“DEAF, Inc.’s mission is to inspire people to achieve personal and professional goals through accessible programs and services. We build bridges by increasing communication access and awareness across communities.”

**Financial Planning for the Deaf Community**

**Saturday, July 20, 2019 | 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM**

Urban Edge 1542 Columbus Ave, Roxbury, MA 02119

ASL Interpreters, CART services, and lunch provided

RSVP by email at: frontdesk@deafinconline.org or Video Phone: (617) 505-4823 | TTY/Voice: (617) 254-4041
OFFICE LOCATIONS: ALLSTON • HYANNIS • LAWRENCE • NEW BEDFORD • SALEM • TAUNTON

Starting on July 15th DEAF, Inc. Boston will be closed from 12:00pm - 1:00pm
Questions? Call the Boston Office

Boston Office Hours

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Looking for new opportunities??
Are you motivated to be part of DEAF, Inc.’s amazing team? Interested in working with accessible services?
JOIN US!

American Sign Language Instructor
Teaches ASL at adult evening classes

Independent Living Specialist (Hard of Hearing/Late-Deafened)
Provides independent living services to people experiencing mild to moderate hearing loss and seniors

DBCAN Provider
Provides direct services to DeafBlind

ASL Social Event Mentor
Interacts with ASL learners at events

Interested in Applying? Email a cover letter, resume, and 3 reference letters to Ann Thompson athompson@deafinconline.org
More information on our website: www.deafinconline.org/jobs
Tips to Stay Cool!!

Stay Cool!

Find a place to relax that has air conditioning, (Library, Mall, Community Center)

Wear light, loose clothing

Look for shade, wear a sunhat and sunglasses

Cool yourself with

Prevent Dehydration! Don’t wait until you are thirsty to drink!

Drink plenty of cold drinks during the day. Water is best; other cold drinks are good, too.

Avoid sugary drinks, beer, wine, and other alcohol

Eat fruits that contain a lot of water like pineapple and oranges

ASL Department News

DEAF, Inc is looking for ASL teachers!
The teacher will provide weekly ASL instruction from 6 pm - 8 pm for a session for adult learners in American Sign Language using the Signing Naturally curriculum materials. Positions available in Boston, Lawrence, and New Bedford.

Find more information on our website at www.deafinonline.org/locations/jobs

Are you an ASL tutor?
Contact asl@deafinonline.org to be added to our resource list.

Are you interested in classes?
Check out our website www.deafinonline.org/services/asl/schedule for more information. Email asl@deafinonline.org to be added to our mailing list and be the first to know about class availability and other events!
Annual Red Sox Deaf and Hard of Hearing Night!
Wednesday, September 4, 2019
7:10 pm
Twins at Red Sox

Please join us for the 6th Annual Red Sox Deaf and Hard of Hearing Night!
This year the Deaf and Hard of hearing Night will be on Wednesday, September 4th.
- A pre-game social on the Sam Adam’s Deck prior to the game
- A ceremony recognizing members of the Deaf community on the field
- **Interpreters provided for the pre-game ceremony**
- The National Anthem signed by a Deaf guest

Support DEAF, Inc. and Our Deaf Survivors Center by buying your tickets at:
https://groupmatics.events/event/Deafhoh2019

Available Now!
Visor Cards for Deaf, and Hard of Hearing drivers.
Visit any of our DEAF, Inc. Offices to get yours.

