# ASL vlog for OVR State Plan Meetings

My name is Krystle Wells, and I am an interpreter for the Kentucky Office of Vocational of Rehabilitation in the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Branch. I am here to share with you that the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation has three meetings coming up and we are asking you to join us to share your thoughts on our services. Your input will help us with the 2024 State Plan for Vocational Rehabilitation Services and Supported Employment.

There will be 7 questions asked to help guide the talk but everyone in the meeting will have a chance to share even if it isn’t about the questions.

The 7 questions that will be asked are:

1. How can we encourage employers to increase the offer of good jobs to people with disabilities?

2. Have you found it easy or difficult to find a good job? Please tell us why you think it was easy or difficult.

3. Are there services that we do not offer that you think could help with getting a good job?

4. What assistive technologies do you think are important for OVR to consider for the future?

5. OVR provides appointments in-person and on-line. Which do you prefer? Why?

6. What should we do to make sure that VR services are available to everyone across the state?

7. What are the most important things for OVR to focus on from this meeting?

Meetings will be in person and online. We encourage you to join and share your thoughts and ideas. The meeting locations, time and dates are:

* October 17th, from 6:30 – 7:30 PM Eastern Time at Carl D. Perkins Vocational Training Center located at 5659 Main Street, Thelma, KY 41260
* October 24th, from 10:00 – 11:00 AM and again from 6:30 to 7:30 PM, Charles W. McDowell Center located at 8412 Westport Road, Louisville, KY 40242

For meeting contact Lametta Isaacs at 800-372-7172

For question about accommodations to participate in a meeting contact Brooke McDaniel at 502-782-3494.

The information for the meetings, including the links to attend are on the agency web site at <https://bit.ly/KYOVRMeetings>  
  
We ask that you to join one or more of the meetings because your input is important to us. Thank you.