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Need Interpretation?

Reciba nuestra ayuda en su idioma. Llame al 612-334-5970.

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Peb hais koj hom lus pab koj. Hu 612-334-5970.

Tell us if you need this information in another format.

Contact the Minnesota Disability Law Center

Call

Statewide: 1-800-292-4150 Metro: 612-334-5970

- Email mndlc@mylegalaid.org
- Visit
 https://mylegalaid.org/our-work/disability-law







Client Assistance Project

Connecting Minnesotans with Disabilities to Rehabilitation Services

Our Mission

The Client Assistance Project (CAP) is a state-wide project of Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid's Disability Law Center. We help, support and advocate for people getting rehabilitation services. We help people struggling to navigate the rehabilitation system.

What we do

We can help, if you:

- have been turned down for services from Vocational Rehabilitation (VR)
 State Services for the Blind (SSB) or Centers for Independent Living (CIL).
- think the process is taking too long.
- are having trouble with their counselors.
- had your case closed without your consent.
- are a student with a disability who is not getting needed VR services.
- need help re-writing your rehabilitation plan.

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Your Rights

- Apply and be evaluated for VRS, SSB or CIL Services.
- Develop a written plan that meets your needs.
- Your privacy is protected.
- Appeal VRS, SSB or CIL decisions.
- Ask for advice from CAP.

Your Responsibilities

- You must first try to get services from Vocational Rehabilitation, State Services for the Blind or a Center for Independent Living
- Tell your counselor about changes that affect your services.
- Ask questions, if you do not understand.



Frequently Asked Questions

What is the Vocational Rehabilitation System?

The Vocational Rehabilitation system was created by the State of Minnesota. It provides job training and independent living services to people with disabilities. The Vocational Rehabilitation system is made up of these state agencies:

- State Services for the Blind
- Vocational Rehabilitation Services
- Centers for Independent Living

Is the Client Assistance Project a state agency?

No, we are not a state agency. CAP is a state-wide project of the Minnesota Disability Law Center of Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid. We help clients navigate our state's rehabilitation systems.

Can anyone get services from CAP?

Anyone with a qualifying disability who is getting services from VR/SSB/CIL services can call CAP.