



## 2013 State Plan Public Hearings

The Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services (DARS) and the Virginia State Rehabilitation Council invite your attendance at a public forum to receive comment on the DARS Vocational Rehabilitation and Supported Employment Programs.

Each year, DARS prepares a State Plan that describes how Virginia provides rehabilitation services. The State Plan is updated annually and must be submitted to the federal government by June 30 of each year. The current State Plan is available on the DARS website, [www.vadars.org](http://www.vadars.org), and the State Rehabilitation Council website, [www.va-src.org](http://www.va-src.org).

The following public forums will be held:

- **Wednesday, March 6, 3 p.m. – 4 p.m.**  
Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services – Abingdon Office  
468 East Main Street, Suite 200  
Abingdon, VA 24210
- **Monday, March 11, 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** (in conjunction with the Transition Forum)  
Holiday Inn Koger Conference Center  
Bon Air Suite – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
1021 Koger Center Boulevard  
Richmond, VA 23235
- **Thursday, March 21, 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**  
Mount Vernon Lee Enterprises, Inc.  
7420 Fullerton Road, Suite 110  
Springfield, VA 22153

If you cannot attend one of the forums, please send your written comments to:

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For comments to be considered for 2014 State Plan development, they must be received by May 1, 2013. However, public input to the Department's planning efforts is welcome at any time. Sign language interpreters will be provided at the public hearings. If you require any other form of accommodation, please contact Elizabeth Smith.