# Arkansas Rehabilitation

### Services



#### What is Arkansas Rehabilitation Services?

Arkansas Rehabilitation Services' (ARS) mission is to prepare Arkansans with disabilities to work and lead productive and independent lives.

To achieve its mission, ARS provides a variety of training and career preparation programs. We have 19 field offices across the state serving all 75 counties where individuals can receive assistance with accessibility and training needs that can lead to successful employment.

## What services are available through Arkansas Rehabilitation Services? <u>Pre-Employment Transition Services</u>

Arkansas Rehabilitation Services (ARS) works to provide opportunities for Rehabilitation counselors and schools to develop partnerships in an effort to prepare high school students with disabilities the knowledge, skills, and abilities to achieve successful transition from high school to post-secondary life.

The Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) Transition Counselor works with students, teachers, principals, and other appointed school staff, as well as, families and community resources. Together they coordinate services and develop programs with the intent to improve and provide quality post-school outcomes through student engagement in Vocational Rehabilitation programs.

### **Adult Vocational Rehabilitation Services**

ARS Field Services include career and technical education and training, transition from school to work or postsecondary education, on-the-job training, and ancillary support services that clients may need to obtain and/or maintain competitive employment.

Please contact the field office nearest you to set up an appointment for an initial interview with a Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor (VRC). The VRC will assist you with obtaining the necessary assessments, if appropriate, to determine eligibility.

Arkansas Rehabilitation Services (ARS) provides services to individuals with disabilities. Referrals are accepted from any resource.

### **How do I contact ARS?**

To contact ARS Services, call 501-296-1600 or

visit their website here: https://arkansastransition.com/

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