

Deaf

Awareness

Week 2023



MAY 1—7

ACCESS TO COMMUNICATION



Deafness is not spoken. Deaf and hard of hearing individuals may feel misunderstood, unheard, invisible and isolated.

Deaf Awareness Week will focus on raising awareness of the communication needs and advocating for greater access to communication tools and services. Its aim is to encourage individuals, organizations, and governments to work together to create a more inclusive society where deaf individuals have the same access to communication as their hearing counterparts. Through education and advocacy, we can break down the communication barriers and create a world where access to communication is a fundamental human right for everyone, regardless of their hearing ability.

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