

Some Easy Tips

- Use your normal tone of voice don't yell!
- Make sure your mouth can be seen don't chew gum.
- If you don't know a sign, write it down or type it.
- Use an app, like Live Transcribe, or Signing Savvy (www.signingsavvy.com).



Considering the reality that 1 in 4 people currently living the in United States have some type of physical or sensory disability, it is critical that nurses and other health care providers are prepared to effectively communicate with and

treat patients who are deaf, hard of hearing, and/or disabled.

Keith can coach you one-on-one or provide an interactive presentation to your team. Ability Together provides the support you need to meet your patient's needs.



Visit **www.AbilityTogether.org** to learn more or book a session today!



Have a nice day!



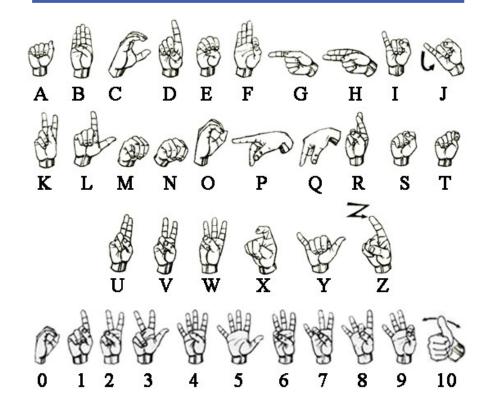
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Advocating for Equity in the Healthcare Experience

This guide will give you new tools to create an equitable experience for your patients!



The mission of Ability Together is to create equity in Healthcare **experiences**. We provide coaching and consulting services for healthcare professionals to give them the tools to create an equitable experience for patients with unique communication needs.

These are basic signs that you can learn and use to help in a pinch!

When moving one hand only, move the dominant hand.



Help











Toilet / Bathroom



Come On / Follow Me







Medicine / Medication







Diabetes







Pain

Hot