Office Locations: Allston • Hyannis • Lawrence • New Bedford • Salem • Taunton •
Independent Living Program Classes & Workshops

BOSTON OFFICE

Banking Class
-> NEW TIME <-
Mondays 2:00pm—3:30PM

Vocabulary Class
-> NEW TIME <-
Wednesdays 2:00PM—3:30PM

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DEAF PARENTS SUPPORT GROUP (DPSG)
TWICE A MONTH ON WEDNESDAY
-> NEW TIME <-
10:00AM—11:30AM
DEAF, INC. BOSTON OFFICE

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(TBD)

For information on a specific class, please contact

*For more information contact group leader Sandra Bass: SBass@deafinconline.org
**All Classes and Workshops are at the Boston Office unless noted otherwise.
# DEAF, Inc. Calendar of Events

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- **August 16**: All offices closed

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Deaf, Hard of Hearing and Late-Deafened Resources

DEAF, Inc. can help you get equipment for you and your home. Things like hearing aids, pocket-talkers, TV listening systems, visual fire alarms, doorbells, and alarms to wake up.

If you would like to learn more about which device is right for you, or know where to get this and other equipment, or if you need financial assistance, con-

For your FREE equipment contact your IL specialist OR If you are a community member contact: Hayley Bernard Independent Living Program Administrative Assistant:

**SUPPORT/SOCIAL GROUPS**

**DEAF**
- **DEAF Seniors of America**: WWW.DEAFSENIORSOFAMERICA.ORG
- **National Association of the Deaf**: WWW.NAD.ORG
- **DEAF Women United**: WWW.DWU.ORG
- **MA State Assoc. of the Deaf**: WWW.MSASSDEAF.ORG

**HEARING LOSS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA (HLA)**

**National**: WWW.HEARINGLOSS.ORG

**Local Chapters:**
- **Boston, MA**
  - [www.hearinglossboston.org](http://www.hearinglossboston.org)
  - Meets at Watertown Free Public Library, 123 Main St. Watertown
  - Contact: Betsy Anderson: betucansea@gmail.com
- **North Of Boston Chapter** (3rd Wednesday of the Month at 11am)
  - Meets at Lucius Beebe Memorial Library (2nd Fl. Treasurer’s Room), 345 Main St. Wakefield, MA
  - Contact: JoAnn Lacock at jlpisces@aol.com 603-216-2381
- **Plymouth, MA**
  - (Bi-Monthly) WWW.HEARINGLOSSPLYMOUTH.ORG
  - Meets at Plymouth Public Library, 132 South Street, Plymouth, MA
  - Contact: Sandy Spekman at sspekman@gmail.com
- **Central Massachusetts Chapter**
  - [https://hearinglosscentralma.wordpress.com/](https://hearinglosscentralma.wordpress.com/)
  - Meets at Northborough Public Library, 24 Main St, Northboro
  - Contact: info@hearinglosscentralma.org for more information

**ASSOCIATION OF LATE DEAFENED ADULTS (ALDA)**

**National**: WWW.ALDA.ORG

**Contact**: INFO@ALDA.ORG

**Boston Chapter**
- WWW.ALDA BOSTON.ORG
  - Contact: Francine Stieglitz at fstiegl@bu.edu

**ALDA Seacoast NH**
- Contact: Laura Sinclair at ALDA SEACOAST NH@GMAIL.COM

**Cochlear Implant Groups**

**Bionic Ear Association**

**Med-El**
- [HearPeers Community—online support](http://www.medel.com/us/show/index/id/557/titel/HearPeers)

**Minuteman Implant Club**
- WWW.NECISUPPORT.ORG
  - Contact: Terri Charles at terri_charles@verizon.net

**ONLINE GROUPS**

**New** A Virtual Hearing Loss Community
- From HLAA, the Ida Institute, and the Mayo Clinic on [Mayo Clinic Connect](https://www.mayoclinic.org/health/hearing/PCM-55761674)

You can join online, ask questions, start a conversation and connect with folks with hearing loss! **For your FREE equipment contact your IL specialist OR If you are a community member contact: Hayley Bernard Independent Living Program Administrative Assistant:**
ENJOY THE BOSTON NEWSLETTER!

Stay Tuned for news about DEAF, Inc.’s Annual Fall Community Dinner….
October 19, 2019

Text To 911
Now Available

Sate 911 Department Says “Call if you can, text if you can’t”

Emergency call 911

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