

Developing Competency in Mental Health Treatment for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Individuals: Approaches and Considerations for Culturally Affirmative Care



Everything about this training was effective and furthered my knowledge.

- Amanda Tanner, LSW

This training equips Ohio clinicians with knowledge and insight into the Deaf & Hard of Hearing Community, a cultural and linguistic minority with very limited access to mental health care. As mental health professionals increase their awareness of the differences between deaf and hearing people and learn to adapt their treatment approaches, they will become more skilled in treating deaf patients who suffer from mental illness and substance use disorder. Most importantly, participants will learn how to effectively work with a sign language interpreter in their work.

6.5 CEUs provided FREE to:

Psychologists ▪ *School Psychologists*
Social Workers ▪ *Clinical Counselors*
Marriage & Family Therapists

*CEUs are awarded for Psychologists, Social Workers and Counselors only and granted to their license number by the CSWMFT Board (Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family therapist Board) or the OPA (Ohio Psychological Association) via Ohio Department MHAS as a provider.

2022 Training Dates

January 24 ▪ **February 28** ▪ **March 7** ▪ **April 4** ▪ **May 13** ▪ **May 20**

All Sessions are Virtual via Zoom 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. ASL interpreters and Zoom captioning will be provided.

For more information and to register, visit www.chsc.org/training

