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ABSTRACT

A free national library service providing recorded and braille materials is administrated by the National Library Service (NLS) for the Blind and Physically Handicapped in the Library of Congress. With the cooperation of authors and publishers who grant permission to use copyrighted books, NLS selects and produces full-length books and magazines in braille and on audiodisk and cassette. The reading materials are then distributed to a cooperating network of 56 regional and 91 subregional libraries that circulate them to eligible borrowers by postage-free mail. In the first section of the directory, the NLS network libraries and machine-lending agencies are arranged alphabetically by state. Each entry includes the library's address, telephone and FAX numbers, operating hours, name of contact librarian, a thumbnail description of the collection, and information on assistive devices and special services offered as well as on the library's own publications. Within each state the regional library appears first, followed by subregional libraries listed alphabetically by city. In several states two regional libraries have been established; in these instances, the specific service area of each library is shown. Regional libraries that also function as machine-lending agencies are identified by an asterisk. Separate machine-lending agencies (if any) are listed as the final entry for a state. The directory's second section is devoted to additional library resources available from 15 private organizations (e.g., the Braille Association of Kansas, Inc.), which are arranged alphabetically by the name of the organization. These entries provide information on eligibility requirements, special media, subject coverage, and the organization's lending policies. Two appendixes, which make up more than a third of this publication, provide statistics on the readership and circulation, budgets, staff, and collections of the NLS network libraries. (MAB)

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National Library Service

A free national library service providing recorded and braille materials to blind and physically handicapped persons is administered by the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress (NLS). With the cooperation of authors and publishers who grant permission to use copyrighted works, NLS selects and produces full-length books and magazines in braille and on recorded disc and cassette. The reading materials produced are then distributed to a cooperating network of regional and subregional libraries that circulate them to eligible borrowers by postage-free mail. Network libraries also offer reference, readers' advisory, and other services.

Established by an act of Congress in 1931 to serve blind adults, the program was expanded in 1952 to include children, and again in 1966 by Public Law 89-552 to include individuals with physical impairments that prevent the reading of standard print. Fifty-six regional and 91 subregional libraries are currently part of the network, serving all parts of the United States, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and Guam.

Playback equipment is loaned free for use with books and magazines recorded on disc at 8 and 16 rpm and on cassette at $1\frac{7}{8}$ and $1\frac{5}{16}$ ips. Special accessories supplied on request include special amplifiers, remote control units, breath switches, extension levers, and pillowphones. Libraries and other designated machine-lending agencies serve as distribution points for playback equipment and accessories.

Applications for library service from eligible persons or institutions such as hospitals and nursing homes are made directly to the network library or machine-lending agency serving a particular geographic area. Application forms, demonstration equipment, and sample reading materials are available in many local public libraries.

American citizens temporarily living abroad receive service directly from NLS and should apply to the Network Services Section. International interlibrary loans may be arranged with NLS; however, direct service is not extended to individuals outside the United States, its territories, and possessions unless they are American citizens.

Music services are provided by the NLS Music Section which has an extensive collection of music scores, books, and instructional materials in braille, large print, and recorded media. Through its Reference Section, NLS serves as a national information resource on various aspects of handicapping conditions. The National Library Service also functions as a bibliographic center on reading materials for handicapped people and can make referrals to libraries and organizations that have materials in special media.

A number of not-for-profit organizations and volunteer groups which are not part of the NLS network also provide reading materials in special media on loan to handicapped individuals. Criteria for inclusion of these organizations are: services offered nationwide; a book collection sufficiently broad in subject matter to be of general interest; a minimum of two hundred titles available on loan; and circulation on the basis of free loan or for a minimal fee to cover basic costs. As additional organizations meeting these criteria become known, they will be included in future editions of the directory.

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How to use the directory

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Regional libraries that also function as machine-lending agencies are identified by an asterisk (*) immediately following the name of the library. Separate machine-lending agencies (if any) are listed as the final entry for a state.

The information about NLS network libraries and machine-lending agencies contained in the body of the directory and in Appendix II was provided by each network library and machine-lending agency in response to a questionnaire circulated in February 1991; readership and circulation statistics in Appendix I are for federal fiscal year (October–September) 1990. In the few cases where responses were not received or information was not available, data from the previous edition of the directory have been reprinted and footnoted. An effort was made to record changes in names, addresses, and telephone numbers up to July 1991.

Beginning on page 48, other library resources at the national level are arranged alphabetically by the name of the organization. Each entry indicates eligibility requirements, special media available, subject coverage, and lending policies all of which may vary from one organization to another.

Requests for catalogs or further information about their services should be addressed to the appropriate organization and not to the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped or its cooperating network libraries.

Free copies of this directory are available to libraries and organizations by contacting the
Reference Section
National Library Service for the Blind and
Physically Handicapped
Library of Congress
Washington, DC 20542

Alabama

Regional Library

Alabama Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*

**Alabama Public Library Service
6030 Monticello Drive
Montgomery, AL 36130
Bulk mail: 6030 Monticello Drive**

Telephone: (205) 277-7330

In-WATS: 800-392-5671

TDD: (205) 272-0830

FAX: (205) 272-6514

Serves: Alabama

Librarian: Mrs. Fara L. Zaleski

Machine agency: Mrs. Fara L. Zaleski

Hours: 8:00–9:00, M; 8:00–5:00, T–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; Optacon, paperless braille device; tone indexer

Special services: Children's summer reading program; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced materials

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Telephone: (205) 237-8501

FAX: (205) 238-0474

Librarian: Mrs. Deenie M. Culver

Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Magnifier

Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; limited production of student textbooks and local materials

Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Department for the Blind and Physically Handicapped

Houston-Love Memorial Library

P.O. Box 1369

Dothan, AL 36302

Bulk mail: 212 West Burdeshaw Street

Dothan, AL 36303

Telephone: (205) 793-9767

TDD: (205) 793-9767

FAX: (205) 793-6645

Librarian: Mrs. Mary Sue Carte

Hours: 9:00–9:00, M & T; 9:00–6:00, W–F; 9:00–1:00, Sat

Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps

Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; magnifiers

Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits

Subregional Libraries

Library for the Blind and Handicapped

Public Library of Anniston and

Calhoun County

P.O. Box 308

Anniston, AL 36202

Bulk mail: 108 East 10th Street

Huntsville Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
P.O. Box 443
Huntsville, AL 35804
Bulk mail: 915 Monroe Street, SW
Huntsville, AL 35801

Telephone: (205) 532-5980 and (205) 532-5981
TDD: (205) 532-5968
FAX: (205) 532-5994
Librarian: Mrs. Joyce L. Smith
Hours: 8:00-4:30, M-F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier; page turner; thermoform duplicator
Special services: Braille transcribing; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter

Library and Resource Center for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind
705 South Street, P.O. Box 698
Talladega, AL 35160

Telephone: (205) 761-3287 and (205) 761-3288
In-WATS: 800-362-1747
FAX: (205) 761-3337
Librarian: Mrs. Teresa Lacy
Hours: 8:00-4:30, M-F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; textbooks in special format
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's story hour; children's summer reading program; home visits; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter

Tuscaloosa Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Tuscaloosa Public Library
1801 River Road
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401

Telephone: (205) 345-3994
TDD: (205) 345-3994
FAX: (205) 752-8300
Librarian: Mrs. Barbara B. Jordan
Hours: 8:00-5:00, M-F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Book discussion group; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer-produced materials

Alaska

Regional Library

Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*

Alaska State Library

**344 West Third Avenue, Suite 125
Anchorage, AK 99501**

Telephone: (907) 272-3033 or (907) 272-8484

FAX: (907) 272-8484

Serves: Alaska

Librarian: Ms. Patricia Meek

Machine agency: Ms. Patricia Meek

Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.

Braille readers receive service from Utah.

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; Alaska native language material; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Hardcopy large-print device; closed caption machines

Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassettes

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Telephone: (602) 255-5578

In-WATS: 800-255-5578

FAX: (602) 255-4312

Serves: Arizona

Librarian: Mr. Richard C. Peel

Machine agency: Mr. Al Bruce

Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette.

Braille readers receive service from Los Angeles, California.

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier; Optacon; paperless braille device; screen enlarging software; speech input/output device

Special services: Braille transcribing; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer-produced materials

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Arizona

Regional Library

Arizona State Braille and Talking Book Library*

**1030 North 32nd Street
Phoenix, AZ 85008**

Subregional Libraries

Flagstaff City-Coconino County Public Library

Special Services

**300 West Aspen
Flagstaff, AZ 86001**

Arkansas

Regional Library

Telephone: (602) 779-7670
FAX: (602) 774-9573
Librarian: Ms. Jimmie Bevill
Hours: 10:00–9:00, M–Th; 10:00–6:00, F & Sat;
1:00–4:00, Sun
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on
blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; compact-disc
player; magnifier
Special services: Home visits; volunteer-
produced cassette books; delivery of machines
and equipment

Prescott Talking Book Library
215 East Goodwin Street
Prescott, AZ 86303

Telephone: (602) 445-8110
FAX: (602) 445-1851
Librarian: Ms. Jill North
Hours: 9:00–12:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and
equipment

**Library for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped***
One Capitol Mall
Little Rock, AR 72201-1081

Telephone: (501) 682-1155
FAX: (501) 682-1529
Serves: Arkansas
Librarian: Mr. John J.D. Hall
Machine agency: Mr. John J.D. Hall
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large
print
Special collections: Reference materials on
blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier;
screen enlarging software
Special services: Children's summer reading
program; delivery of machines and equipment;
volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Libraries

**Library for the Blind and Handicapped,
Northwest**
Ozarks Regional Library
217 East Dickson Street
Fayetteville, AR 72701

Telephone: (501) 442-6253
Librarian: Ms. Rachel Anne Ames
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on
blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit
TV; magnifier
Special services: Children's story hour
Publications: Patron newsletter

Fort Smith Public Library for the Blind and Handicapped
61 South 8th Street
Fort Smith, AR 72901

Telephone: (501) 783-0229

FAX: (501) 782-8571

Librarian: Ms. Mary Nigh

Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; films, videos; foreign-language books; children's books; textbooks

Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment

Publications: Patron newsletter

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Northeast Crowley Ridge Regional Library
315 West Oak
Jonesboro, AR 72401

Telephone: (501) 935-2114

FAX: (501) 935-7987

Librarian: Mrs. Ruth Ball

Hours: 8:30–5:30, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print

Assistive devices: Magnifier

Special services: Children's summer reading program

Publications: Patron newsletter

Library for the Blind and Handicapped, Southwest
CLOC Regional Library
P.O. Box 668
Magnolia, AR 71753
Bulk mail: 220 East Main

Telephone: (501) 234-1991

Librarian: Ms. Christine McDonald

Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F; 9:00–12:00, Sat

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Special services: Children's summer reading program

Publications: Patron newsletter

California Southern California

Regional Library

Braille Institute Library Services*
741 North Vermont Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90029
Bulk mail: 4205 Melrose Avenue

Telephone: (213) 663-1111, ext. 280 and (213) 660-3880

In-WATS: 800-252-9486

FAX: (213) 666-5881

Serves: San Luis Obispo, Kern, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, and Imperial counties; braille readers of Arizona

Librarian: Dr. Henry C. Chang

Machine agency: Mr. Fekade Tadesse

Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; Spanish-language books; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Braille writer; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier; Optacon

Special services: Braille transcribing; volunteer-produced braille and cassette books

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

California Northern California

Regional Library

Braille and Talking Book Library*
California State Library
600 Broadway
Sacramento, CA 95818

Telephone: (916) 322-4090

In-WATS: 800-952-5666

FAX: (916) 324-8121

Serves: Northern and Central California

Librarian: Miss Donine Hedrick

Machine agency: Mr. Don Aday

Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; Japanese-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Braille printer; hardcopy large-print device

Special services: Volunteer-produced braille and cassette books; children's summer reading program

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Telephone: (209) 488-3217

In-WATS: 800-742-1011

TDD: (209) 488-3209

Librarian: Ms. Deborah Janzen

Hours: 10:00–4:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier; screen enlarging software

Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassette books

Publications: Patron newsletter

San Francisco Public Library for the Blind and Print Handicapped
1528 Fillmore Street
San Francisco, CA 94115-3516

Telephone: (415) 292-2022

TDD: (415) 864-1112

Librarian: Ms. Martha Heverly

Hours: 10:00–6:00, T; 1:00–6:00, W–Sat

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV

Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; radio reading service

Publications: Patron newsletter (part of cassette magazine)

Subregional Libraries

Fresno County Free Library
Blind and Handicapped Services
Ted Wills Community Center
770 North San Pablo
Fresno, CA 93728

Colorado

Regional Library

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*
Colorado Centennial Building
1313 Sherman Street, Level 2B
Denver, CO 80203

Telephone: (303) 866-2081
In-WATS: 800-332-5852
FAX: (303) 830-0793
Serves: Colorado
Librarian: Ms. Barbara Goral
Machine agency: Ms. Charmayne Nirri
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.
 Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading
 program; home visits; volunteer-produced
 cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Connecticut

Regional Library

Connecticut State Library*
Library for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped
 198 West Street
 Rocky Hill, CT 06067

Telephone: (203) 566-2151
In-WATS: 800-842-4516
FAX: (203) 566-6669
Serves: Connecticut
Librarian: Ms. Carol A. Taylor
Machine agency: Mr. Edward Mastronunzio
Hours: 8:30–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps; local subjects
 and authors
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer;
 closed-circuit TV
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette
 books and magazines
Publications: Catalog of locally produced
 materials

Delaware

Regional Library

Delaware Division of Libraries*
Library for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped
 43 South DuPont Highway
 Dover, DE 19901

Telephone: (302) 739-4748
In-WATS: 800-282-8676
TDD: (302) 739-4739
FAX: (302) 739-6787
Serves: Delaware
Librarian: Mrs. Anne E. Norman
Machine agency: Mrs. Anne E. Norman
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
 Braille readers receive service from
 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Special services: Children's summer reading
 program; delivery of machines and equipment;
 home visits; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter

District of Columbia

Regional Library

**District of Columbia Regional Library for the
Blind and Physically Handicapped***
901 G Street, NW, Room 215
Washington, DC 20001

Telephone: (202) 727-2142
TDD: (202) 727-2255
Serves: District of Columbia
Librarian: Ms. Grace J. Lyons
Machine agency: Ms. Grace J. Lyons
Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large
print
Special collections: Reference materials on
blindness and other handicaps; books on
computer diskette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit
TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-
print device; Kurzweil Personal Reader;
magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and
equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced
cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Florida

Regional Library

**Florida Bureau of Library Services for the
Blind and Physically Handicapped***
420 Platt Street
Daytona Beach, FL 32114-2804
Bulk mail: Florida Regional Library
Daytona Beach, FL 32198-0001

Telephone: (904) 254-3824
In-WATS: 800-342-5627
TDD: 800-342-5627
FAX: (904) 238-3160
Serves: Florida
Librarian: Mr. Donald John Weber
Machine agency: Mrs. Elizabeth M. Young
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on
blindness and other handicaps; films, videos;
local subjects and authors; textbooks; children's
books on cassette and in braille; Spanish-
language books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer;
hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's
summer reading program; delivery of machines
and equipment; home visits; volunteer service
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject
bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

**Talking Book Service
Manatee County Public Library System
1301 Barcarrota Boulevard, West
Bradenton, FL 34205-7599**

Telephone: (813) 749-7114
TDD: (813) 749-7113
FAX: (813) 749-7191
Librarian: Mr. Frederick Duda
Hours: 10:00–5:00, M–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Compact-disc player;
hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading
program; delivery of machines and equipment
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Brevard County Library System
Talking Books Library
308 Forrest Avenue
Cocoa, FL 32922-7781**

Telephone: (407) 633-1810 and (407) 633-1811

FAX: (407) 633-1790

Librarian: Ms. Kay Briley

Hours: 9:00–5:00, M & F; 9:00–7:30, T–Th;
9:00–12:00, Sat

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Special services: Delivery of machines and
equipment; home visits

Telephone: (904) 765-5588

TDD: (904) 630-2740

FAX: (904) 768-7404

Librarian: Ms. Susan V. Arthur

Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Special collections: Reference materials on
blindness and other handicaps

Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; Kurzweil
Reading Machine; magnifier

Special services: Children's summer reading
program; volunteer services

Publications: Patron newsletter; subject
bibliographies

**Broward County Talking Book Library
100 South Andrews Avenue
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301**

Telephone: (305) 357-7555 and (305) 357-7413

TDD: (305) 357-7413

Librarian: Mrs. Joann Block

Hours: 12:00–6:00, M & Th; 10:00–6:00, T &
W; 10:00–5:00, F; 10:00–2:00, Sat

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille

Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit
TV; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier

Special services: Book discussion groups; braille
transcribing; children's summer reading
program; home visits; Talking Book Buddies;

