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- Donations are tax-deductible.
- Ask your employer to match your donation.
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- Contact us to sponsor events.



*Thank you!*



## Membership Benefits

- Unbiased Support.
- Regional Meet & Greets.
- Online Trainings.
- Guide By Your Side™.
- Advocacy Support & Training (ASTra™).
- Playgroups and Events.
- Representation for better DHH laws.
- National and State Newsletters.
- Facebook group.

## Contact Us/Join Us

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# MICHIGAN HANDS & VOICES

A Warm Welcome to  
Our Community

Guidance for Raising  
a Child who is  
Deaf or Hard of Hearing.



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## Who We Are

Michigan Hands & Voices is a group that supports families of children who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing (DHH).

We are families, people who are DHH, and professionals. We all want children to reach their full potential.



We provide help along the way of raising a child who is DHH. Together, we share experiences, hopes, and dreams.

We support all levels of deafness and hearing loss.

We support all communication methods. We believe we are stronger when we all work together.



*“What works for your child is what makes the choice right!” ©*



## What We Do

### Guide By Your Side™

Families visit with an experienced parent of a child who is DHH. These trained Parent Guides provide resources, strategies, and guidance. Free.

### Events

We offer Meet & Greets, trainings, and playgroups all over the state.

### ASTra™

Our Advocacy Support & Training program (ASTra) offers free lay advocate services for our members. We also offer trainings for families and professionals. We specialize in the needs of children who are DHH.

### DHH Role Models

We provide opportunities to meet adults who are DHH. They represent various communication and language choices.

### Share Your Story

We teach parents how to tell their stories about hearing screening, identification, and education. Sharing stories can help train professional staff.



## Annual Membership

- Family \$20
- Deaf or Hard of Hearing Adult \$20
- Professional \$40
- Organization/Agency \$40
- Scholarship requested

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Who is Deaf or Hard of Hearing?

Is it okay if we text you?

Yes  No

I am interested in (check all that apply):

- Guide By Your Side
- Events and Trainings
- ASTra
- DHH Role Models
- Share Your Story
- Volunteer
- Donation/Sponsorship

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