In 2017, the Deaf-Hearing Communication Centre celebrated its 45th Anniversary with a blowout gala that welcomed over 320 people!

We are also celebrating 40 years of top-quality ASL interpreting services. This commitment to communication makes DHCC a vital part of communication access in the Philadelphia region.

35% of DHCC interpreting hours were for medical appointments and services.

26% educational and 25.5% regular the second and third highest groups of interpreting hours.

326 tickets were sold at the DHCC 45th anniversary gala in May of 2017.

318 students took ASL classes through DHCC in this fiscal year.

Our Mission
To promote equal communication accessibility and cultural awareness to the deaf, hard of hearing and hearing populations by providing quality communication services, advocacy and educational programs.
Financial Information

Assets: $2,308,479
Liabilities: $45,690
Total Net Assets: $2,263,089

Revenue

- Interpreting: 97%
- Education: 2%
- Other: 1%

Revenue:
- Interpreting: $5,636,097
- Education: $66,776
- Other Sources: $136,437
- Total: $5,839,310

Expenses

- Program Services: 92%
- Administrative: 8%

Expenses:
- Program Services: $5,195,451
- Administrative: $446,402
- Total: $5,641,853

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Panelists at a DHCC & University of Pennsylvania collaboration discussing Deaf immigrant experiences in the United States.
A NOTE FROM NEIL
Executive Director

During our fiscal year, DHCC has continued to redefine the work we do on a daily basis. With an ever-increasing number of ASL Interpreting hours, we have begun to expand our vision beyond simply providing communication access.

This year, we took a long hard look at our community and began to focus strongly on our relationships with organizations that can deliver strong services to the Deaf and hard of hearing populations we serve. From fun social events to academic lectures, we hosted 44 events and reached out to approximately 3,000 Deaf, hard of hearing, DeafBlind, and hearing individuals.

Our Education department continues to expand its offerings. This year, we provide ASL community classes to over 315 students in 5 different locations throughout the Delaware Valley region.

Looking forward to the future, DHCC is currently undergoing a strategic review to determine what its priorities should be in the coming years. We are working hard to diversify our Board of Directors and add services that can benefit our community for the years to come.

Neil McDevitt
Executive Director

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MAY 7, 2017

DHCC and friends gathered at Springfield Country Club to celebrate 45 years of service to the Philadelphia region. With over 325 attendees, we honored key people from our history, listened to Leah Katz-Hernandez, and celebrated our future.
thank you to our 45th anniversary supporters!

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