Talking Book Express

Publications: Patron newsletter

**Dade County Talking Book Library
Miami-Dade Public Library System
150 NE 79th Street
Miami, FL 33138**

Telephone: (305) 751-8687

In-WATS: 800-451-9544

TDD: (305) 758-6599

Librarian: Ms. Barbara L. Moyer

Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Special collections: Reference materials on
blindness and other handicaps

Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; magnifier

Special services: Children's summer reading
program

Publications: Patron newsletter

**Talking Book Library
Jacksonville Public Libraries
1755 Edgewood Avenue, West, Suite 1
Jacksonville, FL 32208-7206**

**Lee County Subregional Library for the Blind
and Physically Handicapped
13240 North Cleveland Avenue, #5-6
North Ft. Myers, FL 33903-4855**

Telephone: (813) 995-2665
Librarian: Mrs. Barbara Ferris
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc; cassette
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; magnifier; tone indexer
Special services: Home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

**Orange County Library System
Talking Book Section
101 E. Central Boulevard
Orlando, FL 32801**

Telephone: (407) 425-4694, ext. 421 or 422
TDD: (407) 425-5668
Librarian: Ms. Debbie Burbach
Hours: 8:30–5:30, M–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment

**West Florida Regional Library
Subregional Talking Book Library
200 West Gregory Street
Pensacola, FL 32501**

Telephone: (904) 435-1760
FAX: (904) 432-9582
Librarian: Ms. Martha L. Lazor
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Children's books
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Talking Books—Palm Beach County Library
Annex
7950 Central Industrial Drive, Suite 104
Riviera Beach, FL 33404-9947**

Telephone: (407) 845-4600
Librarian: Mrs. Pat Mistretta
Hours: 10:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Hillsborough County Talking Book Library
Tampa-Hillsborough County Public Library
System
900 North Ashley Drive
Tampa, FL 33602-3788**

Telephone: (813) 223-8349
TDD: (813) 223-8858
FAX: (813) 223-8278
Librarian: Ms. Suzanne M. Bell
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Georgia

Regional Library

**Georgia Library for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped*
1150 Murphy Avenue, SW
Atlanta, GA 30310**

Telephone: (404) 756-4619
FAX: (404) 756-4618
Serves: Georgia
Librarian: Mr. Dale Snair
Machine agency: Mr. Pete Putz
Hours: 7:45–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer
Special services: Home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines

Subregional Libraries

**Albany Library for the Blind and Handicapped
 Dougherty County Public Library
 300 Pine Avenue
 Albany, GA 31701**

Telephone: (912) 431-2920
FAX: (912) 430-4020
Librarian: Mrs. Kathryn R. Sinuefield
Hours: 9:30–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Talking Book Center
 Athens Regional Library
 435 North Lumpkin Street
 Athens, GA 30601**

Telephone: (404) 354-2625
TDD: (404) 354-2620
FAX: (404) 369-0297
Librarian: Ms. Janet Wright
Hours: 9:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors; textbooks; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazine
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Talking Book Center
 Augusta–Richmond County Public Library
 425 Ninth Street
 Augusta, GA 30901**

Telephone: (404) 821-2625
FAX: (404) 724-6762
Librarian: Mr. Gary Swint
Hours: 9:00–7:00, M–F; 9:00–5:30, Sat; 2:00–5:30, Sun
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books on cassette; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service, volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Bainbridge Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
 Southwest Georgia Regional Library
 Shotwell and Monroe Streets
 Bainbridge, GA 31717**

Telephone: (912) 248-2680
(accepts collect calls)
FAX: (912) 248-2670
Librarian: Ms. Laura S. Harrison
Hours: 10:00–7:00, M; 9:00–6:00, T–F; 10:00–2:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Talking Book Center
Brunswick-Glynn County Regional Library
208 Gloucester Street
Brunswick, GA 31523**

Telephone: (912) 267-1212
Librarian: Mrs. Betty Ransom
Hours: 10:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

**Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Talking Book Center
1120 Bradley Drive
Columbus, GA 31995**

Telephone: (404) 327-0211
FAX: (404) 649-1914
Librarian: Mr. Crawford B. Pike
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette

**Oconee Regional Library Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
806 Highland Avenue
P.O. Box 100
Dublin, GA 31040**

Telephone: (912) 275-3322
Librarian: Ms. Chris Campbell Woodburn
Hours: 9:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Chestatee Regional Library Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
127 North Main Street
Gainesville, GA 30501**

Telephone: (404) 535-5738
FAX: (404) 532-4305
Librarian: Ms. Billie Jean Ouellette
Hours: 10:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special services: Home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

**La Fayette Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
305 South Duke Street
La Fayette, GA 30728**

Telephone: (404) 638-2992
FAX: (404) 638-4028
Librarian: Mrs. Lecia Eubanks
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Macon Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
 Washington Memorial Library
 1180 Washington Avenue
 Macon, GA 31201**

Telephone: (912) 744-0877
TDD: (912) 744-0877
FAX: (912) 742-3161
Librarian: Ms. Rebecca M. Sherrill
Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette newspaper and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Rome Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
 Sara Hightower Regional Library
 205 Riverside Parkway
 Rome, GA 30161-2911**

Telephone: (404) 236-4618
 (accepts collect calls)
FAX: (404) 236-4605
Librarian: Ms. Sue Frazier
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier
Special services: Home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
 CEL Regional Library
 2002 Bull Street
 Savannah, GA 31499**

Telephone: (912) 234-5127
In-WATS: 800-342-4455
TDD: (912) 234-5127
FAX: (912) 236-7782
Librarian: Ms. Linda Field
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
South Georgia Regional Library
601 North Lee Street
Valdosta, GA 31601-4766**

Telephone: (912) 333-5210
Librarian: Ms. Sharon Bernstein
Hours: 9:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services; local newspaper on cassette
Publications: Patron newsletter

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Hawaii

Regional Library

**Hawaii State Library
Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*
402 Kapahulu Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815**

Telephone: (808) 732-7767
TDD: (808) 732-7767
FAX: (808) 732-4158
Serves: Hawaii, Guam, and U.S. Pacific Islands
Librarian: Mrs. Sally Morgan
Machine agency: Mrs. Sally Morgan
Hours: 9:00–4:30, M–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; film, videos; foreign-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors; textbooks; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Subregional Library

**Guam Public Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library
254 Martyr Street
Agana, GU 96910**

Telephone: (671) 472-6417 and (671) 472-8264
FAX: (671) 477-9777
Librarian: Ms. Joanne Ta'apey
Hours: 9:30–8:00, T & Th; 9:30–6:00, M, W, & F; 10:00–4:00, Sat; 12:00–4:00, Sun
Book collection: Disc; cassette

Idaho

Regional Library

**Idaho Regional Library
Blind and Physically Handicapped
Library Services***
325 West State Street
Boise, ID 83705

Telephone: (208) 334-2117

In-WATS: 800-233-4931

FAX: (208) 334-4016

Serves: Idaho

Librarian: Mr. Kay H. Salmon

Machine agency: Mr. Edward Ritter, Jr.

Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; foreign-language books

Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; volunteer services

Publications: Patron newsletter

Telephone: (312) 746-9210

In-WATS: 800-331-2351

FAX: (312) 746-9192

Serves: Illinois

Librarian: Mr. James Pletz

Machine agency: Mr. James Pletz

Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; screen enlarging software

Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced braille and cassette books

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Illinois

Regional Library

**Illinois Regional Library for the Blind and
Physically Handicapped***
1055 West Roosevelt Road
Chicago, IL 60608

Subregional Libraries

**Southern Illinois Talking Book Center
c/o Shawnee Library System**
511 Greenbriar Road
Carterville, IL 62918-1600

Telephone: (618) 985-8375

In-WATS: 800-458-0475

TDD: (618) 985-8375

FAX: (618) 985-4211

Librarian: Mrs. Joan Laskaris

Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier

Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced materials

Publications: Patron newsletter

**Chicago Public Library
Talking Book Center
1055 West Roosevelt Road
Chicago, IL 60608**

Telephone: (312) 746-9200
FAX: (312) 746-9192
Librarian: Ms. Mamie Grady
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; screen enlarging software
Special services: Book discussion group; children's summer reading program; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Talking Book Center of Northwest Illinois
P.O. Box 125
Coal Valley, IL 61240
Bulk mail: 220 West 23rd Avenue**

Telephone: (309) 799-3137
In-WATS: 800-747-3137
FAX: (309) 799-7916
Librarian: Ms. Dee Canfield
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of local subjects and authors; subject bibliographies

**Suburban Audio-Visual Service
Talking Book Center
920 Barnsdale Road
La Grange Park, IL 60525**

Telephone: (708) 352-7671
In-WATS: 800-627-0062
FAX: (708) 352-7528
Librarian: Ms. Patti Lang
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

**Heart of Illinois Talking Book Center
Illinois Valley Library System
845 Brenkman Drive
Pekin, IL 61554**

Telephone: (309) 353-4110
In-WATS: 800-426-0709
FAX: (309) 353-8281
Librarian: Ms. Lori Logsdon
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter

**River Road Talking Book Service
Great River Library System
106 North 5th
Quincy, IL 62301**

Telephone: (217) 224-6619
In-WATS: 800-537-1274
FAX: (217) 224-9818
TDD: (217) 224-6619
Librarian: Ms. Eileen Sheppard
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps
Special services: Children's summer reading
 program; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter

Indiana

Regional Library

**Indiana State Library
 Special Services Division***
**140 North Senate Avenue
 Indianapolis, IN 46204**

Telephone: (317) 232-3684
In-WATS: 800-622-4970
TDD: (317) 232-7763
FAX: (317) 232-3728
Serves: Indiana
Librarian: Ms. Lissa Shanahan
Machine agency: Ms. Lissa Shanahan
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large
 print
Special Collections: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps; local subjects
 and authors
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer;
 closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player;
 hardcopy large-print device; Optacon
Special services: Book discussion group; braille
 transcribing; children's summer reading
 program; radio reading service; volunteer-
 produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of
 locally produced materials; subject
 bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

Bartholomew County Public Library
5th at Lafayette
Columbus, IN 47201

Telephone: (812) 379-1277
Librarian: Ms. Wilma J. Perry
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special services: Home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Blind and Physically Handicapped Services
Elkhart Public Library
300 South Second
Elkhart, IN 46516-3184

Telephone: (219) 522-2665, ext. 46
Librarian: Mrs. Pat Ciancio
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Talking Books Service
Evansville-Vanderburgh County Public Library
22 South East Fifth Street
Evansville, IN 47708

Telephone: (812) 428-8235
Librarian: Mrs. Barbara Shanks
Hours: 8:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier

Readers' Services Department
Allen County Public Library
Box 2270
Fort Wayne, IN 46801
Bulk mail: 900 Webster Street
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

Telephone: (219) 424-7241, ext. 2215
Librarian: Ms. Joyce Misner
Hours: 9:00–9:00, M–Th; 9:00–6:00, F–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Northwest Indiana Subregional Library for the
Blind and Physically Handicapped**
Lake County Public Library
1919 West 81st Avenue
Merrillville, IN 46410

Telephone: (219) 769-3541, ext. 237
TDD: (219) 769-3541
Librarian: Mrs. Joanne Panasuk
Hours: 9:00–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille printer; hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Iowa

Regional Library

**Library for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped**
Iowa Department for the Blind*
524 Fourth Street
Des Moines, IA 50309

Telephone: (515) 281-1333
In-WATS: 800-362-2587
TDD: (515) 281-1333
FAX: (515) 281-1263
Serves: Iowa
Librarian: Mr. R. Creig Slayton (Director)
Machine agency: Mr. R Creig Slayton (Director)
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; foreign-language books; textbooks; children's books; books on computer diskette
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Personal Reader; magnifier; Optacon; paperless braille device; screen enlarging software
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Kansas

Regional Library

Kansas State Library*
Kansas Talking Book Service
ESU Memorial Union
1200 Commercial
Emporia, KS 66801

Telephone: (316) 343-7124
In-WATS: 800-362-0699
Serves: Kansas
Librarian: Ms. Arvina Lumley
Machine agency: Ms. Arvina Lumley
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
 Braille readers receive service from Kansas City, Kansas.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; foreign-language books; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Libraries

Talking Book Service
CKLS Headquarters
1409 Williams
Great Bend, KS 67530

Telephone: (316) 792-2393
In-WATS: 800-362-2642
FAX: (316) 792-5495
Librarian: Ms. Patsy Arnold
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Home visits; delivery of machines and equipment; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

**South Central Kansas Library System
Talking Book Subregional
901 North Main
Hutchinson, KS 67501**

Telephone: (316) 663-5441
In-WATS: 800-234-0529
FAX: (316) 663-1215
Librarian: Ms. Karen Socha
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits

**Kansas City, Kansas Public Library
Kansas Braille Library
625 Minnesota Avenue
Kansas City, KS 66101**

Telephone: (913) 621-3073, ext. 228
In-WATS: 800-279-6645
FAX: (913) 621-0963
Serves: All braille readers in Kansas
Librarian: Mrs. Joan Gandert
Hours: 8:30–8:30, M–Th; 8:30–5:00, F–Sat
Book collection: Braille
Assistive devices: Braille printer
Special services: Volunteer-produced braille

**Manhattan Public Library
Juliette and Poyntz
Manhattan, KS 66502**

Telephone: (913) 776-4741
In-WATS: 800-432-2796
FAX: (913) 776-1545
Librarian: Ms. Lois Hartley
Hours: 9:00–9:00, M–F; 9:00–6:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Book discussion group; children's story hour; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Talking Books
Northwest Kansas Library System
PO Box 446
Norton, KS 67654**

Telephone: (913) 877-5148
In-WATS: 800-432-2858
FAX: (913) 877-5697
Librarian: Ms. Clarice Howard
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Home visits; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Talking Books
Topeka Public Library
1515 West 10th Street
Topeka, KS 66604**

Telephone: (913) 233-2040
In-WATS: 800-432-2925
TDD: (913) 233-3277
FAX: (913) 233-2055
Librarian: Ms. Suzanne Bundy
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier; Optacon; page
 turner
Special services: Home visits; volunteer service

Wichita Public Library
Talking Books Department
223 South Main
Wichita, KS 67202

Telephone: (316) 262-0611
In-WATS: 800-362-2869
TDD: (316) 262-3972
FAX: (316) 262-2552
Librarian: Ms. Betty C. Spriggs
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Kurzweil Personal Reader;
 page turner
Special services: Delivery of machines and
 equipment; home visits

Kentucky

Regional Library

**Kentucky Library for the Blind and Physically
 Handicapped***
300 Coffee Tree Road
P.O. Box 818
Frankfort, KY 40602

Telephone: (502) 875-7000
In-WATS: 800-372-2968
FAX: (502) 564-5773
Serves: Kentucky
Librarian: Mr. Richard Feindel
Machine agency: Mr. Richard Feindel
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer
Special services: Volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Catalog of locally produced
 materials

Subregional Libraries

Northern Kentucky Talking Book Library
502 Scott Street
Covington, KY 41011

Telephone: (606) 491-7610
Librarian: Ms. Alice Manchikes
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassettes

Talking Book Library
Louisville Free Public Library
301 West York Street
Louisville, KY 40203

Telephone: (502) 561-8625
TDD: (502) 561-8621
FAX: (502) 561-8657
Librarian: Ms. Maxine Harris Surratt
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Local subjects and authors; music
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier; page turner
Special services: Book discussion group; children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Telephone: (504) 342-4944 and (504) 342-4943
In-WATS: 800-543-4702
FAX: (504) 342-3547
Serves: Louisiana
Librarian: Mrs. Jennifer Anjier
Machine-agency: Mr. Michael Acosta
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books; films, videos
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Louisiana

Regional Library

**Louisiana State Library
Section for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped
760 Riverside North
Baton Rouge, LA 70802**

Maine

Regional Library

**Library Services for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped*
Maine State Library
State House Station 64
Augusta, ME 04333**

Telephone: (207) 289-5650 and (207) 947-8336
In-WATS: 800-452-8793 and 800-762-7106
Serves: Maine
Librarian: Ms. Benita D. Davis
Machine agency: Mr. James Cram
Hours: 7:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.
 Braille readers receive service from
 Massachusetts.
Special collections: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps; films, videos;
 French-language large-print books; local
 subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and
 equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced
 cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Telephone: (301) 333-2668
In-WATS: 800-492-5627
Serves: Maryland
Librarian: Mr. Lance C. Finney
Machine agency: Mr. Lance C. Finney
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large
 print
Special collections: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps; children's books;
 local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer;
 closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device;
 Kurzweil Personal Reader; magnifier; page
 turner; screen enlarging software
Special services: Braille transcribing; volunteer-
 produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter; large-print
 catalog and supplements

Maryland

Regional Library

**Maryland State Library for the Blind and
 Physically Handicapped***
 1715 North Charles Street
 Baltimore, MD 21201

Subregional Libraries

Special Needs Library
Montgomery County Department of Public
Libraries
 6400 Democracy Boulevard
 Bethesda, MD 20817

