The Institute for the Blind and Partially Sighted, IBOS, is for both young people and adults with a vision impairment. IBOS offers counselling, guidance and education to citizens as well as professionals all over Denmark.
BRIEF OVERVIEW OF IBOS’ SERVICES

COUNSELLING & ASSESSMENT
Short or long programmes of counselling and assessment that may address fundamental questions such as “What can I possibly do with my future?” or specific questions in relation to work, study, leisure or changed life conditions.

EMERGENCY SERVICES
The emergency service offers free intervention when an acute vision impairment occurs.

VOCATIONAL COURSES AND TRAINING
IBOS offers resource assessment, vocational courses and training, aimed at helping people with a vision impairment (re-)gain employment. The courses lie within the fields of telemarketing, customer service, music, crafts and massage therapy and take place in direct contact with private and public workplaces.

OTHER COURSES
One can participate in courses about how to cope in everyday life. It might orientation & mobility or activities of daily living (ADL). To people with a foreign language IBOS offers lessons in Danish and cultural support in relation to the issues that may arise when you have a vision impairment and a minority ethnic background.

SPECIAL NEEDS
The Institute offers education and training in personal development for young people and adults with a vision impairment and special needs.

STUDY AND READING HELP
IBOS offers study and reading help as a supplement for students in high school (grades 10 - 12) and in higher education. IBOS also offers support for students with special needs.

ASSISTIVE AIDS
The Institute offers advice about assistive aids and has facilities for testing different options, so that you can find the optimal solution.

SHELTERED EMPLOYMENT
IBOS offers sheltered employment opportunities either in a production workshop or in a weaving school.

LIVING FACILITIES
It is possible to stay at IBOS during courses and it is often important to be together with peers - also in the leisure time.

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