Learn How To Do The Speak OUT! Presentations
"How to Find and Buy Accessible Information Technology"
"Technology Access for All"

Oct 20, 2004
9:30am – 12 noon
ICN training

Want to make a difference in your community???
Want to use your advocacy skills?
Then Speak OUT!
- Help consumers get the information technology they need (cell phones, computers).
- Make adapted information equipment more easily available in your community.
- Help make electronic/web services accessible and useable by everyone in your community.

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The training and presentation modules are free. The Iowa Program for Assistive Technology (IPAT) is sponsoring the ICN classrooms and ITTATC is providing the training and materials.

For a limited time only, ITTATC will provide a small stipend to those who use the modules to do presentations in their communities. These could include presentations to:
- Consumers or support groups at your CIL.
- Consumers at the Area Agency on Aging locations or congregate meal sites.
- Disability or aging related support groups in your community.
- School or college staff and students who design web pages and distance learning
- Business and service organizations, like the Chamber of Commerce.
- Business managers and salespersons at stores that sell cell phones, pagers, etc.
- Managers of city or county departments that have web based services and information.

Goals for each presentation module:
1. "How to Find and Buy Accessible Information Technology"
   a. Define your own access needs (e.g., say that someone has arthritis in their fingers and has trouble manipulating objects. They would have trouble manipulating the small buttons on a cell phone. They need to get help with manipulation of controls and keys)
   b. Define specific features in the technology you want -(using cell phone as an example: bigger buttons or a lighter weight phone--all help manipulation)
   c. Find the technology in the marketplace, if it exists (suggested sources)
   d. Know what actions you can take when you can't find it.(Consumer empowerment strategies, use of the provisions of the law to participate in design focus groups for manufacturers and service providers)

2. "Technology Access for All"
   a. Identify barriers to Electronic & Information Technology (E&IT)
   b. Identify laws about the rights of All Americans, including people with disabilities, to use technology (‘There oughta be a law’ -- well, there IS! And here it is!)
   c. Identify equipment and services that are required to be accessible
   d. Learn strategies for effecting change
   e. Review the procedures for filing a complaint.
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**Register by October 15**
To register and receive the training materials contact Iowa Program for Assistive Technology

1. Print this page and fax to 319-384-5139
2. Or email information to jane-gay@uiowa.edu
3. Or call 800-331-3027.

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Affiliation: ____________________________________________________________________  
Address: ______________________________________    ______   ___________  
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Phone (required for FedEx shipping): ________ - _______________  
Email: ___________________________________________  
ICN location you will be attending: ____________________________ 

**ICN Classroom Locations:** ICN classrooms are fixed, no classroom will be added.

Please arrive at least 15-20 minutes early and notify ICN staff that you are there for a 9:30 ICN class.

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