

JWOD CATALOG

Products and Services Through The
Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act Priority Source Program

Selected JWOD (NIB/NISH) Products
1999-2000



NIB/NISH — Javits-Wagner-O'Day (JWOD)

JWOD: TECHNOLOGY 101

Need to brush up on your knowledge of computer-related products and services? Let JWOD and SKILCRAFT® be your guides. With a number of quality technology products and services provided by people who are blind or have severe disabilities, you will be well on your way to taking advantage of all today's technology has to offer.

The Basics

Mouse pads, provided by South Texas Lighthouse for the Blind in Corpus Christi, TX, are designed to give your computer mouse maximum control and tracking.

NSN# 7045-01-368-4808 Red

NSN# 7045-01-368-4809 Blue

NSN# 7045-01-368-4810 Gray

NSN# 7045-01-368-4811 3-pack, red, blue, gray



Diskettes and Recordable CD-ROMs are available from North Central Sight Services, Inc. of Williamsport, PA. The diskettes feature a visual write-protect icon system and an anti-static, low-torque design.

NSN# 7045-01-283-4362 3-1/2", double sided, high density, box of 10

NSN# 7045-01-365-2069 3-1/2", formatted, double sided, high density, box of 10

NSN# 7045-01-442-1631 3-1/2", formatted, double sided, high density, pack of 25



Recordable CD-ROMs record at speeds from 1X to 6X, are compatible with all leading CD writers and readers, and store up to 650MB with 74-minute media.

NSN# 7045-01-436-7853 Box of 5 with jewel cases

NSN# 7045-01-429-3462 Box of 50 with tyvek sleeves and mailers



"Super" Products

SuperDisks (LS-120 Imation) and Super DiskDrives (Imation) are provided by North Central Sight Services, Inc. of Williamsport, PA.



SuperDisks have a thin strip of material with a layer of magnetic coating on one surface on which information is recorded in the form of magnetized spots. For reproduction and data storage. Media comes in a 3-1/2" shell and has a capacity of 120MB. Five per package.
NSN# 7045-01-455-2291

SuperDisk Drives provide capability to both read and write to regular 1.44MB diskettes and to 120MB SuperDisk diskettes. Unit includes (1) SuperDisk external drive, power supply, cable and diskette with software required for PC use.

NSN# 7025-01-454-8199

Letting JWOD Work for You

The rapid expansion of technology has made data entry, database management, and secretarial services more appealing than ever from a costing and management standpoint. People who are blind or severely disabled are handling a tremendous volume of data entry requirements with accuracy and efficiency. The same technology, in conjunction with complete occupational training, has opened up expanded opportunities for secretarial services.

In Cincinnati, Ohio, employees of the Clovernook Center/ Opportunities for the Blind will soon provide a service to the Environmental Protection Agency incorporating a number of skills such as database management, data entry, image processing, and website technical support. JWOD employees will maintain a database of all publications that have been scanned and posted on the EPA's National Service Center for Environmental Publications (NSCEP) website. Once publications are received, they will be compared to existing entries in the database to avoid duplication, entered into the database, sized and scanned using IRMD Image Processing systems, and then posted on the NSCEP website.

Other data entry/database management services are provided to Federal customers throughout the country. In Atlanta, Georgia, employees of Blind & Low Vision Services of Northern Georgia enter data from home loan applications for the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. In Chicago, Illinois, employees of The Chicago Lighthouse for People Who Are Blind or Visually Impaired provide data entry and database management services to the General Services Administration. Employees inventory all items appearing on the GSA *Advantage!* website (www.gsaadvantage.com) and make sure that all inventory numbers and descriptions appear correctly online.

These same services are also available on a temporary basis. In the past, the Department of Veterans Affairs has hired employees of the Columbia Lighthouse for the Blind in Washington, D.C., on a temporary basis to retrieve and print computer file information on missing soldiers. At the Department of Justice's Immigration and Naturalization Service, employees of Blind Industries and Services of Maryland provided a range of services to assist on a temporary basis with the U.S. citizenship lottery for Cuba. Entries were sorted and then assigned numbers within INS's database system by BISM employees, who then verified the validity of entries and produced letters of notification to those Cuban nationals who were selected to apply for U.S. citizenship.

For more information on how the JWOD Program can work for you, please call Kathy Kurtz of National Industries for the Blind at (703) 578-6515, or Valerie Leighton of NISH (serving people with a range of disabilities) at (703) 641-2756.

DO YOU NEED SOMEONE TO FIELD YOUR CALL?

Peckham Vocational Industries, a NISH associated Community Rehabilitation Program, runs the Customer Call Center at the Defense Logistic Agency's Defense Reutilization and Marketing Service (DRMS) and the Defense Logistics Information Services (DLIS) in Battle Creek, Michigan. Persons with disabilities are working as call center agents, computer security assistants, graphic artists, and administrative assistants.

In order to accommodate more services of this level, Peckham is devoting 4,500 square feet of their headquarters' space to a Business Services Division. At first, this center will focus on further specialized computer-based training for persons with

disabilities in Call Center Operations and Document Imaging Services. From there, Peckham is looking to expand to other services, such as transcription.

The JWOD Program was designed to provide employment opportunities for people with disabilities; NISH and NB are nonprofit agencies that coordinate the day-to-day activities of the Program including technical, contract, and marketing assistance. Our staff is there to work with you to get the job done. Many of our Community Rehabilitation Programs are ready to handle your technological needs. For more information, contact the office that serves your state via email at the following:

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sservices@nish.org

scservices@nish.org

ncservices@nish.org

nwservices@nish.org

wservices@nish.org

For National assistance from NIB:

kkurtz@nib.org

States Served

CT, DE, DC, ME, MD, MA, NH
NJ, NY, PA, RI, VT, VA, WV

AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC,
TN, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands

AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX

IL, IN, IA, MI, MN, OH, WI

AK, ID, MT, NE, ND, OR, SD, WA, WY

AR, CA, HI, NV, UT, Guam, American
Samoa, Trust Territories

All States served

The JWOD Program—Your Source for a Dedicated Workforce!



LOOKING FOR SOME ASSISTANCE WITH TODAY'S TECHNOLOGY?

The JWOD Program is working with technology around the country. Our Community Rehabilitation Programs (also known as nonprofit agencies) have experience working with state and local governments, private businesses and other nonprofit agencies. We have capabilities in the following service areas:

- Computer-assisted Manufacturing
- Database Management
- Document Imaging
- Document Management
- Website Design (including "Bobby-approved" accessible sites)
- Website Maintenance and Hosting

The JWOD Program means jobs for people who are blind or have other severe disabilities. Technology jobs under the JWOD Program provide people with disabilities an opportunity to learn valuable skills and earn excellent wages. And, the JWOD Program can be the solution to Federal agencies' outsourcing needs!

For more information about JWOD technical or other services, please refer to the offices listed in the previous JWOD article or you may send email to info@jwod.gov for a prompt response.

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JWOD TRAINING GOES HIGH TECH

Want to learn more about the Javits-Wagner-OiDay (JWOD) Program, which remains a required source of supply for all Federal agencies and employees? You can take a fun and informative JWOD seminar from the comfort and convenience of your desk!

Log on to <http://www.faionline.com>, and check out the JWOD Program seminar. This seminar is free of charge, and covers everything a purchase cardholder or an acquisition professional needs to know about fulfilling the JWOD Program's requirements. The seminar includes a "Frequently Asked Questions" page, exercises to reinforce learning, and a list of additional resources. Upon completion, you can print out a seminar certificate as a record of your accomplishment!

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