



Eligibility Chart: Combinations of Vision and Hearing Loss

Students Who are At Risk - Consult with MoDBTAP

Children/young adults with dual sensory loss as a result of congenital infections, hereditary syndromes and post-natal complications are at risk for compromised access to learning.

Students Who are Eligible for Services- Refer to MoDBTAP

Children/young adults with more severe hearing & vision loss will experience difficulty accessing spoken language and the visual world around them. Accommodations must be made in order to provide adequate access to learning.

If the student has a vision loss of...

Low Vision Acuity 20/70 to 20/200 and a hearing loss of...

- 16-25 dB (slight) – at risk
- 26-40 dB (mild) – at risk
- 41-55 dB (moderate) – at risk
- 56-70 dB (moderate to severe) – Eligible for DB services
- 71-9 dB (sever) - Eligible for DB services
- >91 dB (profound) - Eligible for DB services

Peripheral Fields <20 degrees and a hearing loss of...

- 16-25 dB (slight) – at risk
- 26-40 dB (mild) – at risk
- 41-55 dB (moderate) – at risk
- 56-70 dB (moderate to severe) – Eligible for DB services
- 71-9 dB (sever) - Eligible for DB services
- >91 dB (profound) - Eligible for DB services

Legally Blind Acuity 20/200-20/400 and degrees and a hearing loss of...

- 16-25 dB (slight) – at risk
- 26-40 dB (mild) – at risk
- 41-55 dB (moderate) – at risk
- 56-70 dB (moderate to severe) – Eligible for DB services
- 71-9 dB (sever) - Eligible for DB services
- >91 dB (profound) - Eligible for DB services

Legally Blind Acuity 20/400-20/1000 and degrees and a hearing loss of...

- 16-25 dB (slight) – at risk
- 26-40 dB (mild) – at risk
- 41-55 dB (moderate) – Eligible for DB services
- 56-70 dB (moderate to severe) – Eligible for DB services
- 71-9 dB (sever) - Eligible for DB services
- >91 dB (profound) - Eligible for DB services

Light Perception Only/No Vision and degrees and a hearing loss of...

16-25 dB (slight) – at risk

26-40 dB (mild) – at risk

41-55 dB (moderate) – Eligible for DB services

56-70 dB (moderate to severe) – Eligible for DB services

71-9 dB (sever) - Eligible for DB services

>91 dB (profound) - Eligible for DB services

Cortical Visual Impairment and any degree of hearing loss:

Phase I- Eligible for DB services

Phase II- Eligible for DB services

Phase III- at risk



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