

Vision Australia

Impact Report 2024-25

How your support has helped change lives

The ongoing commitment and generosity of our supporters has again ensured Vision Australia can provide lifechanging services and supports to people who are blind or have low vision across Australia.

In the 2025 financial year, Vision Australia supported 40,028 people across Australia. That's a record mark for our organisation, and something that wouldn't be possible without the contributions of supporters like you.

Along with helping more people than ever to access our services, your support has also meant we can keep expanding the ways we meet the needs of the blind and low vision community.

We're particularly excited by improvements in how we help our clients connect with their community and access information.

Our Vision Australia Library service received a significant upgrade moving to a new platform that makes it easy for people to access our huge catalogue of books and other materials in their format of choice. We also added more than 2,500 titles to the catalogue over the year!



Philanthropic support has also significantly upgraded our alternate format production capabilities through the addition of state-of-the-art UV printers. Thanks to this, we're now able to recreate photos, maps, cards and other treasured keepsakes into tactile formats so people who are blind or have low vision can enjoy them.

Helping people who are blind or have low vision to live the life they choose is something we're proud to do, and we're even prouder we're able to do it with your support!

A snapshot of the difference your support has made

Whether it's at home, school, work or out in the community, there's no doubting that your support has helped change the lives of people who are blind or have low vision across Australia.

Here's just a glimpse of what your support has made possible!

40,028

clients supported

243,921

hours of services delivered

1,947

children and young people supported

56,558

hours of occupational therapy training

18,500

hours of orientation and mobility support

31,496

hours of assistive technology support

42,780

hours of recreation and community support programs

44,503

hours of service for children and young people

25,063

hours of orthoptic services



Elsie is just one of the 1,947 children and young people we have been fortunate enough to work with in FY25. In total we have delivered more than 44,000 hours of service to children like Elsie through our Life Ready program.

For Elsie, that has meant working with Vision Australia occupational therapists and orientation and mobility specialists since she was 10 months old. Now four, Elsie is growing her confidence and ability to navigate her surroundings

"From the moment we connected with Vision Australia, we knew everything would be alright – the advice, therapy and care from day one was extraordinary," Ally said.

"Elsie was quite sensitive to most forms of touch when we first started with Vision Australia. She was quiet, didn't want to touch, feel or hear anything. She's now bold and happy to play with therapists and other people, more confident in new location."