



AIM-VA

VIRGINIA ACCESSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

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## ***TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT FOR AIM-VA***

*AIM-VA and its collaborative partners are offering one day trainings  
sponsored by VDOE across the Commonwealth*

AIM-VA, Recording for the Blind & Dyslexic, Virginia Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired and Don Johnston Inc. will be providing Digital Rights Managers and staff members who will be working directly with students in using accessible content and equipment, training sponsored by VDOE, on using the new statewide system for ordering and using accessible instructional materials for students with print disabilities. Training will also be given on installing and using the Read:OutLoud software that has been recently disseminated to your division. Please limit registrations to three (3) persons per school division.

### ***Training Dates***

9 am-4:30 pm - September 25, 2008: Virginia Beach Sheraton – Ocean Front  
3501 Atlantic Ave, Virginia Beach, VA 23451, (757) 425-9000

To Register: [https://www.sporg.com/registration?link\\_type=reg\\_info&form\\_id=111740](https://www.sporg.com/registration?link_type=reg_info&form_id=111740)

9 am-4:30 pm - October 1, 2008: Roanoke Plaza Hotel  
2801 Hershberger Road, Roanoke, VA 24017, (540) 563-9300

To Register: [https://www.sporg.com/registration?link\\_type=reg\\_info&form\\_id=111742](https://www.sporg.com/registration?link_type=reg_info&form_id=111742)

9 am-4:30 pm - October 3, 2008: Richmond Holiday Inn – Koger Center  
1021 Koger Center Blvd, Richmond, VA 23235, (804) 379-3800

To Register: [https://www.sporg.com/registration?link\\_type=reg\\_info&form\\_id=111743](https://www.sporg.com/registration?link_type=reg_info&form_id=111743)

### ***Schedule for the Day***

9:00 am – 9:30 am	Welcome and Introduction – John Eisenberg
9:30 am – 12:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions – AIM-VA, RFB&D, DBVI, Read:OutLoud
12:30 am – 1:30 pm	Lunch (Provided)
1:30 am – 4:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions – AIM-VA, RFB&D, DBVI, Read:OutLoud

This day will include answers, tips and tricks on the following questions:

- Who qualifies for AIM-VA materials?
- How do I order from the AIM-VA Database?
- Do I still order recorded audio books from RFB&D?
- Is DBVI still processing Braille materials for schools?
- How do I use Read:OutLoud Software?
- Who gets to use the Read:OutLoud Software?

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