Massachusetts

Regional Library

Telephone: (301) 493-2555
TDD: (301) 493-2554
FAX: (301) 530-8941
Librarian: Ms. Devon Skeele Liner
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M, W, F, Sat; 1:00–9:00, T & Th
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; children's books; books on computer diskette
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier; screen enlarging software
Special services: Book discussion group; delivery of machines and equipment
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Braille and Talking Book Library
Perkins School for the Blind
175 North Beacon Street
Watertown, MA 02172**

Telephone: (617) 924-3434, ext. 240
In-WATS: 800-852-3133
Serves: Massachusetts; braille readers in Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont
Librarian: Ms. Patricia Kirk
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; speech input/output device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; screen-enlarging software
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library

**Talking Book Center
Prince George's County Memorial Library
6530 Adelphi Road
Hyattsville, MD 20782**

**Talking Book Library
Worcester Public Library
1 Salem Square
Worcester, MA 01608**

Telephone: (301) 779-2570
Librarian: Ms. Shirley J. Tuthill
Hours: 10:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier; page turner
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced books

Telephone: (508) 799-1730 and (508) 799-1661
In-WATS: 800-762-0085
TDD: (508) 799-1731
FAX: (508) 799-1652
Librarian: Mr. James Izatt
Hours: 10:00–5:30, M–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; Kurzweil Personal Reader; magnifier; page turner; paperless braille device
Publications: Patron newsletter

Machine-Lending Agency

**Commission for the Blind
Talking Book Services
173 Second Street
Cambridge, MA 02142**

Telephone: (617) 727-9840
In-WATS: 800-392-6450, ext. 9840
Attention: Mr. Kevin J. Smith

Michigan Except Wayne CountyRegional Library

**Library of Michigan/Service for the Blind and
Physically Handicapped*
Box 30007
Lansing, MI 48909
Bulk mail: 717 West Allegan Street
Lansing, MI 48915**

Telephone: (517) 373-1590
In-WATS: 800-992-9012
TDD: (517) 373-1592
FAX: (517) 373-5865
Serves: Michigan except Wayne County; all Michigan for braille
Librarian: Ms. Margaret Wolfe
Machine agency: Ms. Margaret Wolfe
Hours: 8:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Finnish-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors; textbooks
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; Kurzweil Reading Machine; speech input/output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

**Northland Library Cooperative
316 East Chisholm Street
Alpena, MI 49707**

Telephone: (517) 356-1622
In-WATS: 800-446-1580
FAX: (517) 354-3939
Librarian: Ms. Catherine Glomski
Hours: 8:00–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Children's books; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier; hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Washtenaw County Library for the Blind and
Physically Handicapped
P.O. Box 8645
Ann Arbor, MI 48107
Bulk mail: 4133 Washtenaw Avenue
Ann Arbor, MI 48104**

Telephone: (313) 971-6059
(accepts collect calls)
FAX: (313) 971-3892
Librarian: Ms. Mary E. Udoji
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Films-videos; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier; page turner
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter; large print catalog

**Oakland County Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Farmington Community Library
32737 West Twelve Mile Road
Farmington Hills, MI 48334**

Telephone: (313) 553-0300
TDD: (313) 553-0320
FAX: (313) 553-4037
Librarian: Ms. Carole Hund
Hours: 10:00–9:00, M–Th; 10:00–5:00, F & Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier; closed-caption decoder
Special services: Children's story hour in American Sign Language; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Mideastern Michigan Library
Co-op Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
G-4195 West Pasadena Avenue
Flint, MI 48504**

Telephone: (313) 732-1120
FAX: (313) 732-1715
Librarian: Ms. Patricia Peterson
Hours: 9:00–8:00, M–Th.; 9:00–5:00, F & Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Kent County Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
775 Ball Avenue, NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49503**

Telephone: (616) 774-3262
FAX: (616) 774-3256
Librarian: Ms. Linda Fox
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Capital Area Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
P.O. Box 30007
Lansing, MI 48909
Bulk mail: 717 West Allegan Street
Lansing, MI 48915**

Telephone: (517) 373-1590
In-WATS: 800-992-9012
TDD: (517) 373-1592
FAX: (517) 373-5865
Librarian: Ms. Edith Darling Heezen
Hours: 8:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: (See entry for Lansing, Michigan Regional Library)
Special services: Radio reading service; volunteer services
Publications: Subject bibliographies

**Upper Peninsula Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
1615 Presque Isle Avenue
Marquette, MI 49855**

Telephone: (906) 228-7697
In-WATS: 800-562-8985
FAX: (906) 228-5627
Librarian: Ms. Suzanne Dees
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M & F; 9:00–5:30, T–Th
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; Finnish-language books on cassette
Assistive devices: Speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier

Macomb Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
16480 Hall Road
Mount Clemens, MI 48044-3198

Telephone: (313) 286-1580
TDD: (313) 286-9940
FAX: (313) 286-0634
Librarian: Ms. Linda Champion
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier; closed-caption decoder
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; blind awareness month program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Muskegon County Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
635 Ottawa Street
Muskegon, MI 49442

Telephone: (616) 724-6257
FAX: (616) 724-6675
Librarian: Miss Linda G. Clapp
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter

Blue Water Library Federation Blind and Physically Handicapped Library
210 McMorrان Boulevard
Port Huron, MI 48060

Telephone: (313) 982-3600
FAX: (313) 987-7327
Librarian: Ms. Debra Oyler
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Publications: Patron newsletter

Grand Traverse Area Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
322 Sixth Street
Traverse City, MI 49684

Telephone: (616) 922-4824
(accepts collect calls)
TDD: (616) 922-4843
FAX: (616) 922-4836
Librarian: Mrs. Carol Hubbell
Hours: 9:00–5:30, T–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; magnifier
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Catalog of locally produced materials

Michigan Wayne County Only

Regional Library

Wayne County Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*
33030 Van Born Road
Wayne, MI 48184

Telephone: (313) 274-2600
TDD: (313) 326-1080
FAX: (313) 326-3035
Serves: Wayne County, Michigan
Librarian: Ms. Pat Klemans
Machine agency: Ms. Pat Klemans
Hours: 8:30–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Lansing, Michigan.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's large-print books
Assistive devices: Braille writer
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library

Downtown Detroit Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
121 Gratiot Avenue
Detroit, MI 48226

Telephone: (313) 224-0580
TDD: (313) 224-0584
FAX: (313) 965-1977
Librarian: Ms. Joan Gartland
Hours: 9:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Minnesota

Regional Library

Minnesota Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Academy for the Blind
Faribault, MN 55021

Telephone: (507) 332-3279
In-WATS: 800-722-0550
Serves: Minnesota
Librarian: Ms. Myrna Wright
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; foreign-language books on cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's story hour; children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Machine-Lending Agency

**Special Library and Transcription Services
 Communication Center
 State Services for the Blind
 1745 University Avenue, West
 St. Paul, MN 55104**

Telephone: (612) 642-0513
In-WATS: 800-652-9000
 Attention: Mr. James Judd

Mississippi

Regional Library

**Mississippi Library Commission—Handicapped
 Services***
**5455 Executive Place
 Jackson, MS 39206**

Telephone: (601) 354-7208
In-WATS: 800-446-0892
FAX: (601) 354-6077 [call (601) 354-7208 before transmitting]
Serves: Mississippi
Librarian: Ms. Patricia H. Beard
Machine agency: Ms. Patricia H. Beard
Hours: 7:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Local subjects and authors; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazine
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Missouri

Regional Library

**Wolfner Library for the Blind and Physically
 Handicapped***
**P.O. Box 387
 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0387
 Bulk mail: 620 W. Main
 Jefferson City, MO 65101**

Telephone: (314) 751-8720
In-WATS: 800-392-2614
FAX: (314) 751-3612
Serves: Missouri
Librarian: Ms. Elizabeth Eckles
Machine agency: Ms. Elizabeth Eckles
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Large-print children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassette magazine
Publications: Patron newsletter

Montana

Regional Library

Montana State Library*
Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
1515 East Sixth Avenue
Helena, MT 59620

Telephone: (406) 444-2064
In-WATS: 800-332-3400
FAX: (406) 444-5612
Serves: Montana
Librarian: Ms. Sandra Jarvie
Machine agency: Ms. Alberta Blanton
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Nebraska

Regional Library

Nebraska Library Commission*
Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
1420 P Street
Lincoln, NE 68508

Nevada

Regional Library

Telephone: (402) 471-2045

In-WATS: 800-742-7691

TDD: (402) 471-4038

FAX: (402) 471-2083

Serves: Nebraska

Librarian: Mr. David Oertli

Machine agency: Ms. Judy Tuttle

Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille.

Braille readers receive service from Utah.

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; children's books

Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier; closed-caption TV decoders

Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Nevada State Library and Archives*
Talking Book Program
Capitol Complex
Carson City, NV 89710

Telephone: (702) 687-5154

In-WATS: 800-922-2880, ext. 5154

TDD: (702) 687-5160

FAX: (702) 887-2630

Serves: Nevada

Librarian: Mrs. Leslie M. Peterson

Machine agency: Mrs. Leslie M. Peterson

Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette.

Braille readers receive service from Utah.

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps

Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library

Subregional Library

North Platte Public Library
Blind and Physically Handicapped Program
120 West 4th Street
North Platte, NE 69101-3993

Telephone: (308) 535-8039

Librarian: Ms. Brenda Behsman

Hours: 9:00–6:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print

Assistive devices: Magnifier

Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassettes

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Las Vegas-Clark County Library
District Special Services
4550 South Maryland Parkway, Suite N
Las Vegas, NV 89119

Telephone: (702) 798-5322

Librarian: Mr. Darrell Batson

Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Machine-Lending Agency

Nevada Bureau of Services to the Blind
Kinhead Building
505 East King Street, Room 503
Carson City, NV 89710

Telephone: (702) 687-4444

FAX: (702) 885-5980

Attention: Mrs. Mindy Dodds

New Hampshire

Regional Library

New Hampshire State Library*
Division of Library Services to the Handicapped
17 South Fruit Street
Concord, NH 03301

Telephone: (603) 271-3429

In-WATS: 800-592-0300

Serves: New Hampshire

Librarian: Ms. Eileen Keim

Machine agency: Ms. Eileen Keim

Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.

Braille readers receive service from Massachusetts.

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; French-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors; children's books on cassette

Assistive devices: Hardcopy large-print device

Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassette books

Publications: Patron newsletter

Telephone: (609) 292-6450

In-WATS: 800-792-8322

TDD: (609) 633-7250

Serves: New Jersey

Librarian: Ms. Marya Hunsicker

Machine agency: Ms. Johanna Nagel

Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F; 9:00–3:00, Sat

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; foreign-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors; children's books

Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier

Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced books and magazines

Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

New Jersey

Regional Library

New Jersey Library for the Blind and Handicapped*
CN 501

Trenton, NJ 08625-0501

Bulk mail: 2300 Stuyvesant Avenue

Trenton, NJ 08618

New Mexico

Regional Library

New Mexico State Library *
Talking Book Library
325 Don Gaspar
Santa Fe, NM 87503

Telephone: (505) 827-3830
In-WATS: 800-432-5515
FAX: (505) 827-3888
Serves: New Mexico
Librarian: Ms. Alison P. Olen
Machine agency: Mr. Ben Lucero
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
 Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collection: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit
 TV; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Publications: Patron newsletter

New York Except New York City and
Long Island

Regional Library

**New York State Library for the Blind and
 Visually Handicapped***
Cultural Education Center
Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12230

Telephone: (518) 474-5935
In-WATS: 800-342-3688 and 800-342-3111
TDD: (518) 474-7121
FAX: (518) 474-5786
Serves: New York State except New York City
 and Long Island
Librarian: Ms. Jane Somers
Machine agency: Ms. Jane Somers
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer;
 closed-circuit TV; speech output device;
 hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading
 Machine; screen enlarging software
Special services: Children's reading program;
 delivery of machines and equipment; home
 visits; braille transcribing; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject
 bibliographies

New York New York City and
Long Island

Regional Library

**Library for the Blind and Physically
 Handicapped***
The New York Public Library
166 Avenue of the Americas
New York, NY 10013

Telephone: (212) 925-1011
FAX: (212) 941-6148
Serves: New York City and Long Island
Librarian: Ms. Barbara Nugent
Machine agency: Ms. Barbara Nugent
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

**Talking Books Plus/Outreach Services
Suffolk Cooperative Library System
627 North Sunrise Service Road
Bellport, NY 11713**

Telephone: (516) 286-1600
TDD: (516) 286-4546
FAX: (516) 286-1647
Librarian: Ms. Julie Klauber
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier
Special services: Volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

**Talking Books
Nassau Library System
900 Jerusalem Avenue
Uniondale, NY 11553**

Telephone: (516) 292-8920
TDD: (516) 579-8585
FAX: (516) 481-4777
Librarian: Ms. Dorothy Puryear (acting)
Hours: 8:30–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; children's books
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier; page turner
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

North Carolina

Regional Library

**North Carolina Library for the Blind and
Physically Handicapped
State Library of North Carolina*
Department of Cultural Resources
1811 Capital Boulevard
Raleigh, NC 27635**

Ohio Southern Ohio*Regional Library*

Telephone: (919) 733-4376
In-WATS: 800-662-7726 (North Carolina only)
FAX: (919) 733-6910
Serves: North Carolina, braille readers in South Carolina
Librarian: Mr. Charles H. Fox
Machine agency: Mr. Charles H. Fox
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; volunteer newsletter; subject bibliographies

North Dakota

Eligible readers of North Dakota receive library service from the regional library in Pierre, South Dakota

Machine-Lending Agency

**Services for Visually Impaired
 Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
 Box 8117, University Station
 Grand Forks, ND 58202**

Telephone: (701) 777-2604
 Attention: vacant

**The Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton
 County Library for the Blind and
 Physically Handicapped
 800 Vine Street, Library Square
 Cincinnati, OH 45202-2071**

Telephone: (513) 369-6074 and (513) 369-6075
In-WATS: 800-582-0335
TDD: (513) 369-6072
Serves: Ohio south of Columbus
Librarian: Ms. Donna Foust
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Assistive devices: Braille writer; hardcopy large-print device
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Ohio Northern Ohio*Regional Library*

**Library for the Blind and Physically
 Handicapped
 Cleveland Public Library
 325 Superior Avenue, NW
 Cleveland, OH 44114-1271**

Telephone: (216) 623-2911
In-WATS: 800-362-1262
TDD: (216) 623-7116
FAX: (216) 623-7036
Serves: 55 northern counties of Ohio
Librarian: Ms. Barbara T. Mates
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Local subjects and authors; children's books; books on compact disc
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; compact-disc player; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Machine-Lending Agency

The State Library of Ohio Talking Book Program
65 South Front Street
Columbus, OH 43266-0334
Bulk mail: 65 South Front Street
Columbus, OH 43266-0335

Telephone: (614) 644-6895
In-WATS: 800-686-1531
FAX: (614) 466-3584
Attention: Ms. Judith Bow

Oklahoma

Regional Library

Oklahoma Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*
300 NE 18th Street
Oklahoma City, OK 73105

Telephone: (405) 521-3514 and (405) 521-3833
In-WATS: 800-523-0288
Serves: Oklahoma
Librarian: Ms. Geraldine Adams
Machine agency: Mr. Paul Adams
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; paperless braille device; screen enlarging software
Special services: Radio reading service; braille transcribing; educational material in large print, braille and on cassette; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library

Tulsa City-County Library System
Special Services
1520 North Hartford
Tulsa, OK 74106

Telephone: (918) 596-7920 and (918) 596-7922
TDD: (918) 596-7965
FAX: (918) 596-7283
Librarian: Mrs. Ellen Ontko
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; Optacon
Special services: Volunteer-produced books

Oregon

Regional Library

Oregon State Library Talking Book and Braille Services*

**State Library Building
Salem, OR 97310-0645**

Telephone: (503) 378-3849 and (503) 224-0610
(Portland only; toll free)

In-WATS: 800-452-0292 (except Portland)

FAX: (503) 588-7119

Serves: Oregon

Librarian: Ms. Nancy Stewart

Machine agency: Ms. Mary Mohr

Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; textbooks

Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier; paperless braille device; screen enlarging software

Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced cassette books

Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Telephone: (215) 925-3213

In-WATS: 800-222-1754

FAX: (215) 928-0856

Serves: Bradford, Lycoming, Northumberland, Juniata, Perry, Cumberland, York counties and all counties east; braille readers in all of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and Delaware

Librarian: Ms. Vickie Lange Collins

Machine agency: Mr. Richard A. Riddell

Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books

Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; page turner; paperless braille device; screen enlarging software

Special services: Children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books and magazines

Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Pennsylvania Eastern Pennsylvania

