HLAA Chapter Development Workshop

HLAA Leadership
Moving Forward
Roundtable Discussion

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What is a chapter or support group?

- According to Dr. Jessica D. Smedley in a Psychology Today July 2020 post
- Support groups are an opportunity for members of the community to come together and experience support, validation, and hope through sharing a common experience.
- If this statement is true, what is the first thing that is needed?
What is the first thing a chapter or support group needs?

• Planning or Steering Committee
• Board of Directors
• President
• Vice President
• Secretary
• Treasurer
• 5-10 members
Think Moving Forward

- Start with a Facilitator - a person who can help set a healthy tone with balanced energy and boundaries for participants.
- Secretary/Treasurer
- Event planner
- Social Media Coordinator
Think Moving Forward: Take Action

Intentional Outreach
Consistent meetings
Post Signs
Create a weekly/monthly email/newsletter
Think Moving Forward: The Ideal Member

Hard of Hearing
Deaf
Parents
Family members
Friends

Sources: mightynetworks.com
Questions and Answers
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HLAA Chapter Leader Resources
https://www.hearingloss.org/chapters-state-orgs/chapter-leader-resources/

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