abilities to perform successfully the duties of the position. At the GS-12 level, must have one year at the GS-11 level in Federal service in order to meet time-in-grade requirements. If education is to be substituted for experience, transcripts must be on file in the official personnel folder (OPF) or submitted with application in order to receive credit. To be filled at the GS-12 level. Special considerations notes: This position is in the Excepted Service (Partial Title 38). Must have current O&M and low vision certification. Submit VA Form 4676a to Human Resources Management Service (05) no later than 4:30 p.m. of the closing date of the announcement.

Rating Factors:

1. Ability to teach and train in blind rehabilitation disciplines.
2. Ability to organize, coordinate, and manage the activities of the Blind Rehabilitation Program.
3. Knowledge of the blind rehabilitation process, which includes appropriate consultation and interaction with a large interdisciplinary treatment team.

4. Ability to use the assessment techniques in skill areas (orientation/mobility, living skills, low vision, manual skills, computer access training) to determine the rehabilitation needs of the blinded veteran patients.
5. Ability to provide counseling to blinded veterans concerning blindness related issues.
6. Knowledge of rehabilitation principles related to traumatic brain injury, amputation and polytrauma patients.
7. Ability to apply blind rehabilitation principles to younger, active patients with complex injuries affecting their rehabilitation.

Application Process: please refer to www.usajobs.opm.gov

Deaf-Blind Supervisor Job Opening – St. Louis, Missouri

There is a Deaf-blind Supervisor position open at the Missouri School for the Blind. This is a twelve-month position providing statewide outreach services to stakeholders addressing the educational needs of deaf-blind children. Duties: develop, coordinate, and deliver technical assistance, professional development, and inter-agency collaboration activities; and assist the Outreach Director in fulfilling the requirements of a deaf-blind technical assistance grant. Qualifications: Master's degree in special education, vision rehabilitation and/or hearing rehabilitation; and two years experience in each: teaching/assessing deaf-blind students; developing/coordinating workshops; and using the various communication modes used by deaf-blind individuals. Submit resume to Human Resources, Missouri School for the Blind, 3815 Magnolia Ave., St. Louis, Missouri 63110; fax 314-772-1561; or cflynn@msb.k12.mo.us.

Vision Supervisor Job Opening – St. Louis, Missouri

There is a Vision Supervisor position open at the Missouri School for the Blind. This is a twelve-month position providing statewide outreach services to stakeholders addressing the educational needs of blind/VI children. Duties: develop, coordinate, and deliver FVAs; work with the APH Supervisor; provide training; coordinate mentoring activities; and provide O&M services. Qualifications: Bachelor's, with Master's preferred, with vision education certification or ACVREP O&M certification complete. Experience teaching/assessing blind/VI students and Missouri State Teacher Certification in VI/blind. Submit resume to Human Resources, Missouri School for the Blind, 3815 Magnolia Ave., St. Louis, Missouri 63110; fax 314-772-1561; or cflynn@msb.k12.mo.us.

O&M Instructor Job Opening – St. Louis, Missouri

There is an O&M Instructor position open at the Missouri School for the Blind. Duties: serve as part of a multi-disciplinary team to determine O&M eligibility for students with visual impairments; design and provide instruction in the school building, community and in the dormitory for each assigned student; work with classroom teachers, on-site staff, parents and student to implement IEP specified modifications/accommodations; document student progress on IEP goals; and communicate progress to all IEP team members, including parents, on regular basis. Qualifications: Bachelor's, with Master's

preferred, from an accredited college or university with specialization in O&M. Current certification in O&M issued by ACVREP or be eligible to take the exam to be certified. Submit resume by fax, mail, or email to Missouri School for the Blind, 3815 Magnolia Ave., St. Louis, MO 63110. Fax: 314-772-1561. Email: cflynn@msb.k12.mo.us.

O&M Specialist Job Opening -Butte, Montana

Butte Blind & Low Vision Services has an immediate full-time opening for an O&M Specialist. This person will instruct and train consumers who are blind or visually impaired in the use of various techniques to ensure safe, efficient and independent travel. Must have a Bachelor's degree in O&M from a certified university and meet requirements for a Certified O&M Specialist. Must also have at least 3 months experience as an O&M instructor but will accept students in an O&M program who need to complete their internship for a degree. Will also accept applicants for traineeship if they have a Bachelor's degree and are willing to commit to obtaining a Master's degree in O&M.

