# Vocational Rehabilitation Services Manual E-200: Summary Table of Approvals, Consultations, and Notifications

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## Assistive and Rehab Technology, including modifications and repairs

| **Situation, Good, or Service** | **Required Action** | **VRSM Reference**  |
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| Vehicles |
| Vehicle modifications that cost more than $2,500 | VR Manager approval | C-204-2 |
| Before the customer purchases a vehicle for which the modifications will cost more than $1,500 | Review with Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI) and VR Manager approval  | C-204-6 |
| Repairs to vehicle modifications or to equipment estimated to exceed $2,500  | Review with Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI) and VR Manager approval  | C-204-12 |
| Vehicle repairs over $250, but less than $1,000 (aggregate amount) | VR Manager approval  | C-1402-8 |
| Vehicle repairs over $1,000 (aggregate amount) | Regional Director approval | C-1402-8 |
| Repair costs that exceed the vehicle’s value | Regional Director approval | C-1402-8 |
| Provision of a rental vehicle  | * VR Manager approval for 1-60 days
* Regional Director approval for 61+ days
 | C-1402-9 |
| Vehicle payment assistance (includes monthly payments or down payment) | Regional Director approval | C-204-11 |
| Residential or Job Site Modifications |
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## Training Services

| **Situation, Good, or Service** | **Required Action** | **VRSM Reference**  |
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| Training Services - General |
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| Pre-ETS |
| Assistive Technology purchases made before the completion of the student's senior year of secondary school | VR Supervisor approval | C-1305-5 |
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| GSTs including students served by multiple management units or multiple regions | Review by the State Office Program Specialist for Transition Services and approval by the Regional Directors of the regions participating | C-1305-12 |
| When another family member requests to participate in the Group Skills Training (GST) in place of the parent or guardian | VR Manager approval | C-1305-11 |
| Budget for the proposed GST | Regional Director approval  | C-1305-11 |
| All Pre-ETS Temporary Learning Experience | Program Specialist approval from Pre-ETS mailbox | C-1305-8 |

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## Medical Services

| **Situation, Good, or Service** | **Required Action** | **VRSM Reference** |
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| Orthoses and Prostheses |
| Initial orthosis or difficulty with current orthosis | Evaluation by a physician (prior to services).  | C-703-21  |
| Initial prosthesis or difficulty with current prosthesis | Orthopedic or physical medicine and rehabilitation specialist evaluation | C-703-21  |
| Prosthesis with unlisted MAPS codes | * Consultation with VR Manager prior to sending to State Office Orthotic and Prosthetic Review Committee (OPRC)
* State Office Orthotic and Prosthetic Review Committee (OPRC) approval
 | C-703-21 |
| If VR cost for a prosthesis is equal to or greater than $12,500 and does not include unlisted MAPS codes | * Consultation with VR Manager prior to sending to UTSW
* University of Texas Southwestern (UTSW) review
 | C-703-21 |
| Functional Electrical Stimulation (FES) Devices | * Consultation with VR Manager prior to sending to State Medical Director
* State Medical Director approval
 | C-703-21 |
| Osteomyelitis |
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