# Vocational Rehabilitation Services Manual D-200: Purchasing Goods and Services

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## D-203: Purchasing Decisions

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### D-203-4: Customer Participation in the Cost of Services

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#### Students or Youth with Disabilities

The BLR does not apply to:

* the cost of participation in training seminars and GSTs for students or youth with disabilities (see C-1306-1: Student Participation in the Cost of Training Seminars and GSTs); or
* the cost of parents or legal guardians to participate in the training seminars and GSTs for students or youth with disabilities (see C-1306-2: Family Participation in Training Seminars and GSTs).

The BLR is applied to the following expenses associated with participation in training seminars and GSTs for students or youth with disabilities:

* incidental expenses and transportation costs for the student to participate in the services; and
* transportation costs for family members, unless a parent or representative is required to participate in the activity for the student to attend.

VR policy on the use of best value and comparable services and benefits must be followed for all VR customers.