

A SIGN OF RESPECT: Strategies for Successful Deaf /Hearing Interactions DEMO PART 2

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WATCH: Welcome/Introduction

Video: The A Sign of Respect Part 2 cover image is full screen for a few seconds, then the image moves to the left side, and Tom Holcomb, a white man, appears on the right side of the screen from the waist up in front of a black background. He is wearing a light blue shirt and a gray tie. As he starts his narration, the cover image on the left changes to show various still images from the ASOR 2 program. A menu button in the lower right corner will appear with a mouse over.

TOM (signing with voiceover): Welcome to Part 2 of this educational tool: “A Sign of Respect.”

From this point on, you will be joining Amy who is in her last semester of the Deaf Studies program. She has been increasing her involvement in the Deaf community. She and Carol have developed a deep friendship. Amy’s deepening involvement in the deaf community continues to bring her new experiences, new situations, and some interesting and surprising challenges. The video, readings, and exercises in this educational tool have been designed to help you to better understand and delve deeper into deaf culture values, expectations, and norms. To this end, 13 situations will be shown, each with three possible courses of action for you to choose.

You will find that not all the situations presented have garnered unanimous consensus from the deaf community as to which is the best course of action. This is due to the complexity of situations presented with many variables involved. Since there is not always one right or clear answer, be sure to ask your instructor or

members of the deaf community for further discussion on any situations you find confusing. The diversity of opinions may be due to regional differences. Generational and ethnic differences may also contribute to varying perspectives. For this reason, it is important that you learn what the expectations are within your own community. Your instructor can provide you with guidance.

Video: Tom fades out, then a screen with instructions appears with text and a menu button on the right:

To replay the scene, select the Menu button.

After viewing the scene, watch the next scene in this demo program.

Use the navigation tool to the right.