

Louisiana Deaf Clubs & Organizations

- Alexandria Association of the Deaf
 - * Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Alexandria-Association-for-the-Deaf/762453437109321>
 - * Email: Alexandriadeaf@gmail.com
- Baton Rouge Association of the Deaf (BRAD)
 - * Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/BRADeaf/>
 - * Contact: bradsecretary@gmail.com
- Catholic Deaf Center Lake Charles
 - * Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/catholicdeafcenter.lakecharles>
 - * Location: 416 Iris Street, Lake Charles, LA
- Greater New Orleans Association of the Deaf (GNOAD)
 - * Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/154382281940/>
 - * Email: gnoadt@gmail.com
- Lafayette Athletic Association for the Deaf (LAAD)
 - * Website: <https://www.laad.net>
 - * Contact: (337) 205-2598
 - * Email: cajunlaad@laad.net
- Louisiana Association for the Deaf (LAD)
 - * Website: <https://www.lad1908.org>
 - * VP: (225) 341-6406
- Louisiana Acadiana Deaf-Blind Citizens (LADBC)
 - * Email: LADBC1981@gmail.com
- New Orleans Black Deaf Advocates (NOBDA)
 - * Website: <http://www.neworleansbda.org>
 - * Email: info@neworleansbda.org
- North Shore Louisiana Deaf Coalition
 - * Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/nsldc2016/>
 - * Website: <http://www.nsladeafcoalition.org/>
 - * Email: nsldc2treas@gmail.com
- Westbank Deaf Association
 - * Email: arthurporter51@gmail.com

Advocacy

- Louisiana Commission for the Deaf (LCD)
 - * Address: 628 N. 4th Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802
 - * Email: LCD@la.gov
 - * Phone: (800) 256-1523
 - * Website: <http://ldh.la.gov/index.cfm/page/318>
 - * LCD provides accessibility services for persons whom are deaf, deaf-blind, or have hearing loss or speech impairment to gain access to any public or private service.
 - * Accessibility services include: Interpreting, Support Service Provider (SSP), Telecommunications and general accessibility equipment (such as: doorbell flashers, alarms, etc), Hearing Aids, Information and referral, and Advocacy.
 - Advocacy Center of Louisiana
 - * The Advocacy Center (AC) of Louisiana is the protection and advocacy system for Louisiana. AC protects, empowers, and advocates for people with disabilities throughout the state.
 - * AC provides 6 types of assistance: Information and Referral, Legal Assistance, Systems Advocacy, Outreach and Training, Legislative Information and Education, and Investigations of Abuse and Neglect.
 - * Address: 8325 Oak Street, New Orleans, LA 70118
 - * Phone: (800) 960-7705
 - * Email: advocacycenter@advocacyla.org
 - National Association of the Deaf (NAD)
 - * The nation's premier civil rights organization of, by and for the deaf and hard of hearing individuals in the U.S.
 - * Website: <https://www.nad.org/about-us/law-advocacy-center/>
 - * Phone: (301) 328-1443
- EMPLOYMENT**
- Louisiana Rehabilitation Services
 - * Louisiana Rehabilitation Services (LRS) assists persons with disabilities in their desire to obtain or maintain employment and/or achieve independence in their communities by providing rehabilitation services and working cooperatively with business and other community resources.
 - * Website: http://www.laworks.net/workforcedev/LRS/LRS_Main.asp
 - * State Department Phone: 1-800-737-2958
 - * Regional offices located in: Alexandria, Baton Rouge, Lafayette, Lake Charles, Monroe, New Orleans, Shreveport, & Thibodaux.



Louisiana Deaf Community Resources

Interpreting Agencies

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This brochure serves as a resource for the Deaf community. It provides information about interpreting agencies throughout Louisiana, information about Deaf clubs and organizations, as well as state and national advocacy organizations.

