

Sidebar Resources for the Blind and Visually Impaired

Note: Not all of these resources are specifically geared towards people that are Jewish.

Insight Beyond Eyesight

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An orthodox Jewish support group that provides educational fun-filled activities, parties, and events appropriate for frum blind girls and boys up to 9 years old, and occasional separate programs for older boys. They also have a monthly conference-line support group for the parents of blind children, where different speakers speak about their life and what they accomplished as a blind person.

Mid Atlantic Blind Golf Association

<https://www.mabga.org>

This video, about a young blind golfer, can be viewed at: <https://vimeo.com/121383123>

Camp Abilities <https://www.campabilities.org>

A week-long educational sports camp for children and teens who are blind, visually impaired, and deafblind.

Self-Advocacy Groups

National Federation of the Blind <https://nfb.org>

American Council of the Blind <https://acb.org>
Jewish Resources, Technology, and Technical Support
Computer Services for the Blind, CSB Care, distributes custom Braille siddurim, chumashim, gemaros, Jewish magazines, and books.

<https://www.computersciences.org>

Jewish Braille International <https://Jbilibrary.org>

Jewish Heritage for the Blind <https://jewishheritage.org>

Torah Topics, Leisure Reading, Lectures, Audio Books

Kol Halashon reading of books and Torah topics

<https://www.kolhalashon.com/New/Ravs.aspx?Lang=Hebrew&English=True&RavID=-1&ROrder=-1&FID=82838&HideMenus=False>

Bookshare.org

<https://www.bookshare.org/cms/>

Prepares books in any format needed.

Yachad Reach: A Jewish Resource and Referral Center for Individuals With Disabilities, including those with visual impairments

https://www.yachad.org/reach?utm_source=SilverpopMailing&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OU%20Today%201%209%2021%20%281%29&utm_content=&spMailingID=34035080&spUserID=MzA3NDEyNTc0MDIzS0&spJobID=2103430381&spReportId=MjEwMzQzMjM4

[MQS2](#) a database (right now in the NY area but will be expanding, IYH) that can be tailored to their needs i.e. location, disability type, coed/separate. etc. Contact them at: 1(877) Reach-52.

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