

**J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Course Content Summary**

Course Prefix and Number: ASL 195 **Credits:** 2

Course Title: Support Service Provider Training

Course Description:

Provides extensive instruction combined with supervised training needed to gain theoretical knowledge and practical skills to provide appropriate environmental and communication access in the role of a Support Service Provider to individuals who are DeafBlind. Prerequisite: ASL 202 with a "B" or higher or program head approval. Lecture 2 hours.

General Course Purpose:

This course is designed for individuals who have demonstrated a level of American Sign Language fluency and who are seeking training to be a Support Service Provider for individuals who are DeafBlind.

Course Prerequisites and Co-requisites: impacts of being Blind, Deaf or DeafBlind, including the uses for assistive technologies and different communication modes.

- Demonstrate and describe best practices for human guide techniques in situations including service animals, guide dogs, canes, walkers, and emergency situations.
- ~~Impact of being Blind, Deaf or DeafBlind, including the uses for assistive technologies and different communication modes.~~

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