

Vocational Assessments

Easter Seals offers individualized and comprehensive vocational assessments conducted by a career and placement professional.

Benefits of a Vocational Assessment

- Provides a roadmap for students and schools to use when planning for appropriate and realistic employment goals
- Helps schools and adult service agencies better understand the vocational interests of students and provide more streamlined services
- Determine vocational strengths and needs to better prepare students for employment after high school

Outcomes of a Vocational Assessment

- Diagnostic interviews with student to assess transferable skills, interests, and potential barriers to employment
- Realistic vocational recommendations are based on a series of assessment tools, including aptitude testing, skills assessments, interests inventories, situational assessments, and computer assessments
- Objective behavioral observations are based on job readiness/work place behaviors
- Employment and training recommendations take into account expressed and tested interests, transferable skills, needed skills, and potential accommodations; labor market analysis prioritizes feasible career options along with required training/schooling

Choosing Easter Seals

- Easter Seals staff is professional, qualified, and offers flexible scheduling to meet the needs of students and schools
- Easter Seals assists clients by identifying career options that complement their strengths, interests, and skill-sets
- Easter Seals assists schools in developing and implementing appropriate and measurable postsecondary goals for the students

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