

# Are you blind or partially sighted and living in the North West? Or do you know someone who is? Or are you interested in finding out more about technology for blind and partially sighted people?

In February, Action for Blind People and RNIB will be running two free events across the North West focused on the latest technology designed to support those with sight loss.

Leading suppliers of specialist equipment and low visual aids will be on hand all day with advice and demonstrations of their latest equipment. Suppliers attending are: Enhanced Vision, Optelec, Humanware, Dolphin Supernova, Guide, Visualey, Forcetenco, Sight and Sound Technology, Pamtrad, Cobalt Systems Ltd and Optima Low Vision Services.

Action for Blind People will also be holding a series of free workshops for service users focused on low priced and free solutions, these include: Windows, Mobile Phone accessibility, and Apple Mac accessibility options, as well as a session on the Humanware Trekker Breeze (GPS) and Zoomtext Version 10. Humanware will also be offering event attendees the opportunity to experience "Breeze" walks, first hand, throughout the day.

Places for the workshops are limited. For more information and to book a workshop place please contact Alison:

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**Both events are free and will take place at:**

## **Preston**

**22 February 2012**

10.00am to 4.00pm

GHS Centre, South Meadow Ln  
Preston, PR1 8JN

## **Manchester**

**23 February 2012**

10.00am to 4.00pm

GMCVO, St Thomas Centre,  
Ardwick Green North,  
Manchester, M12 6FZ



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