For more information, contact:
Melanie Beagle
Butte Blind & Low Vision Services
700 Casey Street; Suite B
Butte, MT 59701
Phone: 1-888-279-7531
Fax: (406) 782-8728

Teacher Of The Visually Impaired Job Opening – New York, New York

The Lighthouse International has a job opening for a Teacher of the Visually Impaired in their Child Development Center.

Job Summary: The Teacher of the Visually Impaired will be responsible for teaching students with vision impairments and multiple disabilities in a self-contained classroom. In addition to teaching, the teacher will supervise teacher aides, write lessons, and create and utilize visual adaptations in the Child Development Center.

Requirements: Must have a NYS Certification in Blind and Visually Impaired. Experience working with pediatrics preferred.

Send resume with cover letter, including salary requirements, to Human Resources, P155, Lighthouse International, 111 East 59th Street, NY, NY, 10022. Jobs@lighthouse.org. Fax (212) 821-9708.

Orientation & Mobility Job Opening – New York, New York

The Lighthouse International has a job opening for an Orientation and Mobility Specialist in their Child Development Center.

Job Summary: The Orientation and Mobility Specialist will work with children in the Early Intervention or Preschool (2-5 years old). Responsibilities will include adapted sighted guide, trailing, cane use, etc.

Requirements: Must have ACVREP certification as an Orientation and Mobility Specialist or equivalent. Must also be cleared for fingerprinting and State Central Register for Child Abuse clearance. Three years experience in early childhood preferred.

Send resume with cover letter, including salary requirements, to Human Resources, P154, Lighthouse International, 111 East 59th Street, NY, NY, 10022. Jobs@lighthouse.org. Fax (212) 821-9708.

Open Positions At Clovernook Center For The Blind & Visually Impaired

Clovernook Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired was founded in 1903. Today, 103 years later, Clovernook provides comprehensive rehabilitation services, including training and support for independent living, orientation and mobility instruction, vocational training, job placement, counseling, recreation, and youth services in two locations, Cincinnati, Ohio and Memphis, Tennessee. We are dedicated to promoting independence and fostering the highest quality of life for people with visual impairments, including those with additional disabilities.

Low Vision Clinic Coordinator Job Opening - Cincinnati, Ohio

This position coordinates all clinical and instructional aspects of Clovernook's low vision services. Provides direct support to the clients, optometrists, ophthalmologists and staff to ensure the provision of comprehensive, seamless, and client centered vision rehabilitation services as part of Clovernook's overall rehabilitation program. Serves as lead low vision therapist in conducting low vision assessments, examinations, and follow-up training. Candidate must have valid certification as a Low Vision Therapist or be actively pursuing certification.

Orientation & Mobility Specialist Job Opening - Memphis, Tennessee

This position provides evaluation and instruction to clients in the Memphis area. Must possess a valid certificate in Orientation and Mobility from ACVREP or be actively pursuing certification. Individual must be able to document and maintain grammatically correct records/reports, provide blindness awareness to the community and be proficient in P/C skills. Responsibilities also include performing visual assessments, accompanying consumers to the low vision clinic, and instructing individuals on the use of low vision near and distance aids. Also conducts functional low vision assessments as needed.

Camp Coordinator Job Opening - Memphis, Tennessee

The Camp Coordinator plans and supervises all activities, including an overnight excursion, related to the day camp in Memphis. Our camp is open for children in the 7th-12th grade who are blind or visually impaired. The camp runs for 2 three-week sessions, including one week for technology instruction. The position also includes interviewing parents/camper for intake and assisting in the planning and coordinating for a Transition Weekend for graduating seniors.

Candidates must possess experience in working with adolescents, preferably those who are blind or visually impaired, have proficient computer skills, maintain grammatically correct records/reports, and have experience working with adaptive technology. Camp Coordinator position will work part-time (10-15 hrs/wk) during the months of March-May and September and then will be full-time (40 hrs/wk) during the months of June-August.

A post-offer, pre-employment drug screening and background check is required, along with a valid driver's license with no more than 5 points on driving record, and an insured, reliable car available for on the job use is required for all positions..

