



NEBRASKA COMMISSION

**FOR THE DEAF AND
HARD OF HEARING**



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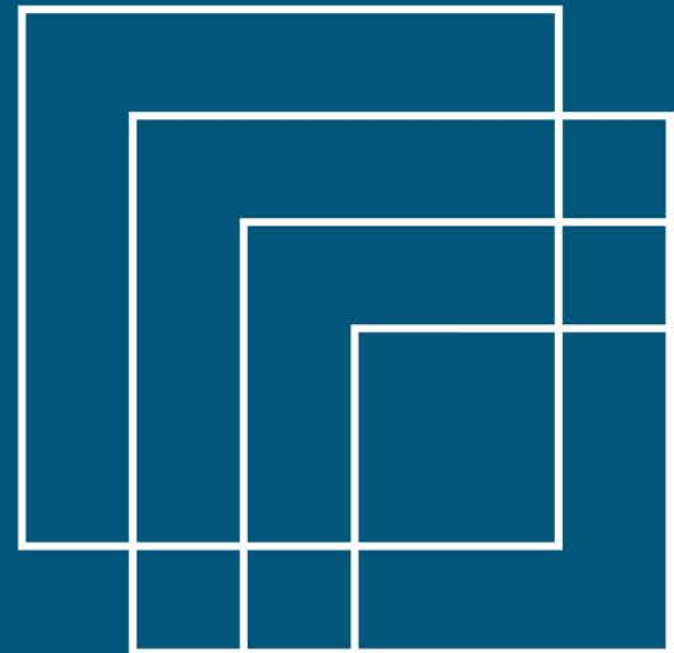
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MISSION & VISION

Mission Statement

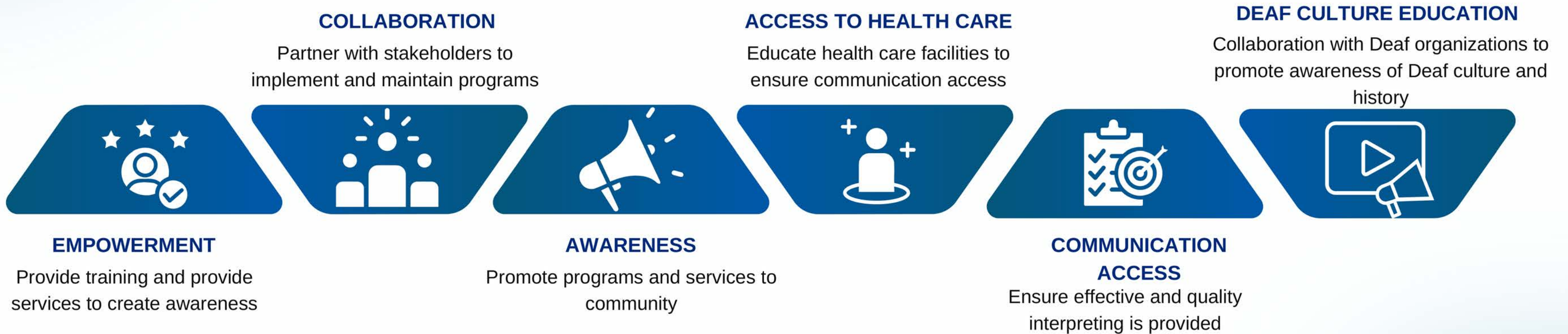
We advocate to create opportunities by raising awareness through collaboration.

Vision Statement

Access for all



GOALS



SERVICES

NSTEP

- Nebraska Specialized Telecommunications Equipment Program (NSTEP). A program to provide monetary assistance to people who are deaf or hard of hearing. Income-based assistance to aid in the purchasing of specialized telephone equipment such as amplifiers, signaling devices and cell phones.

