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When glasses just aren't enough

Are you having problems reading, watching TV or threading a needle, yet you are already wearing glasses?

The staff at Guide Dogs SA.NT's Low Vision Services, Orthoptist Jenny Smits and Occupational Therapist Lindy Carr, can provide practical help, advice and equipment to assist you with daily living.

Jenny Smits says her clients are often amazed at how simple strategies and inexpensive equipment can make such a difference to their lives.

"I would advise anyone with vision issues who wants to maintain their independence to make a free appointment to see us."

Low Vision Services, located at 251 Morphett St, Adelaide, has a good range of assistive equipment, including:

- A range of magnifiers
- Large print and tactile daily living aids
- Talking clocks and watches
- Large print playing cards
- Needle threaders
- Liquid level indicators (useful for making hot drinks safely).

Low Vision Services is a new program of Guide Dogs SA.NT. Call 1800 738 855 to make an appointment.

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