



# Blind & Vision Rehabilitation Services of Pittsburgh

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## **Blind & Vision Rehabilitation Services Offers Evening Hours**

Starting in October, Blind & Vision Rehabilitation Services of Pittsburgh's low vision program will have evening appointments available on Tuesdays at our Homestead office, 1800 West Street. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call 412-368-4400.

BVRS's low vision program provides services to people who have some usable vision. Our specially trained optometrist performs an exam to determine the person's level of vision, and then prescribes optical aids designed to maximize remaining eyesight. The new hours are Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Tuesday 8:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., and Friday 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

## **MORE ABOUT BVRS**

Blind & Vision Rehabilitation Services of Pittsburgh, a 101-year-old private nonprofit, has been a leader in programs and services for people of all ages who are blind, vision impaired or have other disabilities. We believe in independence through rehabilitation. Our mission is to change the lives of persons with vision loss and other disabilities by fostering independence and individual choice.

We offer comprehensive and personalized computer instruction, employment and vocational services, personal adjustment to blindness and deaf blindness training, independence skill building, in-home instruction, and low vision services for persons with vision loss. BVRS is a United Way Agency of Excellence in Health and Human Services formerly known as Pittsburgh Vision Services of Oakland and Bridgeville, and is accredited by The National Accreditation Council for Agencies Serving People with Blindness or Vision Impairments (NAC).

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