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Why Advocate?

"Unless someone like you cares
a whole awful lot, Nothing is
going to get better. It's not."
- Dr. Seuss, The Lorax



GA Hands & Voices Advocacy Support and Training (ASTra)

GA Hands & Voices ASTra Program will:

- ◆ **EDUCATE** families on early intervention services and the IEP/IFSP process.
- ◆ **ENGAGE** families to feel empowered to make decisions that will support the best educational outcomes for their child.
- ◆ Encourage families to **ACT** as soon as possible on communication options for their D/HH child.



ADVOCACY
SUPPORT &
TRAINING

ASTra is a replicable Deaf/Hard of Hearing (D/HH) Educational Advocacy Program that embodies the mission and vision of GA Hands & Voices, which is to provide support in an unbiased manner to families of children who are D/HH regardless of communication, method, and educational setting.

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