



ITU-T Workshop **Accessibility to ICTs**

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Accessibility to ICTs

ITU EFFORTS ON ACCESSIBILITY

- ITU, the UN specialized agency for telecommunications, has its “eye” on ICTs and is recognized around the globe as the leading provider of timely and comprehensive telecommunication/ICT statistics and trends.
- ITU focuses on a series of strategic issues ranging from the rights of the disabled, to making technical design standards accessible, to providing education and training on accessible ICT and Assistive Technology (AT).
- ITU aligns interests and activities across the board so that accessibility becomes no longer an issue, but a reality.

OBJECTIVES

- to discuss current trends and the future for accessibility to ICTs in ITU
- to encourage organizations to implement accessibility in their daily work
- to highlight the impact of the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities on ITU-T future standardization work

AUDIENCE

Therapists ■ Family Practitioners
Speech language Pathologist ■ Health Information Mangers
Hospital Administrators ■ Social Workers ■ AT Engineers ■ AT Consultants
AT Educators ■ Welfare Institutions/ Non-Government Organizations
Voluntary Welfare Organization ■ Special Education Teachers
Healthcare Consultants ■ Physicians ■ Hospital/Rehab Centres
Hospices/Institution Homes ■ Research Institutes ■ Architects ■ Builders
Urban Planners ■ Government Officials ■ Consumers/General Public
Equipment Dealers ■ Caregivers ■ People with disabilities

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