

# Are you the parent of a Deaf or Hard of Hearing Child?

## Interested in Sharing Your Experiences?



SPAN is looking for parents interested in participating in the Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI) Family Support and Engagement Learning Community.

### What is a Learning Community?

- A framework for people to meet around a shared goal
- An opportunity to effect change
- A place to develop practical goals
- It connects people, organizations, and systems
- Works across boundaries

*Communication access services available upon request*

### What are the Expectations?

- Meet about 5 times per year
- Be available for conference calls and in person meetings
- Participate in leadership trainings
- Share experiences
- Share ideas to improve quality of care for newborns with hearing loss

*Stipends available to help cover time and expenses*

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The EHDI Project is a collaboration of the New Jersey Department of Health and the Statewide Parent Advocacy Network (SPAN)