# Illinois School f/t Visually Impaired 40th Annual

# Parent Infant/Opening Doors Program

## #175 Years of Change



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| What is Opening Doors?  The Opening Doors conference is a multiday event for caregivers and their children with vision loss ages birth to five. |  |  | Registration Link:  <https://forms.gle/eAo2C7c5BZeZgoaS6>  When: June 7-10, 2023  Where: ISVI Campus/Jacksonville  Register Now! A maximum of 25 families will be accepted.  We look forward to seeing everyone back in person!! |  |  |  |

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| Mission Statement The mission of Opening Doors is to provide support to families of infants and toddlers who are blind or visually impaired to assist them in making informed decisions on behalf of their child, and to provide information on their child based on observation and assessment. Contact: Michelle Clark/Outreach Director  [Michelle.clark@illinois.gov](mailto:Michelle.clark@illinois.gov)  Illinois School f/t Visually Impaired  658 E State St  Jacksonville IL 62650  isvi.illinois.gov | I loved my time at the in-person event in Jacksonville! All the staff members were so helpful and loving on our daughter. I left very encouraged. |