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CAA May Hearing Month Campaign

In recognition of May Hearing Month CAA is proud to offer this 4-part campaign to download, print, share and post for public and professional education.

Accessibility for In-Person Meetings by Dr. Janine Verge and Her Team

Booklet



47-page Booklet on Stay Connected: Reducing Barriers for People Living with Hearing Loss During In-Person Meetings. [Click image to download.](#)

Posters

10 STEPS TO HEARING ACCESSIBILITY FOR IN-PERSON MEETINGS

- 1 Plan Ahead
- 2 Use Accessible Signage
- 3 Install a Public Assistive Listening System
- 4 Always Use a Microphone
- 5 Reduce Background Noise
- 6 Optimize Room Layout
- 7 Improve Communication Skills
- 8 Provide CART (Communication Access Real Time Translation) (CART)
- 9 Obtain Feedback
- 10 Understand Hearing Access is a Basic Human Right

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The infographic features a dark blue background with white and light blue text. The steps are arranged in a winding path. At the bottom, an illustration shows three people in a meeting: a woman on the left holding a microphone, a person in the center with blue hair, and a man on the right holding a document. The Canadian Academy of Audiology logo is centered in the illustration area.

10 ÉTAPES POUR DES RÉUNIONS ACCESSIBLES AU PLAN AUDITIF

- 1 Planifier à l'avance
- 2 Utiliser la signalisation accessible
- 3 Installer un système public d'écoute assistée
- 4 Toujours utiliser un microphone
- 5 Réduire le bruit de fond
- 6 Optimiser l'aménagement de la pièce
- 7 Améliorer les habiletés de communication
- 8 Utiliser un système de transcription en temps réel, également appelé sous-titrage
- 9 Obtenir une rétroaction
- 10 Comprendre que bien entendre est un droit humain fondamental



10 Steps to Hearing Accessibility

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THE MIC!

**Hearing Loss is Common.
Please use the Microphone.**

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**La perte auditive est fréquente.
SVP, veuillez utiliser le microphone.**

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Please click links for updated campaigns on:

- Phone and Video Calling Solutions for People with Hearing Loss
 - Making Virtual Meetings More Accessible
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2. **Call for Contributed Poster and Podium Abstracts**
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3. **Call for CAA Award Nominations**
Honours and Awards | Canadian Academy of Audiology (canadianaudiology.ca)
4. **Webinar: Development Of Inner Ear Medicines For Threshold And Supra-Threshold Indications With Colleen Le Prell – Wednesday, May 24th, 2023 At 1 PM ET**
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