Regional Library

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*

**Free Library of Philadelphia
919 Walnut Street
Philadelphia, PA 19107**

Pennsylvania Western Pennsylvania

Regional Library

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*

**The Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh
The Leonard C. Staisey Building
4724 Baum Boulevard
Pittsburgh, PA 15213**

Telephone: (412) 687-2440
In-WATS: 800-242-0586
FAX: (412) 687-2442
Serves: Western Pennsylvania
Librarian: Mrs. Sue O. Murdock
Machine agency: Mr. Henry Picciafoco
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.
Braille readers receive service from
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Special collections: Reference materials on
blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit
TV; hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Children's summer reading
program; delivery of machines and equipment
Publications: Patron newsletter

Puerto Rico

Regional Library

**Puerto Rico Regional Library for the Blind and
Physically Handicapped***
520 Ponce de Leon Avenue
San Juan, PR 00901

Telephone: (809) 723-2519
In-WATS: 800-462-8008
FAX: (809) 754-0843
Serves: Puerto Rico

Librarian: Mr. Irving Figueroa
Machine agency: Mr. Irving Figueroa
Hours: 7:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Spanish-language books;
local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer;
closed-circuit TV; paperless braille device
Special services: Book discussion group;
children's summer reading program; delivery of
machines and equipment; braille transcribing;
volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of
locally produced materials; subject
bibliographies

Rhode Island

Regional Library

**Regional Library for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped***
Rhode Island Department of State Library
Services
300 Richmond Street
Providence, RI 02903-4222

Telephone: (401) 277-2726
In-WATS: 800-662-5141
TDD: (401) 277-2726
FAX: (401) 351-1311
Serves: Rhode Island
Librarian: Ms. Beth Perry
Machine agency: Mr. Kenneth Marold
Hours: 8:30–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.
 Braille readers receive service from
 Massachusetts.
Special collections: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps; films, videos;
 foreign-language books on cassette; textbooks;
 children's print/cassette books; local subjects
 and authors
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer;
 speech input/out device; hardcopy large-print
 device; magnifier; page turner
Publications: Patron newsletter

South Carolina

Regional Library

South Carolina State Library*
Department for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped
301 Gervais Street
P.O. Box 821
Columbia, SC 29202

Telephone: (803) 737-9970
In-WATS: 800-922-7818
FAX: (803) 734-8676
Serves: South Carolina
Librarian: Ms. Frances Case
Machine agency: Ms. Frances Case
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.
 Braille readers receive service from North
 Carolina.
Special collections: Reference materials on
 blindness and other handicaps; films, videos;
 local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; speech
 input/output device; hardcopy large-print device;
 Kurzweil Reading Machine; Optacon; screen
 enlarging software
Special services: Children's summer reading
 program; radio reading service; volunteer-
 produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of
 locally produced materials

South Dakota

Regional Library

South Dakota Library for the Handicapped*
State Library Building
800 Governors Drive
Pierre, SD 57501-2294

Telephone: (605) 773-3514 (South Dakota); (701) 781-2604 (North Dakota)
In-WATS: 800-592-1841 (South Dakota); 800-843-9948 and 800-843-7927 (North Dakota)
TDD: (605) 773-4194
FAX: (605) 773-4950
Serves: North and South Dakota
Librarian: Mr. Daniel W. Boyd
Machine agency: Mr. Doyle Johnson
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; Lakota Indian-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors; textbooks; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Tennessee

Regional Library

Tennessee Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Tennessee State Library and Archives*
403 Seventh Avenue, North
Nashville, TN 37243-0313

Telephone: (615) 741-3915
In-WATS: 800-342-3308
TDD: (800) 342-3262
Serves: Tennessee
Librarian: Miss Francis H. Ezell
Machine agency: Miss Francis H. Ezell
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service

Texas

Regional Library

Division for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Texas State Library*
P.O. Box 12927
Austin, TX 78711
Bulk mail: 1201 Brazos
Austin, TX 78701

Telephone: (512) 463-5458
In-WATS: 800-252-9605
TDD: (512) 463-5449
Serves: Texas
Librarian: Mr. Dale Propp
Machine agency: Ms. Marie Deckard
Hours: 7:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; Spanish-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier; screen enlarging software
Special services: Children's summer reading program; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Utah

Regional Library

Utah State Library Commission*
Division for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
2150 South 300 West, Suite #16
Salt Lake City, UT 84115

Telephone: (801) 466-6363
In-WATS: 800-662-5540 (Utah); 800-453-4293 (western states)
FAX: (801) 533-4657
Serves: Utah and Wyoming; braille readers in Alaska, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, and South Dakota
Librarian: Mr. Gerald A. Buttars
Machine agency: Mr. Gerald A. Buttars
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; textbooks; books on computer diskette
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Vermont

Regional Library

Vermont Department of Libraries*
Special Services Unit
RD #4 Box 1870
Montpelier, VT 05602

Telephone: (802) 828-3273
In-WATS: 800-479-1711
FAX: (802) 828-2199
Serves: Vermont
Librarian: Mr. Frank Woods
Machine agency: Mr. Frank Woods
Hours: 7:45–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette magazine

Virgin Islands

Regional Library

Virgin Islands Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*
3012 Golden Rock
Christiansted, St. Croix, VI 00820

Telephone: (809) 772-2250
Serves: U.S. Virgin Islands
Librarian: Ms. Dorothy Bronstein
Machine agency: Ms. Dorothy Bronstein
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps

Virginia

Regional Library

Virginia State Library for the Visually and Physically Handicapped*
1901 Roane Street
Richmond, VA 23222-4898

Telephone: (804) 786-8016
In-WATS: 800-552-7015
TDD: (804) 786-8016
FAX: (804) 371-6146
Serves: Virginia
Librarian: Ms. Mary Ruth Halapatz
Machine agency: Ms. Mary Ruth Halapatz
Hours: 7:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Special services: Children's summer reading program; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Libraries

Special Services
Fairfax County Public Library
6209 Rose Hill Drive
Alexandria, VA 22310

Telephone: (703) 971-0030
TDD: (703) 971-6612
Librarian: Ms. Jeanette A. Studley
Hours: 1:00–9:00, M & Th; 10:00–9:00, T & W; 10:00–6:00, F; 9:00–5:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; closed-circuit TV; speech input/output device; page turner
Special services: Book discussion group; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Alexandria Library Talking Book Service
826 Slaters Lane
Alexandria, VA 22314

Telephone: (703) 838-4298
TDD: (703) 838-4568
Librarian: Mrs. Patricia Bates
Hours: 9:00–1:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Home visits

Talking Book Service
Arlington County Department of Libraries
1015 North Quincy Street
Arlington, VA 22201

Telephone: (703) 358-7125
TDD: (703) 358-6320
FAX: (703) 358-4454
Librarian: Ms. Roxanne Barnes
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos
Assistive devices: Braille writer; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; volunteer-produced materials

Fredericksburg Area Subregional Library
Central Rappahannock Regional Library
1201 Caroline Street
Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Telephone: (703) 372-1144
In-WATS: 800-628-4807
TDD: (703) 372-1144
FAX: (703) 373-9411
Librarian: Ms. Nancy Schiff
Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; toy library
Assistive devices: Magnifiers
Special services: Children's summer reading program; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Hampton Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
4207 Victoria Boulevard
Hampton, VA 23669

Telephone: (804) 727-1900
TDD: (804) 727-1900
FAX: (804) 727-1152
Librarian: Ms. Mary Sue Newman
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; speech output device; hardcopy large-print device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; home visits; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Newport News Public Library System
112 Main Street
Newport News, VA 23601**

Telephone: (804) 591-7418 and (804) 886-2828
TDD: (804) 591-7418
FAX: (804) 591-7465
Librarian: Ms. Julie M. Hewin
Hours: 8:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced large print books

**Roanoke City Public Library/Outreach Services
706 South Jefferson Street
Roanoke, VA 24016**

Telephone: (703) 981-2921
Librarian: Mrs. Rebecca Cooper
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publication: Patron newsletter

**Talking Book Center
Staunton Public Library
19 South Market Street
Staunton, VA 24401**

Telephone: (703) 885-6215
Librarian: Mr. Oakley Pearson
Hours: 9:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Hardcopy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

**Special Services Division
Virginia Beach Public Library
930 Independence Boulevard
Virginia Beach, VA 23455**

Telephone: (804) 464-9175
TDD: (804) 464-9136
FAX: (804) 464-6741
Librarian: Mrs. Aleen Wicher
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; Kurzweil Personal Reader; magnifier; Optacon; paperless braille device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; braille transcribing
Publications: Patron newsletter

Washington

Regional Library

Washington Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped*
821 Lenora Street
Seattle, WA 98129

Telephone: (206) 464-6930

In-WATS: 800-542-0866

TDD: (206) 464-6930

FAX: (206) 464-0247

Serves: Washington

Librarian: Ms. Jan Ames

Machine agency: Ms. Phyllis Cairns

Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; textbooks

Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; speech input/output device; hardcopy large-print device; magnifier; paperless braille device

Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books

Publications: Patron newsletter

West Virginia

Regional Library

West Virginia Library Commission*
Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Science and Cultural Center
Greenbrier and Washington Streets
Charleston, WV 25305

Telephone: (304) 348-4061

In-WATS: 800-642-8674

FAX: (304) 348-2044

Serves: West Virginia

Librarian: Ms. Shirley Smith (acting)

Machine agency: Mr. Joe Ferrell

Hours: 8:45–5:00, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.

Braille readers receive service from

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors

Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifiers

Special services: Radio reading service;

volunteer-produced materials

Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Libraries

Services for Blind and Physically Handicapped
Kanawha County Public Library
123 Capitol Street
Charleston, WV 25301

Telephone: (304) 343-4646, ext. 64

Librarian: Ms. Mary Penn

Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F

Book collection: Disc, cassette

Assistive devices: Magnifier

Special services: Radio reading service

Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Cabell County Public Library
455 Ninth Street Plaza
Huntington, WV 25701

Telephone: (304) 523-9451
FAX: (304) 522-4721
Librarian: Ms. Suzanne L. Coldiron
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille printer; braille writer; magnifier; page turner
Special services: Radio reading service

**Parkersburg and Wood County Public Library
Services for the Blind and Physically
Handicapped**

**3100 Emerson Avenue
Parkersburg, WV 26104-2414**

Telephone: (304) 485-6564
FAX: (304) 485-6580
Librarian: Mr. Mike Hickman
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special services: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Hardcopy large-print device

**West Virginia School for the Blind
301 E. Main Street
Romney, WV 26757**

Telephone: (304) 822-3521, ext. 218
Librarian: Mrs. Donna See
Hours: 8:00–8:30, M–Th; 8:00–5:00, F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits

**Ohio County Public Library Services for the
Blind and Physically Handicapped
52 16th Street
Wheeling, WV 26003-3696**

Telephone: (304) 232-0244
Librarian: Mrs. Eleanor Gibson
Hours: 9:00–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette

Wisconsin

Regional Library

**Wisconsin Regional Library for the Blind and
Physically Handicapped*
813 West Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53233-1404**

Telephone: (414) 278-3045
In-WATS: 800-242-8822
TDD: (414) 278-3062
FAX: (414) 278-2137
Serves: Wisconsin
Librarian: Ms. Marsha Valance
Machine agency: Ms. Marsha Valance
Hours: 8:15–4:45, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subject authors; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; Kurzweil Reading Machine; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Wyoming

Eligible readers of Wyoming receive library service from the regional library in Salt Lake City, Utah

Machine-Lending Agency

**State Department of Education Services for
Visually Handicapped
Hathaway Building, Room 144
Cheyenne, WY 82002**

Telephone: (307) 777-7274
Attention: Mr. Kent Jensen

Other Library Resources

Books Aloud, Inc.
P.O. Box 5731
San Jose, CA 95150-5731

Telephone: (408) 277-4839; 277-4878
Contact person: Ms. Karen Hillhouse
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F (taped message after hours)
Eligibility: Visual and physical handicaps.
Doctor's certificate required
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: General interest
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: Free loan, monthly revolving
Catalog available: In regular print; free on request; quarterly newsletter announces new titles

Braille Association of Kansas, Inc.
P.O. Box 17032
Wichita, KS 67217

Telephone: (316) 265-6504
Contact person: Mrs. Mary Ann Oblinger
Hours: 9:00–12:00, M–F
Eligibility: Need for braille or tape reading materials
Book collection: Braille, cassette or open-reel tape
Subjects: General interest; textbooks; professional/vocational
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: Charge for raw materials used (need not be returned)

Christian Record Services, Inc.
4444 South 52nd Street, P.O. Box 6097
Lincoln, NE 68516

Telephone: (402) 488-0981
Contact person: Ms. Janelle M. Wise
Hours: 7:30–5:30, M–Th
Eligibility: Legal blindness and physical handicaps that prevent reading standard print
Book collection: Braille, cassette, large print
Subjects: General interest with religious orientation (interdenominational)
Reading levels: Adult, young adult, and children
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: In large print; free on request

Educational Tape Recording for the Blind
3915 West 103rd Street
Chicago, IL 60655

Telephone: (312) 445-3533
Contact person: Mrs. Vivette R. Rifkin
Hours: 9:00–4:00, M–F; 9:00–1:00, Sat
Eligibility: Visual, physical, and mental handicaps
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: Textbooks and other assigned material
Reading levels: Students at all levels
Distribution policy: On loan for a \$25 annual fee
Catalog available: In regular print; issued yearly; free to registered borrowers

Horizons for the Blind, Inc.
7001 North Clark Street
Chicago, IL 60626

Telephone: (312) 973-7600
Contact person: Ms. Camille A. Caffarelli
Hours: 8:30–4:30, M–F
Eligibility: Legal blindness
Book collection: Braille, cassette, large print
Subjects: Arts, crafts, sciences, recreation
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: On loan for a \$10 annual fee or for purchase
Catalog available: In large print and in braille; issued irregularly; free on request

Jewish Braille Institute of America, Inc.
110 East 30th Street
New York, NY 10016

Telephone: (212) 889-2525
Contact person: Cantor Mindy Fliegelman
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Inability to read standard print
Book collection: Braille, cassette, large print
Subjects: Judaica; Jewish interest
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: Free on request to subscribers only (indicate interest areas and media)

JGB Cassette Library International
(Jewish Guild for the Blind)
15 West 65th Street
New York, NY 10023

Telephone: (212) 769-6331
Contact person: Mr. Bruce E. Massis
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Inability to read standard print
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: General interest
Reading levels: Adult
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: In large print and on cassette; issued semi-annually; free on request

Johanna Bureau for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Inc.
8 South Michigan Avenue
Chicago, IL 60603

Telephone: (312) 332-6076
Contact person: Mrs. Edith Weiner
Hours: 9:00–4:00, M–F
Eligibility: Visual and physical handicaps
Book collection: Braille, cassette or open-reel tape
Subjects: General interest; textbooks, including mathematics texts; professional/vocational
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: Charge for braille: 11¢ per page; tape exchange or \$1.40 per C-90 cassette. Material need not be returned.
Catalog available: Braille catalog in standard print and on cassette; free on request

National Association for Visually Handicapped
22 West 21st Street
New York, NY 10010*

Telephone: (212) 889-3141
Contact person: Mrs. Lorraine H. Marchi
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Partially sighted
Book collection: Large print
Subjects: General interest
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: Free loan; donations of \$5.00–\$7.50 for titles published by NAVH
Catalog available: In large type; issued annually; free on request (indicate adult or child)

*Residents of western states, including Alaska and Hawaii, should contact:

Other Library Resources

National Association for Visually Handicapped
3201 Balboa Street
San Francisco, CA 94121

Telephone: (415) 221-3201

National Braille Association, Inc.
1290 University Avenue
Rochester, NY 14607

Telephone: (716) 473-0900

Contact person: Ms. Patricia Stoudt

Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F

Eligibility: Need for braille reading materials

Book collection: Braille

Subjects: General interest; textbooks; technical tables; professional/vocational; music

Reading levels: Adult

Distribution policy: Charge for raw materials used (need not be returned)

Catalog available: In regular print and on cassette; textbook catalog, general interest catalog, or music catalog free on request

Readings for the Blind
29451 Greenfield Road, Suite 188
Southfield, MI 48076

Telephone: (313) 557-7776

Contact person: Ms. Emily McSweeney

Hours: 9:00–3:00, M–W; 9:00–12:00, Th

Eligibility: Inability to read standard print

Book collection: Cassette or open-reel tape

Subjects: General interest; textbooks; professional/vocational

Reading levels: Adult and children

Distribution policy: Free loan; tapes exchanged; or pay for cost of materials used

Catalog available: In regular print; issued annually; free on request

Recording for the Blind
20 Roszel Road
Princeton, NJ 08540

Telephone: (609) 452-0606

In-WATS: 800-221-4792. Use for book orders and inquiries, M–F

Contact person: Customer Services

Hours: 8:30–4:45, M–F (taped messages after hours)

Eligibility: Any person with a documented print disability—blindness, low vision, learning disabilities, or other impairments that affect reading. Completed application form must be submitted, accompanied by a \$25 registration fee.