Louisiana School for the Deaf
2888 Brightside Lane,
Baton Rouge, LA 70820
Phone: (225) 757-3200

This brochure is available on
Louisiana State for the Deaf
website: [http://www.lalsd.org/
content.cfm?id=1639](http://www.lalsd.org/content.cfm?id=1639)



Louisiana Interpreting Agencies

Alexandria

- Visual Communication Service
 - * Address: 3656 Government Street, Suite B
Alexandria, LA 71302
 - * Email: cyn.kober@gmail.com
 - * Phone: (337) 224-9053
- New Horizons
 - * Address: 3717 Government Street
Alexandria, LA 71302
 - * Phone: (318) 671-8131, ext 122
VP: (318) 459-9233
 - * www.nhilc.org

Baton Rouge

- CC Group: Communication Consulting Group
 - * Address: Gonzales, LA
 - * Email: info@yourccgroup.com
 - * Phone: (225) 663-1786
 - * www.yourccgroup.com
- Deaf Focus
 - * Address: 4332 Rhoda Drive
Baton Rouge, LA 70816
 - * Email: info@deaffocus.org
 - * Phone: (225) 319-5586
 - * www.deaffocus.org
- Deaf Resource Center (DRC)
 - * Address: 3233 S. Sherwood Forest Blvd
Suite 101, Baton Rouge, LA 70816
 - * Contact Person: Wendy Brinkmann
 - * Email: wendybrinkmann@gmail.com
 - * Phone: (225) 802-5511
 - * www.deaf-resources.com
- Lighthouse Louisiana
 - * Address: 2773 North Flannery Road
Baton Rouge, LA 70814
 - * Email: pwinfree@lighthouselouisiana.org
 - * Phone/VP: (225) 224-3147
 - * www.lighthouselouisiana.org/get-help#deaf-services

- Sign Language Services International
 - * Address: 10632 Ferncliff Avenue
Baton Rouge, LA 70815
 - * Phone: (225) 273-3396
 - * www.signlanguageservices.com

Lafayette

- Deaf Action Center (DAC)
 - * Address: 1408 Camel Drive
Lafayette, La 70501
 - * Email: daclaf@cox-internet.com
 - * Phone: (337) 232-3463
- Affiliated Blind of Louisiana (ABL) Communication Access Services (CAS)
 - * Address: 409 West St. Mary Blvd
Lafayette, LA 70506
 - * Email: fallonf@affiliatedblind.org
 - * Phone: (337) 234-6492
 - * VP: (337) 446-4648
 - * <http://www.affiliatedblind.org/PageDisplay.asp?p1=8715>

Lake Charles

- Southwest Louisiana Independence Center (SLIC)
 - * Address: 4320 Lake Street
Lake Charles, LA 70605
 - * Email: slicinterpreting@gmail.com
 - * Phone: (337) 477-7194, (888) 403-1062
 - * <https://slic-la.org>

Monroe

- New Horizon Independent Living Center
 - * Address: 1401 Hudson Lane, Suite 200
Monroe, LA
 - * Phone: (318) 671-8131, ext 122
 - * VP: (318) 459-9233
 - * Wwww.nhilc.org
- Open Hands Deaf Services
 - * (318) 575-3323
 - * www.openhandsdeafservices.com

New Orleans

- New Orleans Sign Language Services
 - * Address: 5324 Canal Blvd
New Orleans, LA 70124
 - * Email:
nolasignlanguageservices@gmail.com

- Deaf Action Center-Catholic Charities
 - * Address: 1000 Howard Avenue, Suite 200
New Orleans, LA 70113
 - * Email: jguerrieri@ccano.org,
sbernius@ccano.org
 - * Phone: (504) 432-5794, (504) 615-7122
 - * <http://www.ccano.org/deaf-action-center/>
- Lighthouse Louisiana
 - * Address: 123 State Street
New Orleans, LA 70118
 - * Email:
deafservices@lighthouselouisiana.org
 - * Phone: (504) 899-4501, ext: 253
VP: (504) 383-8554
 - * <http://lighthouselouisiana.org/get-help#deaf-services>

Northshore

- Deaf Action Center (DAC) Northshore
 - * Address: 19352 N. 2nd Street, Suite 2
Covington, LA 70433
 - * Email: dacnorthshore@gmail.com
 - * Phone: (985) 892-2581
 - * VP: (985) 590-3148

Shreveport

- Deaf Action Center (DAC)
 - * Address: 601 Jordan Street
Shreveport, LA 71101-4748
 - * Email: earl@deafactioncenter.org
 - * Phone: (318) 425-7781
 - * <http://deafactioncenter.org/>
- New Horizon Independent Living Center
 - Address: 1111 A. Hawn Avenue, Suite D
Shreveport, LA 71107
 - * Phone: (318) 671-8131, ext: 122
 - * VP: (318) 459-9233
 - * www.nhilc.org