



# STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

A Memo from the New Jersey Department of Education

Date: September 20, 2023

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: November 1, 2023

## **We Can! Virtual Career Day for Students who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing**

The National Deaf Center on Postsecondary Outcomes Engage for Change State team for New Jersey is holding its third annual "We Can! Virtual Career Day" hosted this year by the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Continuum - Bergen County Special Services. Panelists who are Deaf, hard of hearing, or DeafBlind and represent a variety of careers, modes of communication, and backgrounds will share information about their employment experiences with high school students. Students will have an opportunity to ask questions and engage with the panelists.

The "We Can! Virtual Career Day" for high school students who are Deaf, hard of hearing, or DeafBlind will be held virtually on December 1, 2023, from 8:40 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Two separate hour-long sessions will be held, with different panelists each hour. Students are welcome to attend one or both sessions.

Please be advised that there is no registration fee, however **space is limited**. Educational staff are encouraged to [register students online](#) as soon as possible. The deadline to register for this event is November 1, 2023.

### **Contact Information**

For further information or questions, email [dhh.education@doe.nj.gov](mailto:dhh.education@doe.nj.gov).

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