



Serving Pasco, Hernando & Citrus

The mission of the Lighthouse is to educate, empower and employ people who are visually impaired and blind.

Welcome to the Lighthouse

The Lighthouse provides vision rehabilitation programs and services to visually impaired people of all ages, from babies to seniors.

Vision impairment impacts all aspects of a person's life, including education, employment, daily living, social & recreational activities, and the ability to care for oneself and one's family.

There are almost 27,000 visually impaired people living in Pasco, Hernando, and Citrus Counties.





Lighthouse training programs and services are designed to help people living with vision impairment meet the challenge of vision loss, and lead safe, independent, and productive lives.

Individual and group training is provided by qualified instructors, at the Lighthouse, in the community, and by conference call. Several activities have been added to our programs to reduce isolation. Lighthouse instructors are educated and experienced with teaching adaptive skills and assistive technology in the field of vision impairment.

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Lighthouse Programs

Babies, Children & Teens

Early Intervention (birth to 5 years of age)

The Early Intervention Blind Babies Program works with young children and their parents to develop sensory abilities, concept development, and adaptive skills, so young children are able to meet their unique developmental milestones.

Children's Program (5-13 years of age)

Children develop adaptive skills in daily living, technology, pre-employment, and recreation.



& Services

Teen's Pre-Employment Transition Program (14-22 years of age)

Teens develop essential skills for transitioning into adult life, employment, and higher education. Training includes job readiness, daily living, computers, technology, orientation & mobility (white cane/safe movement), recreation, socializing, and supervised work experiences.

Adults & Seniors

Adaptive Independent Living Skills Training and Adjustment to Vision Loss Counseling

Adults and seniors develop skills as needed for shopping, cooking, cleaning, home organization, medication management, fall prevention, safe movement, white cane, braille, computer, mobile devices, and assistive technology. "Passages," support groups, and social activities are also provided.



Vocational Rehabilitation, Job Readiness, and Employment Programs

Individuals of working age learn adaptive daily living skills, use of computers and assistive technology, orientation & mobility, job readiness training, counseling, and job placement services.

New at the Lighthouse:

- The Sensory Garden (NPR)
- NuEyes Low Vision Solutions/Low Vision Clinic (NPR)
- Passages Adjustment to Vision Loss (both offices)

Ways You Can Help

- Donate
- Volunteer
- Join our Annual Giving Programs
- Buy batteries and trash can liners from the Lighthouse to support workers who are visually impaired and blind

To learn about other ways you can help, please visit:

www.lvib.org/get-involved/ways-to-give/

Donations are used in the communities where they are received or you can designate your donations for the preferred program.



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