HEARING AID BANKS

- NCDHH works with the Nebraska Hearing Aid Bank, Lions Hearing Aid Bank & Sertoma Hearing Aid bank to provide free and refurbished hearing aids to individuals who qualify

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

- Educating and training behavioral health, alcoholism and drug abuse professionals to ensure communication needs of patients who are deaf or hard of hearing are met

EDUCATION

- Offering support to clients and families who are experiencing educational and/or vocational needs within the school setting. Ensuring students in Nebraska have equal communication access

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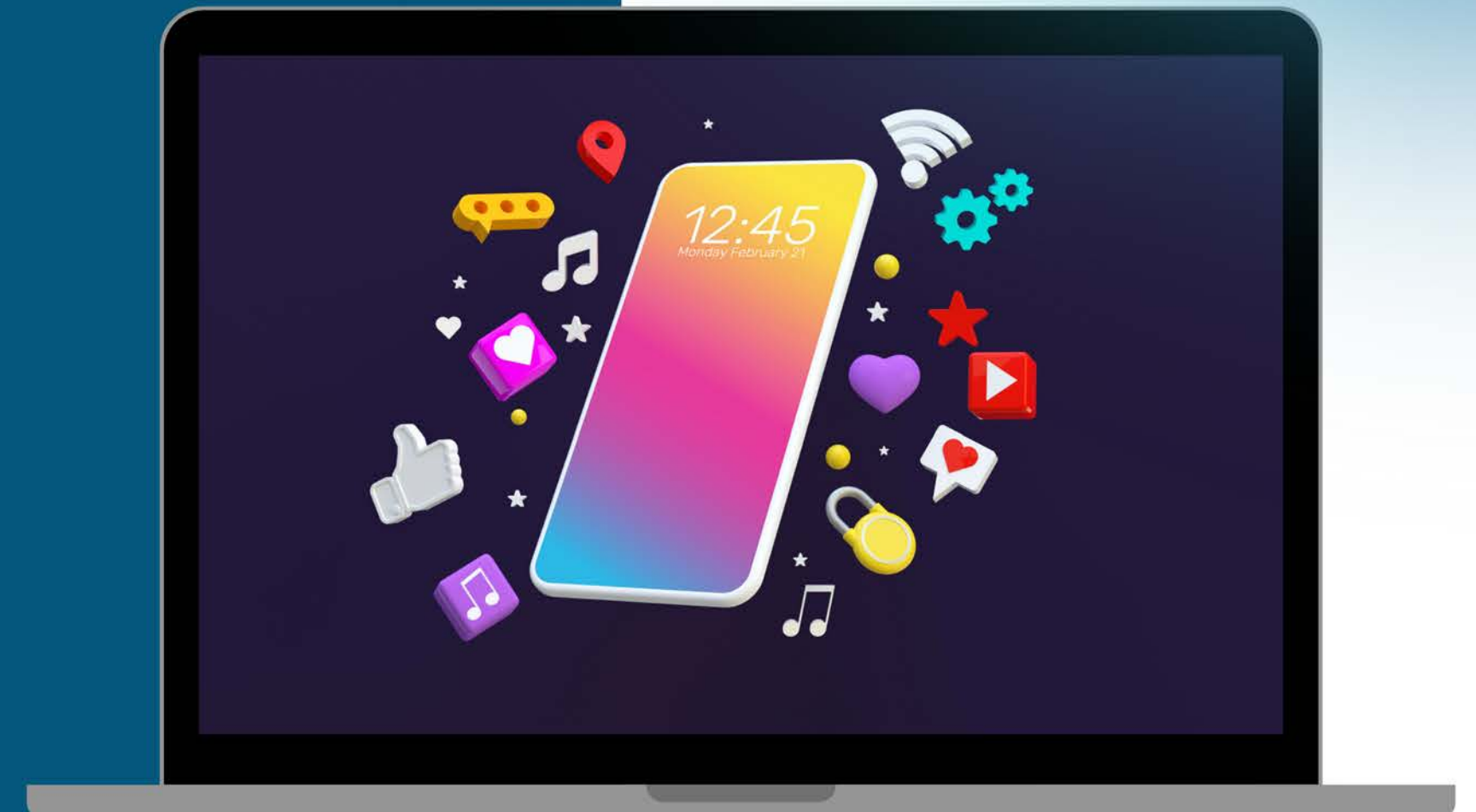
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