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Are you visually impaired or legally blind?

The Visual Impairment Services Team (VIST) works with Veterans who are blind. VIST also works with Veterans with severe visual impairments.

Purpose

Legal blindness (or severe low vision) affects every aspect of life. VIST is designed to improve the quality of life for Veterans with vision loss. VIST makes sure Veterans learn about the services and programs that will help them adjust to living with sight loss.

VIST’s mission is to help Veterans develop the skills needed for personal independence. VIST also helps Veterans with adjustment and reintegration into their community and families.

Veterans may be eligible for care even when their sight loss is not related to active duty service.