

Sensory Campus





People who are blind or have low vision, can now receive multiple services at the one location, Vision Australia's innovative Sensory Campus.

The Sensory Campus houses unique specialist facilities such as the world-first, state-of-the-art Leigh Garwood Mobility Training Centre, a Sensory Room, a fully operational woodwork workshop and braille training. An onsite learning & teaching kitchen enables delivery of cooking skills & develops confidence. It is equipped with a one-way viewing mirror for therapeutic use, to aid in feeding therapy.

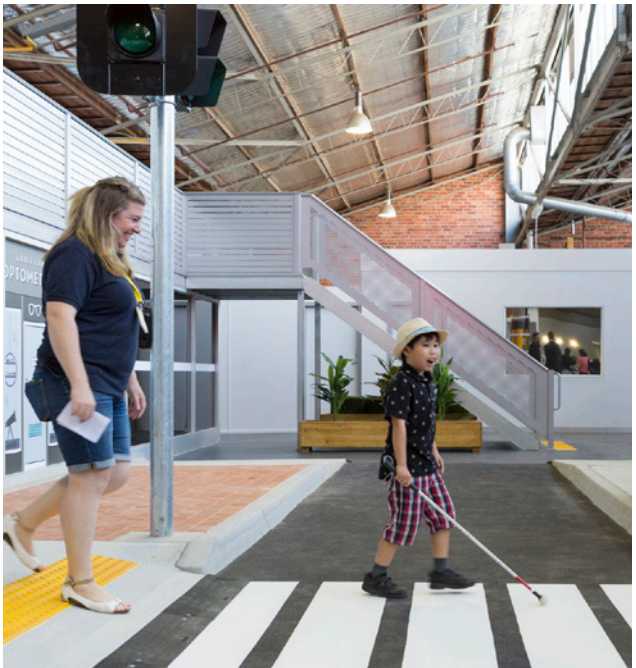
Health and disability professionals can refer patients or clients for treatment at the Sensory Campus with a Vision Australia specialist, which builds confidence and independence, so they can live the life they choose.

Leigh Garwood State-of-the-art Mobility Training Centre

Training in this facility can build confidence for people who are blind or have low vision, before moving into real world situations.

The Mobility Training Centre offers simulation of various mobility experiences, such as boarding a train, riding an escalator, various types of stairs, and crossing a street at traffic lights.

This facility also provides a safe environment to teach white cane users, and clients with their Seeing Eye Dogs.



Sensory Room

The Sensory Room provides a unique and interactive therapeutic space for children and adults with low vision, blindness and/or other disabilities.

Therapy intervention in the Sensory Room can elicit positive behaviours and development of skills, which can be applied to everyday life.

It can be used to build techniques to manage stress and anxiety, and stimulate the sensory system to improve awareness.

The Sensory Room is fitted with carefully selected equipment, which allows the facilitation of a wide range of specialist therapies. Some examples include a magic carpet, huge 65" interactive touch screen computer and suspended swing. There is also a special device which enables users to create sound and music through motion.



Woodwork workshop

Clients can create their very own masterpieces in our woodwork workshop. Classes are run by industry qualified teachers, who are experienced in working with people who are blind or have low vision.



Braille training

Vision Australia offers braille training to people over the age of 16 years. This is offered face to face, or via correspondence for people living anywhere in Australia.





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How to refer

It's easy to refer your patients or clients to Vision Australia, to benefit from therapy at the Sensory Campus:

Online www.visionaustralia.org

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