Book collection: Cassette, computer diskette

Subjects: Educational, professional, vocational, and general interest

Reading levels: Adult and children (5th grade and above)

Distribution policy: Audio books on cassette—free on loan for 1 year; computerized books on diskette—available for purchase (price varies)

Catalog available: Print Catalog: Volumes 1 and 2, with 1985–90 supplement—\$20; Quarterly Recorded Catalog—\$12/year.

The Volunteers of Vacaville
P.O. Box 670
Vacaville, CA 95696

Telephone: (707) 448-6841, ext. 2044
Contact person: Community Resources Manager
Hours: 8:00–4:00, M–F
Eligibility: Inability to read standard print
(blindness and physical handicaps)
Book collection: Cassette or open-reel tape
Subjects: General interest; textbooks;
professional/vocational
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: Nominal fee; tapes may be
purchased
Catalog available: In regular print and on tape
for a nominal fee

Xavier Society for the Blind
154 East 23rd Street
New York, NY 10010

Telephone: (212) 473-7800
Contact person: Informationist
Hours: 9:00–4:45, M–F
Eligibility: Legal blindness or physical disability
Book collection: Braille, cassette, large print
Subjects: Religious textbooks (Roman Catholic
schools); nonfiction titles with a religious
orientation; general Catholic periodicals
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: In braille, large print, and on
cassette; issued irregularly; free to registered
borrowers

READERSHIP AND CIRCULATION—FY 1990
Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
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| Montgomery, ALABAMA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 2,250 | 29,600 | 13.2 | 190 | 3,700 | 19.5 | 4,600 | 161,400 | 35.1 | 7,040 | 194,700 | 27.7 |
| Deposit Collections | 90 | 800 | 8.9 | 20 | 200 | 10.0 | 180 | 2,700 | 15.0 | 290 | 3,700 | 12.8 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 48,200 | | | 5,800 | | | 8,900 | | | 62,900 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 100 | | | 100 | | | 900 | | | 1,100 | |
| Total | | 78,700 | | | 9,800 | | | 173,900 | | | 262,400 | |
| Anchorage, ALASKA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 180 | 800 | 4.4 | | | | 490 | 17,400 | 35.5 | 670 | 18,200 | 27.2 |
| Deposit Collections | 20 | 300 | 15.0 | | Served by Utah | | 60 | 2,500 | 41.7 | 80 | 2,800 | 35.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 5,300 | | | | | | 800 | | | 6,100 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 6,400 | | | | | | 20,700 | | | 27,100 | |
| Phoenix, ARIZONA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 2,770 | 38,300 | 13.8 | | | | 8,760 | 342,300 | 39.1 | 11,530 | 380,600 | 33.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 300 | 300 | 1.0 | | Served by Los Angeles, California | | 710 | 6,400 | 9.0 | 1,010 | 6,700 | 6.6 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 66,100 | | | | | | 10,000 | | | 76,100 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | 800 | | | 800 | |
| Total | | 104,700 | | | | | | 359,500 | | | 464,200 | |
| Little Rock, ARKANSAS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,750 | 26,300 | 15.0 | 120 | 3,300 | 27.5 | 3,700 | 142,900 | 38.6 | 5,570 | 172,500 | 31.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 130 | 1,400 | 10.8 | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | 210 | 5,100 | 24.3 | 350 | 6,600 | 18.9 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 31,600 | | | 2,700 | | | 5,200 | | | 39,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | 20 | | | 300 | | | 320 | |
| Total | | 59,300 | | | 6,120 | | | 153,500 | | | 218,920 | |

READERSHIP AND CIRCULATION—FY 1990
Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Los Angeles, CALIFORNIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Southern California | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 6,900 | 54,200 | 7.9 | 550 | 8,400 | 15.3 | 13,580 | 488,700 | 36.0 | 21,030 | 551,300 | 26.2 |
| Deposit Collections | 230 | 1,500 | 6.5 | 40 | 900 | 22.5 | 540 | 28,100 | 52.0 | 810 | 30,500 | 37.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 210,400 | | | 18,900 | | | 30,800 | | | 260,100 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | 100 | | | 100 | | | 200 | |
| Total | | 266,100 | | | 28,300 | | | 547,700 | | | 842,100 | |
| Arizona | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 60 | 1,600 | 26.7 | | | | 60 | 1,600 | 26.7 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | | N/A | | 10 | 100 | 10.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | 3,600 | | | | | | 3,600 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 5,300 | | | | | | 5,300 | |
| Total—Los Angeles, CA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 6,900 | 54,200 | 7.9 | 610 | 10,000 | 16.4 | 13,580 | 488,700 | 36.0 | 21,090 | 552,900 | 26.2 |
| Deposit Collections | 230 | 1,500 | 6.5 | 50 | 1,000 | 20.0 | 540 | 28,100 | 52.0 | 820 | 30,600 | 37.3 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 210,400 | | | 22,500 | | | 30,800 | | | 263,700 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | 100 | | | 100 | | | 200 | |
| Total | | 266,100 | | | 33,600 | | | 547,700 | | | 847,400 | |
| Sacramento, CALIFORNIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 6,620 | 74,700 | 11.3 | 560 | 12,600 | 22.5 | 14,370 | 524,800 | 36.5 | 21,550 | 612,100 | 28.4 |
| Deposit Collections | 450 | 2,700 | 6.0 | 40 | 400 | 10.0 | 730 | 17,300 | 23.7 | 1,220 | 20,400 | 16.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 181,200 | | | 19,200 | | | 28,600 | | | 229,000 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 300 | | | 100 | | | 1,100 | | | 1,500 | |
| Total | | 258,900 | | | 32,300 | | | 571,800 | | | 863,000 | |

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Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Denver, COLORADO | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 4,920 | 36,300 | 7.4 | | | | 8,270 | 215,000 | 26.0 | 13,190 | 251,300 | 19.1 |
| Deposit Collections | 340 | 300 | 0.9 | | | | 550 | 4,300 | 7.8 | 890 | 4,600 | 5.2 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 91,800 | | | | | | 9,400 | | | 101,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 128,400 | | | | | | 228,700 | | | 357,100 | |
| Rocky Hill, CONNECTICUT | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,670 | 16,600 | 4.5 | 230 | 3,100 | 13.5 | 5,530 | 197,200 | 35.7 | 9,430 | 216,900 | 23.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 280 | 200 | 0.7 | 10 | 60 | 6.0 | 240 | 2,300 | 9.6 | 530 | 2,560 | 4.8 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 34,800 | | | 5,200 | | | 6,500 | | | 46,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | 200 | | | 200 | |
| Total | | 51,600 | | | 8,360 | | | 206,200 | | | 266,160 | |
| Dover, DELAWARE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 530 | 5,900 | 11.1 | | | | 1,010 | 48,700 | 48.2 | 1,540 | 54,600 | 35.5 |
| Deposit Collections | 30 | 100 | 3.3 | | | | 50 | 1,100 | 22.0 | 80 | 1,200 | 15.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 18,200 | | | | | | 1,500 | | | 19,700 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 24,200 | | | | | | 51,300 | | | 75,500 | |
| Washington, D.C. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,450 | 19,500 | 13.4 | 60 | 1,000 | 16.7 | 1,950 | 82,200 | 42.2 | 3,460 | 102,700 | 29.7 |
| Deposit Collections | 20 | 4,600 | 230.0 | 1 | — | 0.0 | 50 | 9,100 | 182.0 | 71 | 13,700 | 193.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 31,200 | | | 2,400 | | | 600 | | | 34,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 55,300 | | | 3,400 | | | 91,900 | | | 150,600 | |

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READERSHIP AND CIRCULATION—FY 1990
Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Daytona Beach, FLORIDA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 14,470 | 136,500 | 9.4 | 630 | 10,600 | 16.8 | 26,900 | 1,020,600 | 37.9 | 42,000 | 1,167,700 | 27.8 |
| Deposit Collections | 570 | 7,700 | 13.5 | 70 | 1,900 | 27.1 | 1,020 | 24,100 | 23.6 | 1,660 | 33,700 | 20.3 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 279,500 | | | 12,000 | | | 32,200 | | | 323,700 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 400 | | | 100 | | | 2,000 | | | 2,500 | |
| Total | | 424,100 | | | 24,600 | | | 1,078,900 | | | 1,527,600 | |
| Atlanta, GEORGIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,680 | 37,200 | 10.1 | 410 | 5,600 | 13.7 | 9,390 | 335,700 | 35.8 | 13,480 | 378,500 | 28.1 |
| Deposit Collections | 650 | 8,200 | 12.6 | 50 | 200 | 4.0 | 1,040 | 31,000 | 29.8 | 1,740 | 39,400 | 22.6 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 61,900 | | | 6,400 | | | 18,000 | | | 86,300 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 500 | | | — | | | 4,300 | | | 4,800 | |
| Total | | 107,800 | | | 12,200 | | | 389,000 | | | 509,000 | |
| Honolulu, HAWAII | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 460 | 5,300 | 11.5 | 70 | 1,600 | 22.9 | 730 | 27,100 | 37.1 | 1,260 | 34,000 | 27.0 |
| Deposit Collections | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 0.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 6,900 | | | 1,400 | | | 500 | | | 8,800 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 12,200 | | | 3,000 | | | 27,600 | | | 42,800 | |
| Boise, IDAHO | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 640 | 6,800 | 10.6 | | Served | | 2,000 | 92,900 | 46.5 | 2,640 | 99,700 | 37.8 |
| Deposit Collections | 20 | 10 | 0.5 | | by | | 40 | 400 | 10.0 | 60 | 410 | 6.8 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 18,900 | | | Utah | | | 3,700 | | | 22,600 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 25,710 | | | | | | 97,000 | | | 122,710 | |

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Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Chicago, ILLINOIS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 7,570 | 51,000 | 6.7 | 500 | 8,200 | 16.4 | 16,910 | 656,700 | 38.8 | 24,980 | 715,900 | 28.7 |
| Deposit Collections | 710 | 2,700 | 3.8 | 50 | 300 | 6.0 | 2,050 | 37,900 | 18.5 | 2,810 | 40,900 | 14.6 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 182,200 | | | 22,000 | | | 35,300 | | | 239,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 10,000 | | | 7,000 | | | 64,400 | | | 81,400 | |
| Total | | 245,900 | | | 37,500 | | | 794,300 | | | 1,077,700 | |
| Indianapolis, INDIANA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,900 | 56,500 | 14.5 | 310 | 6,400 | 20.6 | 7,310 | 288,200 | 39.4 | 11,520 | 351,100 | 30.5 |
| Deposit Collections | 330 | 2,600 | 7.9 | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | 490 | 10,800 | 22.0 | 830 | 13,500 | 16.3 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 149,600 | | | 7,900 | | | 13,000 | | | 170,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 400 | | | 300 | | | 1,500 | | | 2,200 | |
| Total | | 209,100 | | | 14,700 | | | 313,500 | | | 537,300 | |
| Des Moines, IOWA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,800 | 56,400 ^c | 14.8 | 410 | 10,800 ^c | 26.3 | 5,590 | 72,900 ^c | 13.0 | 9,800 | 140,100 ^c | 14.3 |
| Deposit Collections | 430 | 900 ^c | 2.1 | 10 | — ^c | — | 480 | 2,200 ^c | 4.6 | 920 | 3,100 ^c | 3.4 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 91,400 | | | 5,100 | | | 8,200 | | | 104,700 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 148,700 | | | 15,900 | | | 83,300 | | | 247,900 | |
| Emporia, KANSAS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 2,100 | 35,600 | 16.4 | 60 | 2,200 | 36.7 | 5,630 | 176,000 | 31.3 | 7,860 | 213,800 | 27.2 |
| Deposit Collections | 370 | 2,300 | 6.2 | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | 600 | 9,600 | 16.0 | 980 | 12,000 | 12.2 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 67,300 | | | 2,100 | | | 7,400 | | | 76,800 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 200 | | | — | | | 1,900 | | | 2,100 | |
| Total | | 105,400 | | | 4,400 | | | 194,900 | | | 304,700 | |

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Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Frankfort, KENTUCKY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,870 | 26,000 | 13.9 | 110 | 2,300 | 20.9 | 4,440 | 177,300 | 39.9 | 6,420 | 205,600 | 32.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 160 | 900 | 5.6 | 10 | 300 | 30.0 | 320 | 7,100 | 22.2 | 490 | 8,300 | 16.9 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 57,200 | | | 6,200 | | | 8,800 | | | 72,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 400 | | | 20 | | | 1,400 | | | 1,820 | |
| Total | | 84,500 | | | 8,820 | | | 194,600 | | | 287,920 | |
| Baton Rouge, LOUISIANA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,430 | 15,700 | 11.0 | 170 | 3,900 | 22.9 | 2,820 | 121,900 | 43.2 | 4,420 | 141,500 | 32.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 130 | 500 | 3.8 | 30 | 200 | 6.7 | 140 | 2,100 | 15.0 | 300 | 2,800 | 9.3 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 13,100 | | | 3,300 | | | 5,800 | | | 52,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 59,300 | | | 7,400 | | | 129,800 | | | 196,500 | |
| Augusta, MAINE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 630 | 7,000 | 11.1 | | Served | | 1,740 | 77,200 | 44.4 | 2,370 | 84,200 | 35.5 |
| Deposit Collections | — | — | — | | by | | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 32,800 | | | Massachusetts | | | 4,700 | | | 37,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 39,800 | | | | | | 81,900 | | | 121,700 | |
| Baltimore, MARYLAND | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 2,190 | 21,600 | 9.9 | 120 | 2,100 | 17.5 | 4,710 | 191,300 | 40.6 | 7,020 | 215,000 | 30.6 |
| Deposit Collections | 130 | 1,700 | 13.1 | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | 190 | 8,400 | 44.2 | 330 | 10,200 | 30.9 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 59,800 | | | 8,800 | | | 9,600 | | | 78,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 83,100 | | | 11,000 | | | 209,300 | | | 303,400 | |

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Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
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| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Watertown, MASSACHUSETTS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Massachusetts | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 7,020 | 39,000 | 5.6 | 620 | 5,500 | 8.9 | 11,480 | 158,500 | 13.8 | 19,120 | 203,000 | 10.6 |
| Deposit Collections | 660 | 2,400 | 3.6 | 20 | 200 | 10.0 | 820 | 9,000 | 11.0 | 1,500 | 11,600 | 7.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 131,600 | | | 17,000 | | | 13,900 | | | 162,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | 30 | | | 30 | |
| Total | | 173,000 | | | 22,700 | | | 181,430 | | | 377,130 | |
| Maine | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 50 | 900 | 18.0 | | | | 50 | 900 | 18.0 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | — | — | — | | | | — | — | — |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | N/A | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 900 | | | | | | 900 | |
| New Hampshire | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 40 | 600 | 15.0 | | | | 40 | 600 | 15.0 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 1 | 30 | 30.0 | | | | 1 | 30 | 30.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | N/A | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 630 | | | | | | 630 | |
| Rhode Island | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 30 | 200 | 6.7 | | | | 30 | 200 | 6.7 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | — | — | — | | | | — | — | — |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | 900 | | | N/A | | | 900 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 1,100 | | | | | | 1,100 | |

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| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|---|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Vermont | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 30 | 600 | 20.0 | | | | 30 | 600 | 20.0 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 3 | 20 | 6.7 | | N/A | | 3 | 20 | 6.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 620 | | | | | | 620 | |
| Total—Watertown | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 7,020 | 39,000 | 5.6 | 770 | 7,800 | 10.1 | 11,480 | 158,500 | 13.8 | 19,270 | 205,300 | 10.7 |
| Deposit Collections | 660 | 2,400 | 3.6 | 24 | 250 | 10.4 | 820 | 9,000 | 11.0 | 1,504 | 11,650 | 7.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 131,600 | | | 17,900 | | | 13,900 | | | 163,400 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | 30 | | | 30 | |
| Total | | 173,000 | | | 25,950 | | | 181,430 | | | 380,380 | |
| Lansing, MICHIGAN (Includes braille service to Wayne, MI) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 6,700 | 62,800 | 9.4 | 920 | 11,100 | 12.1 | 12,750 | 385,900 | 30.3 | 20,370 | 459,800 | 22.6 |
| Deposit Collections | 510 | 1,800 | 3.5 | 120 | 500 | 4.2 | 930 | 9,700 | 10.4 | 1,560 | 12,000 | 7.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 143,100 | | | 17,700 | | | 15,500 | | | 176,300 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 207,700 | | | 29,300 | | | 411,100 | | | 648,100 | |
| Wayne, MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,610 | 5,700 | 3.5 | | | | 2,470 | 51,600 | 20.9 | 4,080 | 57,300 | 14.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 80 | 200 | 2.5 | | | | 100 | 2,500 | 25.0 | 180 | 2,700 | 15.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 58,900 | | | | | | 4,300 | | | 63,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 30 | | | | | | 400 | | | 430 | |
| Total | | 64,830 | | | | | | 58,800 | | | 123,630 | |

