

Affordable Dentures

Affordable Dentures have local sites that provide dental services, extractions, dentures and implants at a lower, more affordable cost with different payment options. Call 1-800-DENTURE or visit www.affordabledentures.com for more information about local offices and pricing.

WV Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

The mission of the West Virginia Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (WVCDHH) is to advocate for, develop, and coordinate public policies, regulations, and programs to assure full and equal opportunity for persons who are deaf and hard of hearing in West Virginia. Services include:

- Telephonic Communication Device Loan Program

- Accessible Smoke Alarm Program

- Hearing Aids

The commission is located at 1900 Kanawha Boulevard East, Building 6, Room 863, Charleston, WV, 25305; local phone, 304-400-6959; toll free, 866-461-3578; website,

www.wvdhhr.org/wvcdhh.

VISIONS

VISIONS is a statewide independent living program for seniors with vision loss coordinated by the West Virginia Division of Rehabilitation Services.

You may be eligible if: You are a West Virginian, age 55 or older, you do not work and you have a permanent visual impairment that affects daily living activities such as reading mail, using the phone, cooking, shopping, socializing and more.

- Services are provided in your local community and may include:

- Instruction in alternative ways to perform tasks affected by vision loss

- Alternative home organization techniques

- Help you safely and effectively manage your medications

- Refer you for other services, such as Talking Book services and free directory assistance

- Help you connect with community activities

- Provide resources for adaptive aids and more

Visit wvdrs.org or call

1-800-642-3021.

Cabell-Wayne Association for the Blind

CWAB offers services such as transportation, technology assistance, vision rehabilitation, and recreation. For more information, contact CWAB by phone at 304-522-6991 or their website www.cwab.org; or visit the office at 38 Washington Ave., Huntington, WV 25701.

Lions Club

The Lions Club OneSight program is committed to improving the vision of the less fortunate, and offers education, outreach, and of course free prescription eyeglasses to those who qualify, including children. Assistance is provided by Lions Clubs for the needy who are hearing or visually impaired, blind, or who are faced with similar medical conditions. This non-profit organization operates across the nation and also worldwide, and it has helped millions of low-income and less-fortunate families over the years. Your local Lions Club organization will be able to advise people on and possibly offer individuals assistance for the purchase of hearing

aids or eyeglasses. Visit www.lionsclubs.org for more information on a branch in your area.

Miracle Ear Foundation

Miracle-Ear® is committed to helping underserved people with hearing loss and giving them the gift of sound. Eligibility requirements are designed to reach those who need help most. In order to qualify for their program:

- Applicants must have a hearing loss that requires amplification (hearing aids).

- Applicants must verify there are no other resources available, including but not limited to: insurance, state Medicaid program, VA or vocational rehab, state or local programs, and other charity sources.

- Applicant's total household income must be at or below 200% of the federal poverty guidelines and demonstrate personal inability to financially provide for hearing health.

Please call 877-403-8834 or review the application link on their site at www.miracle-ear.com.