

# VOC REHAB QUICK GUIDE

## VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

In the United States Virgin Islands, the Department of Human Services (DHS) Division of Disabilities and Rehabilitation Services provides Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) services to eligible individuals with disabilities who want to enter the work force or return to work. VR program is designed to assess, plan, develop, and provide VR services consistent with each individual's strength, resources, priorities, concerns, abilities, capabilities, and interest.

If your answer is YES to the following three questions, you may qualify for VR services and you do have a right to submit a written application.

This guide answers basic questions regarding the application and assessment process.

**DO I HAVE A DISABILITY?**

**AM I HAVING DIFFICULTY FINDING OR KEEPING A JOB  
BECAUSE OF MY DISABILITY?**

**DO I WANT TO WORK OR CONTINUE WORKING?**

## DOCUMENTS NEEDED AT THE INITIAL MEETING

- Valid picture identification (i.e. school ID, driver's license, passport, permanent resident card)
- Social Security Card
- Insurance, Medicaid, and/or Medicare card(s)
- Documentation verifying disability (i.e. medical and/or academic records)

## VR TIMELINE

**60 Days for  
Application/Assessment**

**30 Days to determine  
eligibility**

For more information,  
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