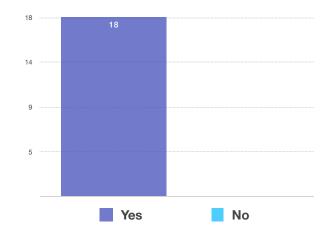
October Question 2020

Q1 - Do you feel there is a need for more targeted training for caregivers, mental health providers, and other professionals to support deaf and hard of hearing persons?

Answers to Question One

| Yes | 18 |
|-----|----|
| No | 0 |



Q2 - If yes, what area(s) do you think are most important?

| Support groups | 7 |
|--|----|
| Caregiver training | 14 |
| Mental health support | 16 |
| Training to county staff | 10 |
| Technology access and training | 15 |
| Information on assistive listening support | 11 |
| Opportunities to reduce isolation through virtual meetings | 12 |



- I am sure some of Deaf and Physically challenge really need some helping, like not easy to fix bed, clean stove and etc
- 2) VP call to reduce isolation
- 3) Understanding hearing loss and how to communicate with someone with a loss
- 4) Use VP's to contact the Deaf who can't communicate with the hearing people
- 5) Social connectedness
- 6) Clear masks provided...
- 7) Medical field wearing masks and do not speak up
- 8) All are important and not only for those mentioned above, but all venues that serve the general public. It's hard to shop even at a supermarket when a masked cashier says something to you and is then asked to repeat it. A rolling of the eyes doesn't help the deaf or hard of hearing to hear better than they did the first time.
- 9) Disability Awareness should be part of everyone's training if they have contact with other people in the course of performing their jobs.