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| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Faribault, MINNESOTA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,970 | 16,900 | 8.6 | 440 | 5,800 | 13.2 | 5,680 | 177,900 | 31.3 | 8,090 | 200,600 | 24.8 |
| Deposit Collections | 90 | 200 | 2.2 | 20 | 100 | 5.0 | 160 | 3,300 | 20.6 | 270 | 3,600 | 13.3 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 56,600 | | | 7,300 | | | 13,900 | | | 77,800 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | 40 | | | 40 | |
| Total | | 73,700 | | | 13,200 | | | 195,140 | | | 282,040 | |
| Jackson, MISSISSIPPI | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 720 | 8,100 | 11.3 | 100 | 1,500 | 15.0 | 1,880 | 85,500 | 45.5 | 2,700 | 95,100 | 35.2 |
| Deposit Collections | 70 | 400 | 5.7 | 10 | 50 | 5.0 | 120 | 4,700 | 39.2 | 200 | 5,150 | 25.8 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 26,500 | | | 2,200 | | | 2,800 | | | 31,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 35,000 | | | 3,750 | | | 93,000 | | | 131,750 | |
| Jefferson City, MISSOURI | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 5,700 | 74,600 | 13.1 | 500 | 8,100 | 16.2 | 9,670 | 248,400 | 25.7 | 15,870 | 331,100 | 20.9 |
| Deposit Collections | 430 | 2,700 | 6.3 | 60 | 300 | 5.0 | 640 | 7,200 | 11.3 | 1,130 | 10,200 | 9.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 71,100 | | | 7,800 | | | 12,700 | | | 91,600 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 148,400 | | | 16,200 | | | 268,300 | | | 432,900 | |
| Helena, MONTANA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 570 | 7,400 | 13.0 | | Served | | 2,020 | 101,000 | 50.0 | 2,590 | 108,400 | 41.9 |
| Deposit Collections | 30 | 100 | 3.3 | | by | | 100 | 2,900 | 29.0 | 130 | 3,000 | 23.1 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 14,900 | | | Utah | | | 4,100 | | | 19,000 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | 20 | | | 20 | |
| Total | | 22,400 | | | | | | 108,020 | | | 130,420 | |

READERSHIP AND CIRCULATION—FY 1990
Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Lincoln, NEBRASKA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,080 | 22,500 | 20.8 | Served by Utah | | | 2,750 | 162,500 | 59.1 | 3,830 | 185,000 | 48.3 |
| Deposit Collections | 130 | 1,200 | 9.2 | | | | 260 | 11,100 | 42.7 | 390 | 12,300 | 31.5 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 25,700 | | | | | | 6,500 | | | 32,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 30 | | | | | | 700 | | | 730 | |
| Total | | 49,430 | | | | | | 180,800 | | | 230,230 | |
| Carson City, NEVADA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 720 | 9,400 | 13.1 | Served by Utah | | | 1,190 | 64,000 | 53.8 | 1,910 | 73,400 | 38.4 |
| Deposit Collections | 2 | 100 | 50.0 | | | | 40 | 300 | 7.5 | 42 | 400 | 9.5 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 30,800 | | | | | | 2,700 | | | 33,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 100 | | | | | | 900 | | | 1,000 | |
| Total | | 40,400 | | | 67,900 | | | 108,300 | | | | |
| Concord, NEW HAMPSHIRE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals ^c | 880 | 12,600 | 14.3 | Served by Massachusetts | | | 1,490 | 80,800 | 54.2 | 2,370 | 93,400 | 39.4 |
| Deposit Collections ^c | 70 | 100 | 1.4 | | | | 30 | 1,700 | 56.7 | 100 | 1,800 | 18.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 24,800 | | | | | | 3,400 | | | 28,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan ^c | | — | | | | | | 100 | | | 100 | |
| Total | | 37,500 | | | 86,000 | | | 123,500 | | | | |
| Trenton, NEW JERSEY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 4,110 | 56,900 | 13.8 | 560 | 10,400 | 18.6 | 7,760 | 347,100 | 44.7 | 12,430 | 414,400 | 33.3 |
| Deposit Collections | 110 | 700 | 6.4 | 10 | 50 | — | 170 | 3,600 | 21.2 | 290 | 4,350 | 15.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 97,800 | | | 8,400 | | | 13,100 | | | 119,300 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 155,400 | | | 18,850 | | | 363,800 | | | 538,050 | |

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National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|--|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Santa Fe, NEW MEXICO | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,070 | 18,100 | 16.9 | | | | 2,650 | 67,800 | 25.6 | 3,720 | 85,900 | 23.1 |
| Deposit Collections | 130 | 100 | 0.8 | | | | 180 | 1,800 | 10.0 | 310 | 1,900 | 6.1 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 21,300 | | | | | | 5,600 | | | 26,900 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 39,500 | | | | | | 75,200 | | | 114,700 | |
| Albany, NEW YORK (Except NYC and L.I.) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 6,090 | 58,700 | 9.6 | 550 | 8,900 | 16.2 | 15,090 | 485,700 | 32.2 | 21,730 | 553,300 | 25.5 |
| Deposit Collections | 1,330 | 5,800 | 4.4 | 630 | 1,700 | 2.7 | 1,930 | 30,700 | 15.9 | 3,890 | 38,200 | 9.8 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 134,900 | | | 12,900 | | | 33,100 | | | 180,900 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 199,400 | | | 23,500 | | | 549,500 | | | 772,400 | |
| New York, NEW YORK | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 6,590 | 65,300 | 9.9 | 660 | 9,900 | 15.0 | 11,740 | 543,800 | 46.3 | 18,990 | 619,000 | 32.6 |
| Deposit Collections | 650 | 1,100 | 1.7 | 20 | 20 | 1.0 | 750 | 13,700 | 18.3 | 1,420 | 14,820 | 10.4 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 120,200 | | | 16,000 | | | 16,100 | | | 152,300 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 100 | | | — | | | 1,100 | | | 1,200 | |
| Total | | 186,700 | | | 25,920 | | | 574,700 | | | 787,320 | |
| Raleigh, NORTH CAROLINA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| North Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 2,570 | 60,300 | 23.5 | 390 | 8,300 | 21.3 | 6,050 | 237,500 | 39.3 | 9,010 | 306,100 | 34.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 170 | 2,300 | 13.5 | 20 | 200 | 10.0 | 270 | 6,100 | 22.6 | 460 | 8,600 | 18.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 94,100 | | | 12,500 | | | 12,100 | | | 118,700 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 156,700 | | | 21,000 | | | 255,700 | | | 433,400 | |

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READERSHIP AND CIRCULATION—FY 1990
Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 60 | 2,100 | 35.0 | | | | 60 | 2,100 | 35.0 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 1 | 10 | 10.0 | | N/A | | 1 | 10 | 10.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 2,110 | | | | | | 2,110 | |
| Total—Raleigh | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 2,570 | 60,300 | 23.5 | 450 | 10,400 | 23.1 | 6,050 | 237,500 | 39.3 | 9,070 | 308,200 | 34.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 170 | 2,300 | 13.5 | 21 | 210 | 10.0 | 270 | 6,100 | 22.6 | 461 | 8,610 | 18.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 94,100 | | | 12,500 | | | 12,100 | | | 118,700 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 156,700 | | | 23,110 | | | 255,700 | | | 435,510 | |
| Cincinnati, OHIO | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,060 | 68,900 | 22.5 | 190 | 5,000 | 26.3 | 4,470 | 255,300 | 57.1 | 7,720 | 329,200 | 42.6 |
| Deposit Collections | 320 | 5,500 | 17.2 | 20 | 500 | 25.0 | 330 | 16,400 | 49.7 | 670 | 22,400 | 33.4 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 55,900 | | | 5,900 | | | 6,100 | | | 67,900 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 130,300 | | | 11,400 | | | 277,800 | | | 419,500 | |
| Cleveland, OHIO | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 7,140 | 87,800 | 12.3 | 450 | 9,500 | 21.1 | 10,250 | 507,500 | 49.5 | 17,840 | 604,800 | 33.9 |
| Deposit Collections | 580 | 6,000 | 10.3 | 30 | 400 | 13.3 | 690 | 28,100 | 40.7 | 1,300 | 34,500 | 26.5 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 103,100 | | | 10,700 | | | 14,400 | | | 128,200 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 196,900 | | | 20,600 | | | 550,000 | | | 767,500 | |

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Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Oklahoma City, OKLAHOMA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,810 | 24,100 | 13.3 | 160 | 3,300 | 20.6 | 4,230 | 190,400 | 45.0 | 6,200 | 217,800 | 35.1 |
| Deposit Collections | 120 | 700 | 5.8 | 10 | — | — | 240 | 6,000 | 25.0 | 370 | 6,700 | 18.1 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 37,100 | | | 4,800 | | | 6,800 | | | 48,700 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 200 | | | 200 | | | 100 | | | 500 | |
| Total | | 62,100 | | | 8,300 | | | 203,300 | | | 273,700 | |
| Salem, OREGON | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,040 | 34,800 | 11.4 | 160 | 3,500 | 21.9 | 5,800 | 249,900 | 43.1 | 9,000 | 288,200 | 32.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 100 | 400 | 4.0 | 10 | 20 | 2.0 | 190 | 3,200 | 16.8 | 300 | 3,620 | 12.1 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 46,800 | | | 3,800 | | | 8,300 | | | 58,900 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 82,000 | | | 7,320 | | | 261,400 | | | 350,720 | |
| Philadelphia, PENNSYLVANIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern Pennsylvania | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 7,050 | 165,600 | 23.5 | 1,040 | 15,600 | 15.0 | 9,330 | 307,200 | 32.9 | 17,420 | 488,400 | 28.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 280 | 3,600 | 12.9 | 60 | 1,900 | 31.7 | 350 | 8,200 | 23.4 | 690 | 13,700 | 19.9 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 216,300 | | | 26,800 | | | 22,500 | | | 265,600 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 385,500 | | | 44,300 | | | 337,900 | | | 767,700 | |
| Delaware | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 50 | 1,100 | 22.0 | | | | 50 | 1,100 | 22.0 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 5 | 50 | 10.0 | | N/A | | 5 | 50 | 10.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 1,150 | | | | | | 1,150 | |

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National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| West Virginia | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 130 | 2,700 | 20.8 | | | | 130 | 2,700 | 20.8 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | | N/A | | 10 | 100 | 10.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 2,800 | | | | | | 2,800 | |
| Total—Philadelphia | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 7,050 | 165,600 | 23.5 | 1,220 | 19,400 | 15.9 | 9,330 | 307,200 | 32.9 | 17,600 | 492,200 | 28.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 280 | 3,600 | 12.9 | 75 | 2,050 | 27.3 | 350 | 8,200 | 23.4 | 705 | 13,850 | 19.6 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 216,300 | | | 26,800 | | | 22,500 | | | 265,600 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 385,500 | | | 48,250 | | | 337,900 | | | 771,650 | |
| Pittsburgh, PENNSYLVANIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 4,360 | 98,500 | 22.6 | | | | 7,250 | 255,600 | 35.3 | 11,610 | 354,100 | 30.5 |
| Deposit Collections | 210 | 3,800 | 18.1 | | | | 260 | 6,800 | 26.2 | 470 | 10,600 | 22.6 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 166,000 | | | | | | 19,500 | | | 185,500 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 268,300 | | | | | | 281,900 | | | 550,200 | |
| San Juan, PUERTO RICO | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 750 | 700 | 0.9 | 80 | 200 | 2.5 | 870 | 8,400 | 9.7 | 1,700 | 9,300 | 5.5 |
| Deposit Collections | 40 | 1,000 | 25.0 | 20 | 100 | 5.0 | 40 | 100 | 2.5 | 100 | 1,200 | 12.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 17,400 | | | 600 | | | 1,100 | | | 19,100 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | 30 | | | — | | | 30 | |
| Total | | 19,100 | | | 930 | | | 9,600 | | | 29,630 | |

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| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Providence, RHODE ISLAND | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 380 | 4,100 | 10.8 | Served by Massachusetts | | | 1,340 | 59,700 | 44.6 | 1,720 | 63,800 | 37.1 |
| Deposit Collections | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | | | | 60 | 2,200 | 36.7 | 70 | 2,300 | 32.9 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 13,400 | | | | | | 2,200 | | | 15,600 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 17,600 | | | | | | 64,100 | | | 81,700 | |
| Columbia, SOUTH CAROLINA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,360 | 36,500 | 10.9 | Served by North Carolina | | | 6,870 | 213,500 | 31.1 | 10,230 | 250,000 | 24.4 |
| Deposit Collections | 150 | 700 | 4.7 | | | | 180 | 3,500 | 19.4 | 330 | 4,200 | 12.7 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 47,900 | | | | | | 11,700 | | | 59,600 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 85,100 | | | | | | 228,700 | | | 313,800 | |
| Pierre, SOUTH DAKOTA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Dakota | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 2,090 | 12,100 | 5.8 | Served by Utah | | | 2,320 | 44,000 | 19.0 | 4,410 | 56,100 | 12.7 |
| Deposit Collections | 170 | 800 | 4.7 | | | | 310 | 1,500 | 4.8 | 480 | 2,300 | 4.8 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. ^d | | 18,800 | | | | | | 4,000 | | | 22,800 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | 1,300 | | | 1,300 | |
| Total | | 31,700 | | | | | | 50,800 | | | 82,500 | |
| North Dakota | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,880 | 2,100 | 1.1 | Served by Utah | | | 2,060 | 38,600 | 18.7 | 3,940 | 40,700 | 10.3 |
| Deposit Collections | 150 | 1,300 | 8.7 | | | | 180 | 1,200 | 6.7 | 330 | 2,500 | 7.6 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 3,400 | | | | | | 39,800 | | | 43,200 | |

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| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Total—Pierre | | | | | Served by Utah | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,970 | 14,200 | 3.6 | | | | 4,380 | 82,600 | 18.9 | 8,350 | 96,800 | 11.6 |
| Deposit Collections | 320 | 2,100 | 6.6 | | | | 490 | 2,700 | 5.5 | 810 | 4,800 | 5.9 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 18,800 | | | | | | 4,000 | | | 22,800 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | 1,300 | | | 1,300 | |
| Total | | 35,100 | | | | | | 90,600 | | | 125,700 | |
| Nashville, TENNESSEE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,440 | 29,000 | 20.1 | 150 | 2,800 | 18.7 | 3,920 | 191,700 | 48.9 | 5,510 | 223,500 | 40.6 |
| Deposit Collections | 30 | 700 | 23.3 | 4 | 100 | 25.0 | 140 | 6,500 | 46.4 | 174 | 7,500 | 42.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 64,100 | | | 6,900 | | | 10,300 | | | 81,300 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 93,800 | | | 9,800 | | | 208,500 | | | 312,100 | |
| Austin, TEXAS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 10,100 | 48,500 | 4.8 | 1,100 | 7,900 | 7.2 | 20,220 | 348,900 | 17.3 | 31,420 | 405,300 | 12.9 |
| Deposit Collections | 690 | 1,400 | 2.0 | 150 | 1,000 | 6.7 | 1,540 | 10,800 | 7.0 | 2,380 | 13,200 | 5.5 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 179,300 | | | 17,500 | | | 25,600 | | | 222,400 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | 2,600 | | | 2,600 | |
| Total | | 229,200 | | | 26,400 | | | 387,900 | | | 643,500 | |
| Salt Lake City, UTAH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Utah | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 940 | 18,800 | 20.0 | 160 | 1,300 | 8.1 | 3,580 | 96,700 | 27.0 | 4,680 | 116,800 | 25.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 40 | 200 | 5.0 | 20 | — | 0.0 | 120 | 2,300 | 19.2 | 180 | 2,500 | 13.9 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. ^d | | 53,200 | | | 14,400 | | | 4,200 | | | 71,800 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 300 | | | 700 | | | 7,400 | | | 8,400 | |
| Total | | 72,500 | | | 16,400 | | | 110,600 | | | 199,500 | |

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| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|----------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Alaska | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 20 | 100 | 5.0 | | | | | | |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 2 | 30 | 15.0 | | N/A | | 20 | 100 | 5.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | 2 | 30 | 15.0 |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 130 | | | | | | 130 | |
| Colorado | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 150 | 2,600 | 17.3 | | | | 150 | 2,600 | 17.3 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 5 | 100 | 20.0 | | N/A | | 5 | 100 | 20.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 2,700 | | | | | | 2,700 | |
| Idaho | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 40 | 400 | 10.0 | | | | 40 | 400 | 10.0 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 2 | — | 0.0 | | N/A | | 2 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 400 | | | | | | 400 | |
| Montana | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 20 | 200 | 10.0 | | N/A | | 20 | 200 | 10.0 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | — | — | — | | | | — | — | — |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 200 | | | | | | 200 | |

