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Apply for benefits from the state fund for the blind

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Modul	Sachverhalt
Leistungsschlüssel	99107106080000, 99107106080000
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Apply for benefits from the state fund for the blind
Leistungsbezeichnung II	
Typisierung	4 - Land: Regelung
Quellredaktion	Niedersachsen
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Begriffe im Kontext	
Leistungstyp	Leistungsobjekt mit Verrichtung
Leistungsgruppierung	Sozialleistungen (107)
Verrichtungskennung	Gewährung (080)
SDG-Informationsbereich	
Lagen Portalverbund	Behinderung (1130300), Existenzsicherung und staatliche Unterstützung (1140100)
Einheitlicher	

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Ansprechpartner	Nein
Fachlich freigegeben am	14.11.2022
Fachlich freigegeben durch	Lower Saxony Ministry for Social Affairs, Labor, Health and Equality
Handlungsgrundlage	https://voris.wolterskluwer-online.de/browse/document/cite/bbe55cd1-8b1a-3852-b062-f4b405d2e8ba https://voris.wolterskluwer-online.de/browse/document/cite/bbe55cd1-8b1a-3852-b062-f4b405d2e8ba
Teaser	The Landesblindenfonds is intended to provide financial support to blind people living at home in exceptional, challenging life situations.
Volltext	<p>If you are blind or have a similarly severe visual impairment, live at home and find yourself in a challenging life situation, you can apply for financial support from the Landesblindenfonds.</p> <p>Benefits from the National Fund for the Blind can be granted in particular</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • if you have been diagnosed with blindness or a similarly severe visual impairment within the last four years prior to submitting an application, • if you live alone because a sighted person living in your household has left the household in the 18 months prior to receipt of the application, • if you start one of the following activities for the first time: training, studies, employment on the primary labor market or in a workshop for people with disabilities, • if you change your place of residence for work-related reasons (e.g. by changing your place of work or starting retraining), • if you are actually looking after a child or several children under the age of 16 who live with you at home, • if you take part in self-help measures that are not financed by third parties, in particular social insurance or social benefit providers, • if you are also deaf.

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	<p>Benefits from the National Fund for the Blind are paid as a lump sum.</p> <p>You are free to decide how you use the financial support you receive.</p>
Erforderliche Unterlagen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of the notice of assessment of the "Bl" mark or a valid severely disabled person's pass with the registered "Bl" mark • Proof of habitual residence in Lower Saxony • Documents that are suitable to substantiate the reason you have given for the benefits applied for • If the application cannot or should not be submitted by the applicant him/herself, proof that the applicant is authorized to submit the application (e.g. power of attorney, guardian's certificate)
Voraussetzungen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You must have been awarded the mark Bl, which stands for blind, by a notice of assessment. • You must not be living in an inpatient facility (e.g. nursing home) or in a special form of accommodation for integration assistance.
Kosten	<p>Gebühr: Es fallen keine Kosten an</p> <p>Gebühr: Es fallen keine Kosten an</p> <p>There are no fees.</p>
Verfahrensablauf	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You submit an application to the Lower Saxony State Office for Social Affairs, Youth and Family in Hildesheim for benefits from the State Fund for the Blind. • The authority will check your application and contact you if there are any queries or missing documents. • Once all the documents have been submitted, the authority will check your entitlement to benefits from the State Fund for the Blind. • After the review, you will receive a notice of approval or rejection.
Bearbeitungsdauer	<p>A decision on the application will be made as quickly as possible. The processing time depends, among other things, on the completeness of the information and the submission of the evidence required for processing the application.</p>
Frist	<p>No deadlines need to be observed. However, the application must be closely related to the purpose.</p>

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Informationen**
Hinweise

The website of the Lower Saxony State Office for Social Affairs, Youth and Family provides further information on the State Fund for the Blind.

Other benefits for blind people that may be available to compensate for the additional expenses caused by blindness include the state allowance for the blind and/or assistance for the blind.

Blind and severely visually impaired people from the former administrative district of Braunschweig can receive support from the Herzog-Wilhelm-Blindenstiftung.
https://soziales.niedersachsen.de/startseite/soziales_ampi_gesundheit/soziale_forderungen/landesblindenfonds/niedersaechsischer-landesblindenfonds-99.html
<https://www.hw-blindenstiftung.de/index.html>
https://soziales.niedersachsen.de/startseite/soziales_ampi_gesundheit/soziale_forderungen/landesblindengeld/landesblindengeld-248.html
https://www.ms.niedersachsen.de/startseite/soziales_inklusion/soziales/inklusion_von_menschen_mit_behinderungen/hilfen_fur_blinde_menschen/hilfen-fuer-blindemenschen-14118.html
https://soziales.niedersachsen.de/startseite/soziales_ampi_gesundheit/soziale_forderungen/landesblindenfonds/niedersaechsischer-landesblindenfonds-99.html
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https://www.ms.niedersachsen.de/startseite/soziales_inklusion/soziales/inklusion_von_menschen_mit_behinderungen/hilfen_fur_blinde_menschen/hilfen-fuer-blindemenschen-14118.html

Rechtsbehelf

Lawsuit

Kurztext

- Benefits from the state fund for the blind
- In order to apply, a notice of assessment with the "BL" mark must have been issued.
- Blind people can receive benefits from the National

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	<p>Fund for the Blind</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This benefit is primarily intended to provide support in exceptional life situations • The guidelines for the Landesblindenfonds list the reasons for which benefits are granted and the respective amount of the benefit • Responsible: Lower Saxony State Office for Social Affairs, Youth and Family in Hildesheim
Ansprechpunkt	Responsibility lies with the Lower Saxony State Office for Social Affairs, Youth and Family in Hildesheim
Zuständige Stelle	
Formulare	Applications can be made in writing (informally or by application, which you can obtain from the Lower Saxony State Office for Social Affairs, Youth and Family) or online.
Ursprungsportal	Leistungen aus dem Landesblindenfonds beantragen, Apply for benefits from the state fund for the blind