

**Welcome** and thank you for your interest in Perkins School for the Blind.

To refer a student for admission, the parents, school district, or other referral agent must complete and return the Perkins [admission forms](#) along with all available educational, clinical, and medical records pertaining to the student. A cover letter stating your request for admission to the school with a brief explanation why admission is being requested should be included. Please refer to the *Required Paperwork Checklist* for all necessary application materials and use it to organize your referral packet. **Please be aware that these documents serve as your application. Without ALL of the relevant information, we will not be able to begin the review process.**

After the Perkins admission team receives and reviews this information, we will contact you to discuss the possibility of scheduling a visit to the school for the student and staff to meet in person. This also provides an opportunity for the family, school, and/or other interested members to tour the program.

If you have any questions or need assistance in meeting any of the requirements, please contact the Admissions office at (617) 972-7227. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Christopher Underwood  
Director of Admissions and Evaluations