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Finding Wheels: Strategies to Build Independent Travel Skills for Those with Visual Impairments

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What is Finding Wheels?

- A guide to assist travelers in exploring transportation options now and in the future
- A collection of ideas for professionals and family members to support travelers
- An alternative to driver’s education class
- A tool to augment ECC instruction

Who is Finding Wheels for?

- Travelers in their teens or early 20s
- Professionals working with travelers with visual impairments
- Family members of travelers

What does Finding Wheels include?

- Ten chapters on a wide range of travel topics
- Scenarios of travelers in different communities
- Activities that allow travelers to reflect and explore topics included in the book
- Objectives professionals will find valuable for instructional planning

How can Finding Wheels be used?

- On your own
- In a group
- As a family
- For an after school or enrichment program
- As part of instruction by professionals in schools or rehabilitation settings

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Figure 1 Cover of Finding Wheels.
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