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Who. What. Why.

We're more than just a library...

Who we are:

The Maryland State Library for the Blind and Print Disabled (LBPD) is a division of the Maryland State Library Agency (MSLA) and is a cooperating network library in partnership with the National Library Service for the Blind and Print Disabled, a service of the Library of Congress. The primary mission of LBPD is to provide accessible reading materials to individuals with print disabilities.

What we provide:

- Digital Talking Book Player
- Braille e-Reader
- Audio and Braille Books and Magazines
- Local Interest Materials Produced In-House (Marylandia Collection)
- Large Print Books
- Accessible Technology Training
- Home and Wireless Delivery of Reading Materials
- Accessible College Textbooks
- Programs & Events for People with Print Disabilities
- Free Access to the National Federation of the Blind's Newsline Service
- eBraille readers and eBooks to download

Why we do it:

SO ALL MAY READ.

Numbers to know:

1 in 5

Marylanders report having at least one disability

7,112

Registered borrowers

303,000

Items borrowed

76,606

BARD downloads

196

Braille e-Readers Loaned