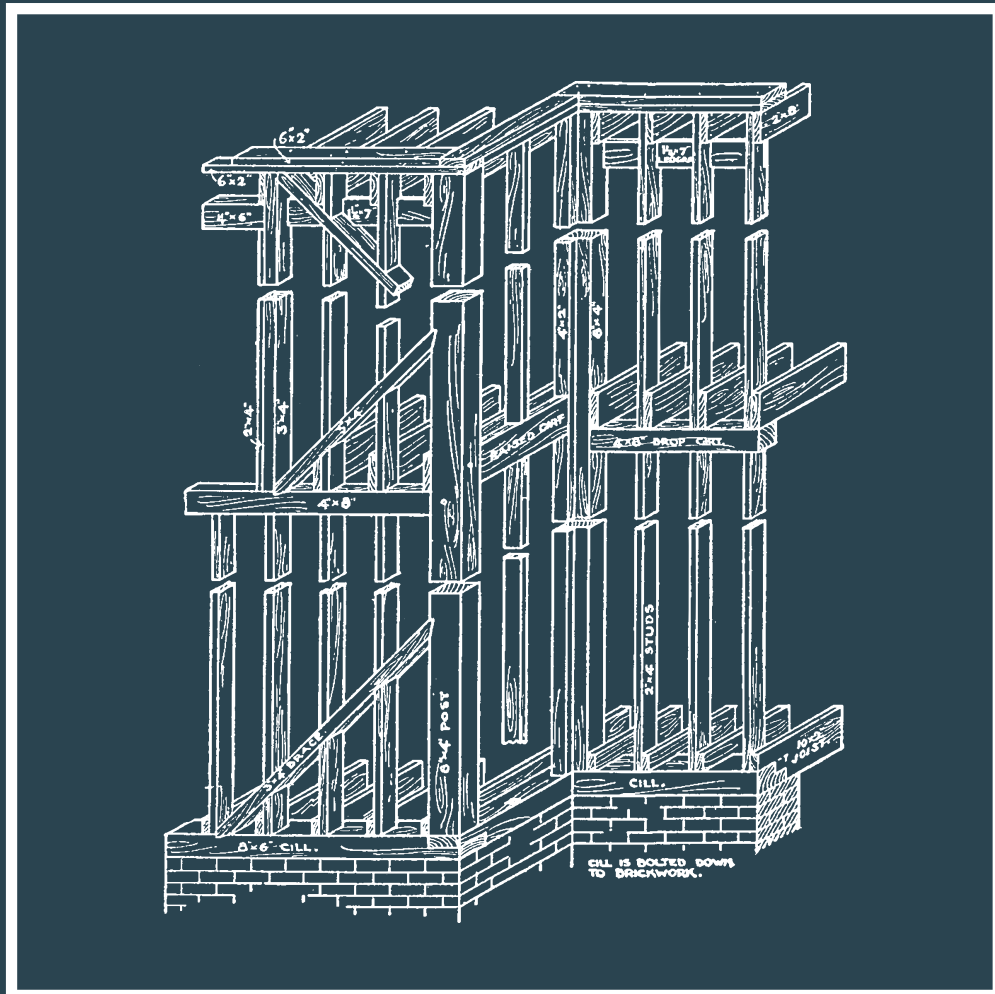


Working in the DeafBlind Community

Analyzing the Foundations



Presented by Kevin Richmond
Thursday, March 2, 2023
6:00pm-8:00pm ET via Zoom

Registration \$25 (or \$110 for all four)
0.2 PS RID CEUs (DB in MI)
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WORKSHOP DESCRIPTION

This workshop will provide participants an opportunity to take a closer look at some of the most fundamental strategies we can use when working with the DeafBlind community. Participants will discuss the differences they may encounter when working with the DeafBlind community compared to the general Deaf community. They will investigate and discuss a number of misconceptions about working with the DeafBlind community and consider the varied needs of DeafBlind consumers.

DETAILS

- **Workshop approved for 0.2 PS RID CEUs (or DeafBlind in MI).**
- **Registration fee is \$25 for one session, or \$110 for all four sessions.**
- Target Audience: Interpreters who are considering working in, or are currently working in the DeafBlind community.
- IRID is an Approved RID CMP Sponsor for continuing education activities. This Professional Studies program is offered for 0.2 CEUs at the Some Content Knowledge Level.

OBJECTIVES

Participants will be able to:

- Identify five differences between Deaf and DeafBlind consumers/communities.
- Outline three appropriate topics for communicating needs with DeafBlind clients.
- Name three misconceptions about working with DeafBlind clients.

POLICIES

- Accommodation Policy: Event will be presented in ASL. Please contact Cindy at cwoodpd@gmail.com for any ADA accommodations at least 14 days in advance of the scheduled event.
- Cancellation Policy: No refunds for individual events. Please email Cindy at cwoodpd@gmail.com for any questions regarding refunds or workshop credit if you registered for all four events.
- CWood Professional Development promotes a learning environment free from discrimination and bias, and encourages mutual respect for all participants.

ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Kevin Richmond is DeafBlind and the founder and owner of American Sign Language and DeafBlind Consulting Services, LLC. Kevin works as a Deaf Interpreter and sought-after lecturer who has given numerous presentations and training for the University of Vermont Medical Center and elsewhere about the DeafBlind experience and how to work with Deaf, Hard of Hearing, and DeafBlind patients. Kevin enjoys drinking dark roast coffee and baking, traveling and exploring new things, learning about new cultures, and making new friends. Kevin is a dog lover whose motto is “laughter is the best medicine.”



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