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| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Nebraska | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 80 | 1,100 | 13.8 | | | | 80 | 1,100 | 13.8 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | | | | 10 | 100 | 10.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | N/A | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 1,200 | | | | | | 1,200 | |
| Nevada | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 20 | 200 | 10.0 | | | | 20 | 200 | 10.0 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 1 | 30 | 30.0 | | N/A | | 1 | 30 | 30.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 230 | | | | | | 230 | |
| New Mexico | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 70 | 800 | 11.4 | | | | 70 | 800 | 11.4 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 2 | 10 | 5.0 | | N/A | | 2 | 10 | 5.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 810 | | | | | | 810 | |
| North and South Dakota | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | 60 | 800 | 13.3 | | | | 60 | 800 | 13.3 |
| Deposit Collections | | N/A | | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | | N/A | | 1 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | | | | — | | | | | | — | |
| Total | | | | | 800 | | | | | | 800 | |

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READERSHIP AND CIRCULATION—FY 1990
Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Wyoming | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 400 | 6,500 | 16.3 | 10 | 100 | 10.0 | 760 | 31,800 | 41.8 | 1,170 | 38,400 | 32.8 |
| Deposit Collections | 30 | 800 | 26.7 | 4 | 10 | 2.5 | 40 | 1,800 | 45.0 | 74 | 2,610 | 35.3 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 7,300 | | | 110 | | | 33,600 | | | 41,010 | |
| Total—Salt Lake City | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,340 | 25,300 | 18.9 | 630 | 7,600 | 12.1 | 4,340 | 128,500 | 29.6 | 6,310 | 161,400 | 25.6 |
| Deposit Collections | 70 | 1,000 | 14.3 | 47 | 280 | 6.0 | 160 | 4,100 | 25.6 | 277 | 5,380 | 19.4 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 53,200 | | | 14,400 | | | 4,200 | | | 71,800 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 300 | | | 700 | | | 7,400 | | | 8,400 | |
| Total | | 79,800 | | | 22,980 | | | 144,200 | | | 246,980 | |
| Montpelier, VERMONT | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 160 | 3,300 | 20.6 | | | | 840 | 37,700 | 44.9 | 1,000 | 41,000 | 41.0 |
| Deposit Collections | — | 100 | | | | | 1 | 200 | 200.0 | 1 | 300 | 300.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 6,500 | | | | | | 1,800 | | | 8,300 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 9,900 | | | | | | 39,700 | | | 49,600 | |
| St. Croix, VIRGIN ISLANDS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals ^c | 100 | 1,100 | 11.0 | — | — | — | 140 | 5,900 | 42.1 | 240 | 7,000 | 29.2 |
| Deposit Collections ^c | 40 | 300 | 7.5 | — | — | — | 40 | 600 | 15.0 | 80 | 900 | 11.3 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 800 | | | 30 | | | 50 | | | 880 | |
| Interlibrary Loan ^c | | — | | | — | | | — | | | — | |
| Total | | 2,200 | | | 30 | | | 6,550 | | | 8,780 | |

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National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| Richmond, VIRGINIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 2,790 | 41,300 | 14.8 | 260 | 2,300 | 8.8 | 7,250 | 275,900 | 38.1 | 10,300 | 319,500 | 31.0 |
| Deposit Collections | 150 | 1,500 | 10.0 | 20 | 100 | 5.0 | 290 | 7,700 | 26.6 | 460 | 9,300 | 20.2 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 59,000 | | | 8,500 | | | 11,600 | | | 79,100 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 1,300 | | | 700 | | | 7,600 | | | 9,600 | |
| Total | | 103,100 | | | 11,600 | | | 302,800 | | | 417,500 | |
| Seattle, WASHINGTON | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 4,400 | 80,100 | 18.2 | 380 | 24,400 | 64.2 | 7,530 | 275,500 | 36.6 | 12,310 | 380,000 | 30.9 |
| Deposit Collections | 120 | 1,300 | 10.8 | 20 | 400 | 20.0 | 200 | 4,300 | 21.5 | 340 | 6,000 | 17.6 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 169,200 | | | 8,100 | | | 12,100 | | | 189,400 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | — | | | 800 | | | 800 | |
| Total | | 250,600 | | | 32,900 | | | 292,700 | | | 576,200 | |
| Charleston, WEST VIRGINIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 1,470 | 15,000 | 10.2 | | | | 3,110 | 109,900 | 35.3 | 4,580 | 124,900 | 27.3 |
| Deposit Collections | 90 | 500 | 5.6 | | | | 160 | 5,400 | 33.8 | 250 | 5,900 | 23.6 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 24,500 | | | | | | 5,600 | | | 30,100 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 500 | | | | | | 4,400 | | | 4,900 | |
| Total | | 40,500 | | | | | | 125,300 | | | 165,800 | |
| Milwaukee, WISCONSIN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 3,130 | 34,900 | 11.2 | 270 | 4,100 | 15.2 | 6,350 | 168,500 | 26.5 | 9,750 | 207,500 | 21.3 |
| Deposit Collections | 30 | 2,900 | 96.7 | 1 | 400 | 400.0 | 20 | 3,100 | 155.0 | 51 | 6,400 | 125.5 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 92,400 | | | 7,800 | | | 9,600 | | | 109,800 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 100 | | | 100 | | | 200 | | | 400 | |
| Total | | 130,300 | | | 12,400 | | | 181,400 | | | 324,100 | |

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Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY ^b | RECORDED DISC ^a | | | BRAILLE | | | RECORDED CASSETTE | | | TOTAL | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep | Reader-ship | Circulation | Circ. per indiv/dep |
| NLS, LC | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Overseas | 170 | 1,500 | 8.8 | 20 | 200 | 10.0 | 360 | 13,900 | 38.6 | 550 | 15,600 | 28.4 |
| Music | 210 | 500 | 2.4 | 670 | 4,900 | 7.3 | 880 | 10,300 | 11.7 | 1,760 | 15,700 | 8.9 |
| Deposit Collections | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Overseas | 10 | — | — | — | — | — | 10 | — | 0.0 | 20 | — | 0.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Overseas | | 12,600 | | | 1,200 | | | 500 | | | 14,300 | |
| Music | | 78,100 | | | 5,500 | | | — | | | 83,600 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | — | | | 200 | | | 4,000 | | | 4,200 | |
| Total | | 92,700 | | | 12,000 | | | 28,700 | | | 133,400 | |
| MULTISTATE CENTERS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 10,000 | | | 11,400 | | | 42,600 | | | 64,000 | |
| GRAND TOTALS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 181,480 | 2,091,800 | 11.5 | 15,250 | 256,400 | 16.8 | 354,830 | 12,353,200 | 34.8 | 551,560 | 14,701,400 | 26.7 |
| Deposit Collections | 13,212 | 92,510 | 7.0 | 1,703 | 13,490 | 7.9 | 21,581 | 440,700 | 20.4 | 36,496 | 546,700 | 15.0 |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. ^c | | 4,284,100 | | | 358,230 | | | 587,250 | | | 5,229,580 | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 24,960 | | | 21,070 | | | 153,190 | | | 199,220 | |
| Total | | 6,493,370 | | | 649,190 | | | 13,534,340 | | | 20,676,900 | |
| Percent of Total | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Individuals | 32.9% | 14.2% | | 2.8% | 1.7% | | 64.3% | 84.0% | | | | |
| Deposit Collections | 36.2% | 16.9% | | 4.7% | 2.5% | | 59.1% | 80.6% | | | | |
| Dir. Circ. Mags. | | 81.9% | | | 6.9% | | | 11.2% | | | | |
| Interlibrary Loan | | 12.5% | | | 10.6% | | | 76.9% | | | | |

^a Totals for recorded disc include flexible disc.

^b Libraries listed are regional libraries; totals include their subregionals.

^c Data for FY 1990 are unavailable; FY 1989 totals have been substituted.

^d Total includes direct circulation of magazines to other states served.

^e All direct circulation magazine statistics include *Talking Book Topics* and *Braille Book Review*. Magazines are sent directly from producers to patrons.
 N/A—not applicable.

BUDGET, STAFF, COLLECTIONS—FY 1990
Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress

| LIBRARY | Budget Total | ADMINISTRATION | | | | | SIZE OF COLLECTION ^a | | | | |
|-------------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------|----------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|-----------------------|
| | | Federal | State | Local | Other ^b | Staff (FTE) | Area (sq. ft.) | RD | RC | BR | Commercial Recordings |
| ALABAMA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Montgomery | \$347,542 | \$25,510 | \$322,032 | — | — | 13.0 | 41,000 | 47,850 | 155,600 | 24,400 | — |
| Anniston | 28,000 | — | — | \$26,000 | \$2,000 | 1.5 | 3,000 | 1,850 | 23,000 | — | — |
| Dothan | 23,997 | — | — | 21,497 | 2,500 | 3.0 | 2,206 | 13,000 | 14,000 | — | — |
| Huntsville | 82,558 | 13,758 | — | 65,000 | 3,800 | 2.5 | 2,030 | 4,800 | 8,400 | — | 200 |
| Talladega | 13,500 | 13,500 | ^c | — | — | 3.5 | 1,890 | 19,000 | 18,300 | 7,500 | — |
| Tuscaloosa | 23,000 | — | — | 23,000 | — | 1.0 | 2,666 | 2,300 | 10,100 | — | 25 |
| ALASKA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Anchorage | 72,284 | — | 72,284 | — | — | 2.2 | 3,000 | 12,000 | 26,200 | — | 150 |
| ARIZONA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Phoenix | 825,000 | 40,000 | 615,000 | — | 170,000 ^d | 20.5 | 21,000 | 82,000 | 165,000 | 250 | — |
| Flagstaff | 41,200 | — | — | 37,995 | 3,205 | 1.0 | 1,550 | 6,600 | 14,800 | — | — |
| Prescott | ^c | — | — | — | — | 1.0 | ^c | 1,600 | 7,900 | — | — |
| ARKANSAS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Little Rock | 215,576 | 103,669 | 111,340 | — | 567 | 8.0 | 12,530 | 26,700 | 55,400 | 6,500 | — |
| Fayetteville | 90,465 | — | 43,012 | 47,203 | 250 | 4.0 | 1,807 | 13,200 | 33,100 | — | — |
| Ft. Smith | 33,114 | — | 7,614 | 25,000 | 500 | 2.0 | 1,152 | 3,500 | 14,600 | — | — |
| Jonesboro | 61,191 | — | 59,336 ^d | — | 1,855 ^d | 2.5 | 1,450 | 8,950 | 17,600 | — | 50 |
| Magnolia | 31,298 | — | 31,298 | — | — | 2.5 | 2,266 | 4,000 | 14,000 | — | — |
| CALIFORNIA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Los Angeles | 1,873,550 | — | 680,859 | — | 1,192,691 | 39.3 | 64,106 | 129,450 | 529,800 | 21,600 | — |
| Sacramento | 1,289,082 | 3,500 | 1,273,582 | — | 12,000 | 24.0 | 18,700 | 83,200 | 255,167 | 10,500 | — |
| Fresno | 53,360 ^e | 2,160 | — | 51,000 | 200 | 3.5 | 1,375 | 3,200 | 16,600 | — | 700 |
| San Francisco | 213,168 | — | — | 210,188 | 2,980 | 5.5 | 3,500 | 1,900 | 14,600 | — | 80 |
| COLORADO | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denver | \$300,519 | \$77,754 | \$222,765 | — | — | 12.5 | 8,000 | 52,600 | 115,300 | — | 300 |

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| LIBRARY | Budget Total | ADMINISTRATION | | | | | SIZE OF COLLECTION ^a | | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|--------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|-----------------------|
| | | Federal | State | Local | Other ^b | Staff (FTE) | Area (sq. ft.) | RD | RC | BR | Commercial Recordings |
| CONNECTICUT | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rocky Hill | 487,888 | 247,147 | 222,253 | — | \$18,488 | 18.5 | 7,600 | 28,900 | 139,500 | 5,200 | — |
| DELAWARE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dover | 218,286 | 93,710 ^d | 124,476 | — | 100 | 3.5 | 2,004 | 6,400 | 21,700 | — | — |
| WASHINGTON, DC | 251,100 | 30,000 | — | \$220,000 | 1,100 | 11.0 | 15,700 | 40,300 | 147,000 | 7,900 | 2,800 |
| FLORIDA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Daytona Beach | 1,065,980 | 41,200 | 1,024,780 | — | — | 33.0 | 54,409 | 186,000 | 564,600 | 66,000 | — |
| Bradenton | 64,820 | — | 20,064 | 44,000 | 756 | 3.0 | 1,000 | 3,000 | 15,000 | — | — |
| Cocoa | 105,399 | 46,846 | — | 57,686 | 867 | 3.0 | 2,283 | 1,500 | 11,300 | — | — |
| Ft. Lauderdale ^c | — | — | — | — | — | 4.5 | 2,235 | 5,000 | 30,000 | 80 | — |
| Jacksonville | 83,997 ^d | — | 56,158 | 15,839 | 12,000 | 3.3 | 1,500 | 2,000 | 9,200 | — | — |
| Miami | 267,903 | — | 43,903 | 224,000 | — ^f | 5.5 | 2,002 | 7,100 | 30,300 | — | — |
| N. Ft. Myers | 89,089 | 17,500 | 11,443 | 59,911 | 235 | 3.6 | 2,187 | 3,300 | 12,700 | — | — |
| Orlando | 46,206 | — | 10,420 | 35,780 | — | 2.5 | 3,200 | 10,900 | 20,700 | — | — |
| Pensacola | 75,124 | 64,000 | — | 11,124 | — | 1.5 | 336 | 400 | 4,900 | — | — |
| Riviera Beach ^c | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tampa | 94,324 | — | 15,400 | 78,924 | — | 2.5 | 1,908 | 2,000 | 9,500 | — | — |
| GEORGIA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Atlanta | 228,161 ^d | 92,755 | 135,406 | — | — | 7.0 | 12,983 | 28,000 | 162,300 | 19,800 | — |
| Albany | 61,023 | — | 61,023 | — | — | 2.5 | 2,838 | 8,800 | 18,000 | 90 | — |
| Athens | 83,031 | — | 76,449 | 5,277 | 1,305 | 4.0 | 1,550 | 9,100 | 12,100 | — | 300 |
| Augusta | 82,854 ^c | — | 81,314 | — | 1,540 | 2.6 | 4,420 | 11,500 | 17,400 | — | 400 |
| Bainbridge | 49,862 | — | 48,488 | — | 1,374 | 3.0 | 1,662 | 6,600 | 13,700 | 90 | 30 |
| Brunswick | 67,443 | — | 67,443 | — | — | 2.0 | 1,500 | 18,700 | 15,500 | 200 | — |
| Columbus ^c | 64,029 | — | 64,029 | — | — | 2.5 | 500 | 2,500 | 12,300 | — | — |
| Dublin | 91,717 | — | 86,317 | 5,400 | — | 4.0 | 1,300 | 8,500 | 17,500 | — | — |
| Gainesville | 68,185 | — | 66,721 | 1,200 | 264 | 2.5 | 1,400 | 3,400 | 18,100 | — | 50 |
| La Fayette | 46,105 | 500 | 45,605 | — | — | 1.5 | 1,922 | 19,800 | 17,600 | — | — |