Interested candidates may submit a resume and cover letter to Clovernook Center for the Blind & Visually Impaired, 7000 Hamilton Ave., Cincinnati OH 45231, fax 513-728-6229, or email kweaver@clovernook.org .

Vision Rehabilitation Therapist (Rehabilitation Teacher) Job Opening – Madison, Wisconsin

The Wisconsin Council of the Blind & Visually Impaired has an immediate opening for a full time rehabilitation teacher, working with adults (with primary focus on older adults). Duties include assessing and evaluating the needs and abilities of individuals with impaired vision for meeting immediate needs related to independent living; developing individualized rehabilitation lessons, teaching adaptive skills needed for independent living in areas of personal care, household management, communication, education, leisure activities, and use of low vision aids; writing monthly reports; attending staff meetings; making community awareness and education presentations and teaching in group settings as well as individually. This position is primarily itinerant.

Qualifications: ACVREP certification (CVRT) or certification within one year of hire preferred. Bachelor's degree or higher from an accredited college or university required. Excellent communication and computer skills needed with knowledge of Outlook, Word and Excel. Experience or interest in working with blind or visually impaired older adults required. Recent graduates welcome to apply.

Additional Information

Wisconsin Council of the Blind and Visually Impaired is a private, non-profit organization serving blind and visually impaired adults for over 55 years. Excellent benefits with a competitive salary based on experience and education. E-mail resume

with salary history (required) to address below. No phone calls please. E-mail (only) cover letter, resume and salary history to:

employment@wcbblind.org

Karen V. Majkrzak

Executive Director

Website: www.wcbblind.org

Education Program Consultant/Outreach Consultant Job Opening – Cheyenne, Wyoming

Services for the Visually Impaired, Department of Education, is looking for an Education Program Consultant (Class Code:ED12-10105).

Minimum Qualifications: Any combination of training and experience equivalent to a Master's degree in an educational area, PLUS three years of professional work experience as a classroom teacher, school administrator or managing an educational program. Confers with and advises school district officials and staff as to appropriate procedures, standards and practices required in educational programs for individuals with visual loss; confers with governmental and other organizations to inform them of services for individuals with visual loss provided by the state; examines, reviews and evaluates programs for individuals with visual loss offered by local school districts and other organizations; trains clients, school districts and organizations in the proper use of adaptive materials and equipment; participates in child study committee deliberations as a qualified professional in the areas of blindness and visual loss; and participates in Individual Education Plan (IEP) meetings.

Pay is \$3,319 - \$4,708 per month.

For more information or to apply online go to:

<http://statejobs.state.wy.us/JobSearchDetail.asp?ID=10105> or submit an official application to A&I Human Resources Division, Emerson Building, 2001 Capitol Avenue, Cheyenne, WY 82002-0060, (307)777-7188, Fax (307)777-6562 along with transcripts of any relevant course work.

Education Program Consultant/Outreach Consultant Job Opening – Riverton, Wyoming

Services for the Visually Impaired, Department of Education, is looking for an Education Program Consultant (Class Code:ED12-10925).

Minimum Qualifications: Any combination of training and experience equivalent to a Master's degree in an educational area, PLUS three years of professional work experience as a classroom teacher, school administrator or managing an educational program. Confers with and advises school district officials and staff as to appropriate procedures, standards and practices required in educational programs for individuals with visual loss;

confers with governmental and other organizations to inform them of services for individuals with visual loss provided by the state; examines, reviews and evaluates programs for individuals with visual loss offered by local school districts and other organizations; trains clients, school districts and organizations in the proper use of adaptive materials and equipment; participates in child study committee deliberations as a qualified professional in the areas of blindness and visual loss; and participates in Individual Education Plan (IEP) meetings.

Hiring Range: (\$3,556.00 - \$4,253.00 per month).

For more information or to apply online, go to:

<http://statejobs.state.wy.us/JobSearchDetail.aspx?ID=10925> or submit an official application to A&I Human Resources Division, Emerson Building, 2001 Capitol Avenue, Cheyenne, WY 82002-0060, (307)777-7188, Fax (307)777-6562, along with transcripts of any relevant course work.

Quote Of The Day!

“No one can figure out your worth but you.” – Pearl Bailey