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Division of Student Services

NJDEAF, New Jersey Deaf Education Affiliates Announces Spring Conference

NJDEAF, New Jersey Deaf Education Affiliates, in conjunction with the New Jersey Division of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, will conduct their annual Spring Conference "Navigating the Legal Rights of Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students" on Saturday, March 21, 2020. The conference will be held at the New Jersey Education Services Commission in Piscataway, NJ, from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Speakers will include Elizabeth Hill, Director of the New Jersey Division of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing; Pamela Aasen from the Statewide Parent Advocacy Network; Michelle Cline, Executive Director of Walden School; and Wendy Eufemia from the New Jersey Department of Education.

The full conference agenda and registration information can be found on the <u>NJDEAF</u> website. For issues registering, making payment or for additional information, email Juliann Toone at <u>julianne.toone@gmail.com</u>.

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