

WASHINGTON-SARATOGA-WARREN-HAMILTON-ESSEX BOCES
EXCEPTIONAL LEARNERS DIVISION

BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED SERVICES
Related Service Request / IEP Addendum

Students Name _____ School Year _____
Date of Birth _____ Program _____
District _____ Case Manager _____

A certified teacher of the blind and visually impaired will provide direct and/or indirect services to visually impaired pupils and/or teachers and other professionals associated with the student to enable the pupils to be educated in the least restrictive environment.

Direct services might include Instruction in Braille. Use of magnifiers. Adaptations necessary for curricular support

Indirect services include conducting in-service. Adapting classroom materials. Acquiring Braille and large-print books. Maintaining up-to-date medical information from medical personnel.

VISUALLY IMPAIRED

___ INITIATE services ___ MAINTAIN current services ___ MODIFY services ___ TERMINATE services

Current IEP 30-minute units of TVI services

Requested IEP 30-minute units of TVI services

- a. Direct _____ Weekly Monthly Yearly
- b. Indirect _____ Weekly Monthly Yearly
- c. Consult _____ Weekly Monthly Yearly

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TOTAL REQUESTED 30-minute units per week of Visually Impaired services: _____

RATIONALE _____

ORIENTATION & MOBILITY

Orientation and Mobility instruction includes safe travel skills in school and community settings, sighted guide, and long while cane training.

___ INITIATE services ___ MAINTAIN current services ___ MODIFY services ___ TERMINATE services

Current IEP 30-minute units of O&M services

Requested IEP 30-minute units of O&M services

- a. Direct _____ Weekly Monthly Yearly
- b. Indirect _____ Weekly Monthly Yearly
- c. Consult _____ Weekly Monthly Yearly

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- b. Indirect _____ Weekly Monthly Yearly
- c. Consult _____ Weekly Monthly Yearly

TOTAL REQUESTED 30-minute units per week of Orientation and Mobility services: _____

RATIONALE _____

Person Submitting Form: _____ Date: _____

SERVICES WILL NOT BE IMPLEMENTED UNTIL ALL 4 SIGNATURES ARE COMPLETE

_____ BOCES Program Supervisor	_____ Date	_____ BOCES Related Services Supervisor	_____ Date
_____ CSE Chairperson	_____ Date	_____ BOCES TVI / O&M Service Provider	_____ Date

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The BOCES Compliance Officers are Turina Parker, Executive Director for Educational and Support Programs and Ronald Black, Chief Financial Officer. Washington-Saratoga-Warren-Hamilton-Essex BOCES, 1153 Burgoyne Avenue, Suite 2. Fort Edward, NY 12828. Phone: (518)746-3310. Email: tuparker@wswebooces.org or rblack@wswebooces.org. Complaints may also be filed with the Office for Civil Rights, New York Office, U.S. Department of Education, 32 Old Slip, 26th Floor, New York, NY 10005- 2500, phone (646) 428-3800, fax (646) 428-3843, email: OCR.NewYork@ed.gov