



# LEADER DOGS

FOR THE BLIND

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<http://www.leaderdog.org>

## Programs offered by Leader



### Guide Dog Training

Since 1939 Leader Dog for the Blind has operated one of the world's most respected and innovative guide dog programs.



### Accelerated O&M Training

The accelerated seven-day residential orientation and mobility (O&M) training empowers people who are blind by providing the skills needed to travel safely.



### GPS Technology

Clients receive and are instructed in the use of a free pocket-sized GPS device that provides location, direction, street name, nearby points of interest and other information through verbal cues.



### Summer Experience Camp

A unique summer camp for boys and girls ages 16 and 17 who are legally blind that combines summer fun with an introduction to guide dogs and the opportunity to spend time with peers who are facing similar challenges.



**Congratulations to Leader Dog for celebrating 75 years in 2014!**