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Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
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| LIBRARY | Budget Total | ADMINISTRATION | | | | | SIZE OF COLLECTION ^a | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------|-----------|---------|---------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|
| | | Federal | State | Local | Other ^b | Staff (FTE) | Area (sq. ft.) | RD | RC | BR | Commercial Recordings |
| GEORGIA (con't.) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Macon | \$124,611 | — | \$116,521 | \$7,850 | \$240 | 2.5 | 1,802 | 8,000 | 18,100 | — | — |
| Rome | 91,166 | — | 79,126 | — | 12,040 ^f | 5.0 | 4,200 | 10,600 | 18,500 | 100 | — |
| Savannah | 48,427 | — | 47,436 | — | 991 ^d | 2.0 | 2,044 | 5,100 | 12,000 | — | 250 |
| Valdosta | 58,023 | — | 58,023 | — | — | 1.5 | 1,150 | 5,400 | 8,000 | — | 125 |
| HAWAII | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Honolulu | 513,132 | \$9,000 | 470,861 | — | 33,271 ^d | 16.0 | 9,300 | 30,100 | 51,900 | 17,800 | 3,200 |
| Guam | 3,000 | 3,000 | — | — | — | 1.0 | 500 | 100 | 3,000 | — | — |
| IDAHO | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Boise | 360,490 | — | 359,790 | — | 700 | 12.0 | 6,900 | 9,600 | 48,700 | 80 | 700 |
| ILLINOIS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chicago | 722,713 | — | 668,713 | — | 54,000 ^d | 14.0 | 30,000 ^g | 56,300 | 156,100 | 12,600 | — |
| Carterville | 128,984 | — | 128,984 | — | — | 5.0 | 1,660 | 900 | 15,600 | — | 60 |
| Chicago | 184,639 | — | 184,639 | — | — | 6.0 | 30,000 ^g | 2,500 | 52,900 | — | — |
| Coal Valley | 131,522 | 591 | 128,327 | — | 2,604 | 4.5 | 2,353 | 2,100 | 21,400 | — | — |
| La Grange Park | 285,350 | — | 285,350 | — | — | 7.5 | 7,021 | 7,500 | 63,500 | — | 16,500 |
| Pekin | 175,097 | 3,060 | 172,037 | — | — | 7.0 | 3,041 | 10,600 | 39,700 | — | — |
| Quincy | 154,016 | — | 154,016 | — | — | 5.0 | 3,000 | 3,800 | 30,300 | — | — |
| INDIANA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Indianapolis | 261,241 | 122,196 | 139,045 | — | — | 15.0 | 11,876 | 24,000 | 113,000 | 25,700 | — |
| Columbus | 33,464 | 32,464 | — | — | 1,000 | 2.0 | 2,436 | 4,500 | 11,500 | — | — |
| Elkhart | 43,104 | 43,104 | — | — | — | 1.5 | 1,265 | 5,900 | 11,900 | — | — |
| Evansville | 46,631 | 32,380 | — | 14,251 | — | 2.5 | 1,600 | 5,500 | 9,000 | — | — |
| Ft. Wayne | 27,200 | 27,200 | — | — | — | 3.0 | 2,422 | 2,000 | 7,700 | — | — |
| Merrillville | 44,620 | 44,545 ^d | — | — | 75 | 2.5 | 1,196 | 10,900 | 18,800 | — | 100 |
| IOWA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Des Moines | 845,125 | 278,889 | 540,236 | — | 26,000 | 29.5 | 31,296 | 112,300 | 130,300 | 107,200 | — |

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| LIBRARY | Budget Total | ADMINISTRATION | | | | SIZE OF COLLECTION ^a | | | | | |
|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-----------|----------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|--------|---------|--------|-----------------------|
| | | Federal | State | Local | Other ^b | Staff (FTE) | Area (sq. ft.) | RD | RC | BR | Commercial Recordings |
| KANSAS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Emporia | \$167,459 | — | \$167,459 | — | — | 5.0 | 4,809 | 19,300 | 39,900 | — | 800 |
| Great Bend ^c | 75,395 | \$74,727 | (in Fed.) | — | \$668 | 5.0 | 2,442 | 7,900 | 18,000 | — | — |
| Hutchinson | 70,921 | 16,720 | 32,701 | \$21,500 | — | 2.5 | 4,809 | 12,900 | 21,100 | — | — |
| Kansas City | 20,025 | 20,000 | — | — | 25 | 0.7 | 2,289 | — | — | 9,000 | — |
| Manhattan | 84,327 | 16,047 | 39,953 | 15,827 | 12,500 | 3.5 | 2,703 | 4,800 | 20,600 | — | — |
| Norton | 63,879 | 13,597 | 35,584 | 14,698 | — | 2.0 | 1,700 | 3,400 | 25,800 | — | — |
| Topeka | 146,512 | 111,166 | — | 35,346 | — | 6.0 | 6,000 | 20,100 | 41,500 | — | — |
| Wichita | 115,712 | 78,585 | (in Fed.) | 37,127 | — | 3.5 | 2,801 | 4,200 | 13,700 | — | — |
| KENTUCKY | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Frankfort | 315,000 | 6,200 | 305,300 | — | 3,500 ^d | 12.3 | 16,271 | 45,000 | 105,000 | 19,500 | — |
| Covington | 37,728 | 31,930 | — | 5,798 | — | 1.9 | 504 | 7,100 | 21,200 | — | — |
| Louisville | 122,932 | 91,070 | — | — | 31,862 | 8.0 | 2,160 | 2,600 | 15,000 | — | — |
| LOUISIANA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Baton Rouge | 303,899 | 190,497 | 113,402 | — | — | 16.0 | 9,000 | 17,600 | 78,100 | 21,400 | — |
| MAINE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Augusta | 135,675 | 80,149 | 55,526 | — | — | 12.5 | 18,000 | 24,100 | 60,000 | — | — |
| MARYLAND | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Baltimore | 563,478 | 114,647 | 448,831 | — | — | 9.0 | 16,635 | 26,400 | 114,400 | 5,000 | — |
| Bethesda | 144,744 | — | — | 143,744 | 1,000 | 3.9 | 10,500 | 2,200 | 23,400 | — | 150 |
| Hyattsville | 68,646 ^h | — | — | 68,646 | — | 4.5 | 1,615 | 2,800 | 10,500 | — | 10 |
| MASSACHUSETTS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Watertown | 264,000 | — | 264,000 | — | — | 6.5 | 12,252 | 84,200 | 168,400 | 19,300 | — |
| Worcester | 253,700 | — | 138,000 | 60,000 | 55,700 ^f | 5.5 | 4,985 | 8,300 | 30,200 | — | — |

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Network Libraries for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
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| LIBRARY | Budget Total | ADMINISTRATION | | | | | | SIZE OF COLLECTION ^a | | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|-------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | | Sources of Funding | | | | Staff (FTE) | Area (sq. ft.) | RD | RC | BR | Commercial Recordings |
| Federal | State | Local | Other ^b | | | | | | | | |
| MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lansing | \$451,600 | \$183,800 | \$267,800 | — | — | 11.3 | 20,825 ^g | 71,500 | 128,800 | 19,000 | — |
| Alpena ^e | 41,639 | 9,737 | 20,000 | — | \$11,902 | 3.5 | 2,470 | 5,300 | 12,700 | — | 1,100 |
| Ann Arbor | 203,266 ^d | 47,852 | 24,459 | \$122,675 | 8,280 | 4.0 | 1,495 | 3,200 | 20,000 | — | — |
| Battle Creek ^e | 77,953 | 14,311 | 20,000 | 43,642 | — | 2.0 | 1,500 | 10,000 | 13,900 | — | — |
| Farmington Hills | 230,723 ^f | 70,741 | 20,000 | 106,575 | 33,407 ^d | 6.5 | 2,500 | 7,200 | 14,500 | — | — |
| Flint | 68,597 | 25,063 | 20,000 | 23,534 | — | 1.4 | 478 | 1,200 | 18,300 | — | — |
| Grand Rapids | 94,380 | 13,525 | 20,000 | 60,605 | 250 | 3.5 | 1,020 | 4,500 | 10,200 | — | — |
| Lansing | | See Lansing regional library | | | | 1.0 | g | See Lansing regional library | | | |
| Marquette | 72,667 | 35,110 | 20,000 | 17,557 | — | 2.3 | 1,800 | 10,000 | 14,000 | — | — |
| Mt. Clemens | 79,300 | 11,975 | 20,000 | 47,000 | 325 | 2.2 | 776 | 2,800 | 6,300 | — | — |
| Muskegon | 87,004 ^d | 35,321 | 20,000 | 29,355 | 2,328 | 1.5 | 570 | 1,500 | 7,200 | — | — |
| Portage ^e | 47,171 | 21,847 | 20,000 | 5,324 | — | 2.5 | 1,000 | 1,300 | 8,300 | — | — |
| Port Huron | 31,066 | 8,875 | 20,000 | 1,656 | 535 | 3.0 | 1,095 | 1,500 | 9,900 | — | — |
| Traverse City | 55,100 | — | 18,200 | 36,900 | — | 3.5 | 807 | 3,200 | 10,400 | — | 700 |
| Wayne | 308,722 | 44,477 | 35,900 ^d | 211,345 | 17,000 | 9.0 | 4,950 | 24,700 | 71,800 | — | 400 |
| Detroit | 31,200 | 11,200 | 20,000 | — | — | 2.5 | 4,207 | 15,000 | 27,500 | — | 90 |
| MINNESOTA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Faribault | 430,178 | — | 386,018 | — | 44,160 ^d | 11.0 | 18,611 | 47,700 ^e | 60,000 ^e | 16,000 ^e | — |
| MISSISSIPPI | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jackson | 160,352 | 31,751 | 128,601 | — | — | 10.0 | 8,000 | 34,000 | 102,700 | 6,000 | — |
| MISSOURI | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jefferson City | 326,950 | 44,000 | 282,950 | — | — | 13.5 | 9,810 | 68,600 | 198,200 | 30,200 | — |
| MONTANA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Helena | 170,175 | 109,735 | 50,459 | — | 9,981 ^d | 5.0 | 9,145 | 27,300 | 69,600 | — | — |
| NEBRASKA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lincoln | 300,640 ^d | 24,998 | 349,265 | — | 14,377 | 16.0 | 11,156 | 56,400 | 89,200 | 700 | — |
| North Platte | 46,274 | — | 46,274 | — | — | 3.0 | 660 | 21,000 | 26,900 | — | — |

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|------------------------|------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------|-----------------------|
| | | Federal | Sources of Funding State | Local | Other ^b | Staff (FTE) | Area (sq. ft.) | RD | RC | BR | Commercial Recordings |
| NEVADA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Carson City | \$90,338 ^d | \$13,640 | \$73,129 | — | \$3,569 | 2.0 | 5,400 | 15,500 | 35,900 | — | — |
| Las Vegas | 29,199 | 25,000 | 4,199 | — | — | 3.0 | 2,000 | 7,600 | 14,400 | — | — |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Concord | 205,942 ^c | 81,188 | 124,754 | — | — | 8.0 | 10,000 | 8,600 ^c | 35,000 ^c | — | — |
| NEW JERSEY | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Trenton | 968,000 | 350,000 | 568,000 | — | 50,000 ^d | 29.0 | 26,184 | 189,900 | 285,200 | 30,800 | 110 |
| NEW MEXICO | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Santa Fe | 151,425 | — | 151,125 | — | 300 | 6.5 | 13,668 | 107,000 | 225,000 | — | — |
| NEW YORK | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Albany | 660,145 | 145,437 | 514,708 | — | — | 25.0 | 6,500 | 156,600 | 337,900 | 33,600 | — |
| New York City | 923,291 | 120,000 | 739,200 | \$64,091 | — | 30.0 | 18,020 | 164,400 | 288,700 | 14,900 | 140 |
| Bellport | 120,876 | — | 118,876 | — | 2,000 | 6.0 | 3,712 | 19,500 | 60,100 | — | — |
| Uniondale ^c | 100,500 | — | 100,500 | — | — | 9.0 | 750 | 5,200 | 54,500 | — | — |
| NORTH CAROLINA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Raleigh | 1,230,524 ^d | 58,911 | 1,157,533 | — | 14,080 ⁱ | 37.0 | 20,000 | 55,400 | 86,200 | 23,100 | — |
| NORTH DAKOTA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Served by SOUTH DAKOTA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OHIO | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cincinnati | 679,100 | 82,940 | 546,190 | 49,970 | — | 13.5 | 13,761 | 71,400 | 181,400 | 19,500 | — |
| Cleveland | 942,395 | 112,453 | 823,580 | 6,362 | — | 18.0 | 15,212 | 59,000 | 142,000 | 7,100 | — |
| OKLAHOMA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oklahoma City | 825,179 | 25,179 | 800,000 | — | — | 32.0 | 17,000 | 30,400 | 113,100 | 11,100 | — |
| Tulsa | 70,662 | — | — | 70,662 | — | 3.0 | 1,444 | 3,300 | 12,600 | — | — |

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| | | Federal | Sources of Funding State | Local | Other ^b | Staff (FTE) | Area (sq. ft.) | RD | RC | BR | Commercial Recordings |
| OREGON | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Salem | \$447,849 | — | \$430,695 | — | \$17,154 | 9.5 | 12,250 | 38,100 | 118,300 | 9,100 | — |
| PENNSYLVANIA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Philadelphia | 1,245,900 | — | 1,215,900 | — | 30,000 | 29.5 | 25,000 | 189,100 | 337,600 | 31,300 | 200 |
| Pittsburgh | 820,100 | — | 820,100 | — | — | 22.5 | 36,000 | 172,800 | 262,300 | — | — |
| PUERTO RICO | | | | | | | | | | | |
| San Juan | 94,461 | \$34,167 | 60,294 | — | — | 8.0 | 5,076 | 12,050 | 33,100 | 300 | — |
| RHODE ISLAND | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Providence | 299,278 ^d | 103,959 | 185,865 | — | 9,454 | 7.5 | 8,576 | 21,300 | 56,200 | 200 | — |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Columbia | 702,635 | 78,055 | 596,212 | — | 28,368 ^d | 11.0 | 28,276 | 55,500 | 128,000 | — | — |
| SOUTH DAKOTA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pierre | 288,550 | 242,550 ^j | 42,000 | — | 4,000 | 9.0 | 8,660 | 11,500 | 107,500 | 1,300 | 20 |
| TENNESSEE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nashville | 480,000 | 140,000 | 340,000 | — | — | 16.0 | 22,848 | 68,200 | 130,300 | 23,500 | — |
| TEXAS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Austin | 1,211,022 | — | 1,185,739 | — | 25,283 | 50.0 | 54,494 | 200,400 | 532,800 | 18,300 | 5,700 |
| UTAH | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Salt Lake City | 578,453 | 182,053 ^k | 396,400 | — | — | 15.0 | 16,754 | 57,000 | 102,900 | 32,100 | — |
| VERMONT | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Montpelier | 179,829 | 32,700 ^l | 146,285 | — | 844 ^d | 4.5 | 3,361 | 11,200 | 24,300 | — | — |
| VIRGIN ISLANDS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| St. Croix | 66,011 | 14,431 | 51,580 | — | — | 3.0 | 3,200 | c | c | c | c |

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| | | | State | Local | Other ^b | | | | | | |
| VIRGINIA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Richmond | \$465,278 | \$59,000 | \$403,528 | — | \$2,750 | 14.5 | 14,000 | 16,000 | 77,300 | 22,800 | — |
| Alexandria ^c | 14,653 | 14,653 | — | — | — | 7.2 | 1,672 | 3,900 | 24,400 | 100 | — |
| Alexandria (Fairfax) | 15,647 | 15,647 | — | — | — | 10.0 | 2,075 | 3,500 | 23,100 | 100 | — |
| Arlington | 40,178 | 8,196 | — | \$31,982 | — | 5.5 | 2,025 | 3,500 | 9,000 | — | — |
| Fredericksburg | 7,063 | 6,063 | — | — | 1,000 | 3.0 | 700 | 1,500 | 4,500 | — | 3,000 |
| Hampton | ^c | — | — | — | — | 3.0 | 3,699 | 7,300 | 13,800 | 70 | — |
| Newport News | 52,892 | 7,381 | ^c | 45,511 | — | 3.0 | 750 | 2,400 | 8,100 | — | — |
| Roanoke | 7,428 | 7,428 | — | — | — | 1.5 | 2,000 | 2,600 | 10,400 | — | — |
| Staunton | 33,501 | 10,406 | — | 19,127 | 3,968 | 1.5 | 936 | 4,500 | 10,500 | — | — |
| Virginia Beach | 240,480 | 13,239 | — | 224,666 | 2,575 | 5.5 | 3,000 | 4,000 | 18,700 | — | 200 |
| WASHINGTON | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Seattle | 1,231,429 | 54,000 | 1,150,688 | — | 26,741 | 22.4 | 27,000 | 27,700 | 97,700 | 18,800 | — |
| WEST VIRGINIA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charleston | 198,965 | 19,319 | 179,646 | — | — | 7.5 | 7,200 | 20,600 | 70,300 | — | 200 |
| Charleston | ^c | — | — | — | — | 2.5 | 1,344 | 6,500 | 7,300 | — | — |
| Huntington | ^c | — | — | — | — | 1.0 | 850 | 5,800 | 1,500 | — | — |
| Parkersburg | ^c | — | — | — | — | 1.0 | 1,154 | 6,100 | 10,400 | — | — |
| Romney | ^c | — | — | — | — | 1.0 | 2,480 | 3,300 | 7,400 | 2,800 | 900 |
| Wheeling | ^c | — | — | — | — | 1.0 | 2,016 | 8,400 | 15,200 | — | — |
| WISCONSIN | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Milwaukee | 514,321 | — | 485,700 | — | 28,621 ^d | 17.5 | 13,116 | 46,100 | 100,400 | 23,000 | 600 |
| WYOMING | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Served by UTAH | | | | | | | | | | | |

^a Number of containers (recorded discs and cassettes) and volumes (braille) both mass-produced and volunteer-produced.

^b Other sources of funding include one-time contributions from private organizations; gifts and bequests. Larger amounts are often from trust fund interest or income, which may continue from year to year.

^c Information unavailable.

^d Includes carryover from prior fiscal year(s).

^e Current data unavailable; data are from preceding fiscal year.

^f Includes one-time funding for equipment.

^g Shared facilities.

^h Partial data.

ⁱ Includes funds for braille service to South Carolina.

^j Includes funds for service to North Dakota.

^k Includes funds for braille service to ten western states.

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