

One in five Minnesotans has a hearing loss. Do you, or does someone in your family?

Hearing loss can affect people at any age. With communication access, hearing loss is not a barrier to living active lives and being involved in the community.

Advances in new technologies are helping make the world more accessible to people who have hearing loss, combined vision and hearing loss, or who are Deaf, DeafBlind or hard of hearing.

We serve people who are:

- Deaf
- DeafBlind or have combined vision and hearing loss
- Hard of hearing or have hearing loss
- Late deafened

We also serve:

- Parents and family members of people with hearing loss
- Human service providers
- Employers and businesses
- Educators

How can we help?

Get resources that fit your unique needs

- Learn about helpful communication tips.
- Get personalized services.
- Receive referrals that support independence and communication access.

Learn about hearing loss

- Find out about hearing loss, Deaf culture, assistive technology and other topics.
- For agencies: online training modules and assistance to make services more accessible.
- For individuals: training on empowerment and selfadvocacy.

Get assistive technology and tools

- Get assistive telephone equipment through the Telephone Equipment Distribution (TED)
 Program at no cost if you qualify.
- Find solutions that make living with hearing loss easier.
 - Try assistive listening devices.
 - Test amplified and captioned telephones and other devices.
 - Learn about useful apps for people with hearing loss.
- For employers and businesses: borrow assistive technology to improve communication access for employees with hearing loss.



- mn.gov/deaf-hard-of-hearing
- dhs.dhhsd@state.mn.us
- (\$\) 800-657-3663 voice 651-964-1514 videophone



Connect to mental health services

- Work with therapists who use American
 Sign Language and are trained to work with individuals with hearing loss.
- Get support for case coordination, aftercare planning and community placement assistance.

Find resources in your community

Learn about programs and services available through our grant partners. Programs include:

- Services for individuals who are DeafBlind
- Interpreter referral
- Deaf and hard of hearing mentors for families
- Captioning for live local television news
- Mental health services for children and adults



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