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**North  
Intertribal  
Vocational  
Rehabilitation  
Program**



**Assisting Native Americans  
and Alaska Natives living in  
Skagit, Snohomish and  
Whatcom counties with a  
permanent disability that is  
impeding their  
ability to get or keep a job.**

## Eligibility Criteria

- Enrolled in a Federally Recognized American Indian or Alaska Tribe;
- Living in the NIVRP service area (Skagit, Snohomish & Whatcom Counties);
- Have a permanent physical or mental impairment that is impeding you from getting or maintaining employment.
- Requires VR services to obtain employment.
- Can benefit in terms of an employment outcome.

## **DO YOU HAVE A MEDICAL CONDITION OR A DISABILITY THAT HAS IMPEDED YOUR ABILITY TO GET OR KEEP A JOB?**

- ◆ Diabetes
- ◆ Arthritis
- ◆ Depression/Anxiety
- ◆ Hearing or Vision Loss
- ◆ Substance Use Disorders
- ◆ Learning Difficulties



## **Do You Have A Permanent Injury That Has Affected The Way You Function On The Job?**

Back injury  
Head injury



### **NIVRP staff can help you:**

- ◆ Evaluate your disability.
- ◆ Choose an employment goal which best suits your skills, abilities and interests.

### **Once you chose an employment goal, we can work with you to:**

- ◆ Identify the barriers that impede you getting or keeping a job
- ◆ Determine the steps needed to reach your employment goal.
- ◆ Help coordinate the services needed to obtain a successful employment outcome.

## **NIVRP SERVICES MAY INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING**

- ◆ Disability evaluation and assessment
- ◆ Vocational exploration
- ◆ Goal setting
- ◆ Vocational training
- ◆ Education assistance
- ◆ Medical referral
- ◆ Job search assistance
- ◆ Transportation assistance
- ◆ Coordination with other programs and agencies
- ◆ Assistive devices
- ◆ Behavioral health counseling
- ◆ Advocacy

**IF YOU THINK YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR NIVRP SERVICES, CONTACT THE NIVRP COUNSELOR IN YOUR COMMUNITY!**

