Date: September 28, 2022

To: Local Educational Agency Leads, Administrators of Approved Private Schools for Students with

Disabilities

Route To: Directors of Special Education, Administrators of Programs for Students who are Deaf or Hard of

Hearing, Educational Staff for Students Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing

From: Kathy Ehling, Assistant Commissioner

Division of Educational Services

Register by: October 17, 2022

Virtual Roundtable for Professionals Serving Students Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing

The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) Office of Special Education is hosting a virtual roundtable discussion regarding the New Jersey Deaf Student's Bill of Rights and the New Jersey Communication Plan Template for Students who are Deaf, Hard of Hearing, or Deafblind. Participants will have the opportunity to provide feedback and ask questions regarding the New Jersey Deaf Student's Bill of Rights and Communication Plan implementation. The roundtable is applicable for administrators, child study team members, speech/language specialists, and education professionals who serve students who are Deaf or hard of hearing.

Three separate sessions are being offered virtually. Please register for one session.

- Monday, October 24, 2022 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 1, 2022 from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.
- Thursday, November 3, 2022 from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Please be advised that there is no registration fee, but **space is limited**. Participants are encouraged to register via the NJDOE's Calendar of Events as soon as possible, or by the October 17, 2022 deadline.

Contact information

For further information or questions, email dhh.education@doe.nj.gov.

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