



ADULT DAY SERVICES

Community Access for the Deaf



Group Day Program Services – includes group programs meet once a week with community outings 1-2 times a month. Sessions focus on activities of daily living which incorporate goals for social, recreational, financial, and communication skills. Adults may opt to attend classes every week or once a month for the outing.



Activities of Daily Living Skills – includes individual home visits to assist with goals for daily living skills. These can incorporate goals for financial skills, cooking skills, emergency skills, first aid, communication skills, literacy skills, job coaching, and supportive employment skills. Visits can be arranged at their home, job site, or in their community.



Support staff training – includes assisting the individual's group home staff, their guardians, caregivers, or work site staff with learning sign language, communication strategies, and how to utilize assistive living devices, and/or hearing aid care.



Supportive Employment - includes job coaching and skills development. In addition, HEAR Wisconsin is a vendor for Systematic Instruction (job coaching) with DVR (Department of Vocational Rehabilitation) for Deaf individuals seeking community employment.

Once the individual's ISP is developed and approved by the individual, guardian (if applicable), and case manager, staff will assist the individual and their community support staff in achieving their goals. Weekly or bi-monthly visits can be arranged in their home, group home, place of employment and/or day program.

If you would like more information or would like to refer an individual to the Adult Day Services Program, please contact Ruth Stuhr, Program Coordinator at 414-604-7216 (o) 262-470-0576 (c) or email at rstuhr@hearwi.org

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