



Association for the Blind
and Visually Impaired
SERVING THE CAROLINAS

**We have immediate openings for a Certified Vision Rehabilitation Specialist
in the Upstate, Midlands, and Lowcountry of SC**

Whether you are looking for part-time or full-time employment, we have a place for you!

This position will serve individuals by:

- Conducting thorough assessments of clients' visual functioning, functional abilities, and rehabilitation goals.
- Develops individualized treatment plans based on clients' strengths, needs, preferences, and goals.
- Providing instruction and training in orientation and mobility techniques, including indoor and outdoor travel skills, the use of mobility aids (e.g., canes, guide dogs), and environmental awareness.
- Teaching activities of daily living (ADL) skills, such as personal grooming, meal preparation, household management, and money management, using adaptive techniques and assistive devices.
- Assisting clients in learning and using assistive technology devices and adaptive equipment to facilitate independent living and communication.
- Monitoring clients' progress, adjusting rehabilitation plans as needed, and providing ongoing support and encouragement to promote skill development and independence.

Education requirements: Bachelor's degree in Rehabilitation Teaching, Vision Rehabilitation Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Orientation and Mobility, or a related field from an accredited institution. Master's Degree preferred.

Experience requirements: At least two (2) years' experience working with individuals who are blind/visually impaired. Recent graduates will be considered.

Licensures and certifications: Certification as a Vision Rehabilitation Therapist (CVRT), or eligibility for certification through the Academy for Certification of Vision Rehabilitation & Education Professionals (ACVREP). Must have a valid driver's license.

Required knowledge and skills: Understanding of various vision impairments, including their causes, effects, and impact on daily living activities. Capability to develop and deliver individualized instruction to clients to enhance their independent living skills, mobility, communication, and adaptive techniques. Familiarity with a wide range of adaptive technologies and assistive devices used by individuals with vision impairments, including screen readers, magnification software, braille displays, and GPS navigation systems. Understanding of O&M techniques and principles to teach clients safe and independent travel skills using a variety of mobility aids such as canes, guide dogs, and electronic travel devices. Proficiency in teaching braille literacy, including contracted and uncontracted braille, to individuals with vision impairments.

ABVI employees enjoy highly competitive pay, SIMPLE IRA with company match, holidays, paid time off, alternative work arrangements, and mileage reimbursement. Supplemental Benefit plans available: Short Term Disability, Critical Illness, and Life & ADD.

To be considered for this position, please email a cover letter and resume to
Human Resources @ hr@abvisc.org. Visit us online @ www.abvisc.org for more information.

ABVI Mission: Empowering individuals who are blind or have low vision to live fulfilling, purpose-driven lives.