

We have a great need for corporate donations of “no longer needed” computers to meet the growing demand. Please call 214-282-2581 for a free pick-up.

### **Computer drop-off sites:**

Individual donations of laptop & desktop computers, flat screen monitors, cords, mice & keyboards can be made at these locations. No CRT's or printers please.

#### **AFB Center on Vision Loss**

11030 Ables Lane, Dallas. TX 75229  
214-352-7222, [www.afb.org/cvl](http://www.afb.org/cvl)  
Monday – Friday 9 am – 5 pm

#### **Artisan Center Theater**

444 E. Pipeline Road, Hurst, TX 76053  
214-284-1200, <http://artisanct.com>  
Monday - Friday 10 am – 6 pm, Sat. 10 - 4  
and when you come to attend the theater.

#### **Colleyville Center**

5301 Riverside Dr., Colleyville, TX 76034  
817-503-1330, [www.colleyville.com](http://www.colleyville.com)  
6 am to 9 am Fridays

#### **Cooke County United Way**

114 E. Main Street, Gainesville, TX 76240  
940-665-1793, [www.cookeuw.org](http://www.cookeuw.org)  
Monday – Friday 8 am – 5 pm

#### **Computers for the Blind**

1201 S. Sherman Street, Suite 204  
Richardson, TX 75081  
[www.computersfortheblind.net](http://www.computersfortheblind.net)  
Tuesdays and Thursdays - Noon – 4:30 pm

#### **Dallas Lighthouse for the Blind**

4306 Capitol Ave. Dallas, TX 75204  
214-821-2375, [www.dallaslighthouse.org](http://www.dallaslighthouse.org)  
Monday – Friday – 7:30 am – 4:30 pm

#### **Lighthouse for the Blind of Fort Worth**

912 West Broadway, Fort Worth, TX 76104  
817-332-3341, [www.lighthousefw.org](http://www.lighthousefw.org)  
Monday-Thursday 7:00 am – 5:30 pm

#### **Lions Eye Glasses Recycling Center**

5621 Bunker Blvd., Watauga, TX 76148  
817-319-0799, Saturdays 9 am – 3 pm

#### **Plaza Theatre Company**

111 S Main St, Cleburne, TX 76033  
817-202-0600, <http://plaza-theatre.com/>  
Monday – Friday, 10 am – 6 pm, Sat. 1-4  
and when you come to the theatre.

#### **REACH of Denton**

405 S. Elm, Suite 202, Denton, TX 76201  
940-383-1062, [www.reachcils.org](http://www.reachcils.org)  
Monday – Friday 8 am – 5 pm

#### **REACH of Plano**

720 E. Park Blvd., Suite 104, Plano, TX 75074  
972-398-1111, [www.reachcils.org/](http://www.reachcils.org/)  
Monday – Friday 8 am – 5 pm

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Providing refurbished computers  
with accessibility software  
throughout the U.S. for 25 years.

# COMPUTERS FOR THE BLIND

## What We Do

Provide accessible computers to people who are blind & visually impaired so they can:

- Communicate with family & friends via e-mail, Facebook, Skype, etc.
- Find important information on the internet
- Maintain household records, make purchases & pay bills on-line
- Read & conduct research
- Increase employment options through on-line courses & other educational opportunities
- Conduct job searches & connect with professionals via LinkedIn & other social networks

We also have an extensive lending library of descriptive videos on CD's & VHS. These videos provide a narrative that describes what is happening during a movie when there is no dialog.

## How We Do IT

We receive donations of “no longer needed” computers from businesses & individuals.

Our volunteers:

- ✓ Wipe the hard drives clean
- ✓ Refurbish the computers
- ✓ Install software that converts the text seen on the screen to speech that can be heard
- ✓ Install screen magnification software and provide larger monitors for the benefit of those with limited vision
- ✓ We then provide these accessible computers to consumers that cannot afford brand new computers let alone the expensive assistive technology.

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## What We Provide

Pentium 4 - 2GHz refurbished computers.

### The min. configuration is:

- Dual Core-2 GHz
- 2GB of RAM & 80 GB Hard Drive
- CD-R/RW & DVD-ROM
- Sound Card, Speakers, Broadband Network Card
- Keyboard & Mouse
- 17"-21" LCD Monitors

### Accessibility software:

- JAWS for Windows demo version (screen reader)
- NVDA –screen reader
- Licensed version of MAGic w/out speech (screen magnification)
- Just Write Checks
- Typeability typing tutorial – demo version

### Additional software:

- Windows Microsoft Security Essentials
- Internet Explorer
- Windows Live Mail 2012
- 388 Electronic Books
- Word processor & spreadsheet
- Instruction tutorials and FAQ articles