



## **Vocational Rehabilitation Research and Training Center**

### **Summary**

The VR-RRTC is a national center intended to build the capacity of the public vocational rehabilitation (VR) program to improve employment outcomes for people with disabilities. This is achieved by providing policy research, training, and technical assistance to state VR agencies and others working in this area. The VR-RRTC functions as a national hub for policy and operations data pertaining to public employment services for people with disabilities.

### **Target Audiences**

State VR agencies, other disability and employment agencies, rehabilitation researchers, and individuals with disabilities

### **Reach and Impact**

The VR-RRTC works to increase knowledge about:

- Existing research on the VR program.
- Each state's employment constellation (the map of its employment service provider agencies), and the role of the VR program within that constellation.
- Key characteristics of each state's VR program.
- Effective VR agency practices for managing outreach, service access, and case flow to serve individuals with the most significant disabilities on a priority basis.
- Effective VR agency practices for improving employment outcomes for individuals with mental illness, and for those with developmental disabilities.

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### **Partners**

InfoUse, Center for the Study and Advancement of Disability Policy

### **Website**

[www.VR-RRTC.org](http://www.VR-RRTC.org)

