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The following organizations are good resources for information on blindness:

- American Council for the Blind -- www.acb.org/ [<https://www.acb.org/>]
- American Foundation for the Blind -- www.afb.org/default.aspx [<https://www.afb.org/default.aspx>]
- Foundation Fighting Blindness -- www.fightingblindness.org [<https://www.fightingblindness.org>]
- National Eye Institute -- www.nei.nih.gov [<https://www.nei.nih.gov>]
- National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped -- www.loc.gov/nls [<https://www.loc.gov/nls>]
- US National Library of Medicine, MedlinePlus -- medlineplus.gov/ency/article/003040.htm [<https://medlineplus.gov/ency/article/003040.htm>]

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