

Rehabilitative Services Funding



The state offices of rehabilitative services assist individuals with disabilities to prepare for, find, or retain employment. Students with documented disabilities and already working with your local rehabilitation office may receive assistance with the required costs of training. If you are not a DARS client, please speak with your admissions representative. The admissions representative can help you begin the approval process for training services.

To become eligible for training services and benefits, an assessment must be completed by your local rehabilitation office. Remember that the primary goal of the rehabilitation programs is to help people become employed. Services that may be provided include: assistance with tuition expenses, books and supplies, tutoring expenses, technology aids, etc.

What is the Vista College Agency Scholarship?

(place explanation from marketing) ***see eligibility requirements *see brochure**

What happens after classes begin?

As a rehabilitation student at Vista College, you have been approved for the specific program of study, classes, and costs shown on your academic plan. Keep a copy of your approved academic plan, placement scores and contracts in a safe place. These are important documents that you may need to refer to in the future.

Keep close contact with your counselor. Each agency has specific requirements for funding your education. In most cases, funding your training program must be submitted each term by the agency and is contingent upon you submitting satisfactory progress, attendance records, etc. It is your responsibility to meet these requirements in a timely manner so that your counselor can approve the required payment(s) necessary to apply funds to your financial aid account.

What happens while I am in school?

Keeping in touch with your counselor and the Vista College agency representative is important to your success. Tracking your performance is important to successful completion of your training program. Your counselor will provide progress or performance review forms that must be completed by a designated official at your campus. You may also have to provide proof of attendance if you are receiving supportive services. Your agency representative will be able to assist with the completion and submission of forms. Remember that you are ultimately responsible for working with your counselor and agency representative to ensure program completion.

What if there are changes to my academic plan?

Any and all changes to your original academic plan require approval your counselor. Your Vista College Agency Representative may have to prepare a revision to your academic plan.

This includes course changes, substitutions or additional costs by term. Changes not approved by your counselor are the responsibility of the student.

What if a situation occurs where I cannot attend a class?

Most agencies require attendance in all classes, which is necessary to be a successful student. In the event of sickness or emergency, please notify your instructor and ensure you have a plan in place to make up missed work.

What if I am having difficulty with a class?

Vista College has many resources available to students in need of additional support. Schedule an appointment with your Vista College Agency Representative to discuss your need.

Helpful links

[Texas](#), [New Mexico](#), [Utah](#)