Apps for users who are Deaf or hard of hearing (iOS/Android)

は が に ranslator	 Communicates via typing or speech-to- text technology Provides real-time captions in multiple languages
8 Ava	 Live-caption of individual and group spoken communication Uses speech-to-text technology to transcribe conversations
G lide	Video chat messengerCombines texting with video chat
Buzzcards	 Stores common communication phrases to use like flashcards Allows for easy communication with people who don't know sign language
Dragon Anywhere	 Speech-to-text technology that transcribes conversations Dictate, edit, and format documents by voice command
Be Connect by BeWarned	 Speech-to-text technology that transcribes conversations Phrase prediction and talk-back feature
Decibel X	 Meters sound level Alerts user to a loud noise or person speaking with a visual display
Tunity	 Stream any live television audio to a mobile device, allowing for user controlled volume settings
Sound Alert	 Alerts users to sounds (doorbells, alarms, timers, etc.) via vibrations or flashing light
Alarmy	 Very loud ringtones Users can dismiss alarm by performing simple tasks such as solving a math problem or taking a photo

American Sign Language (ASL) Apps (iOS/Android)

The ASL App	 Start learning conversational ASL Makes learning ASL fun, accessible, and easy
ASL Dictionary	ASL video dictionaryOver 5,200 signed words
ASL Translator	 Text-to-sign language generator Translates words into sign language video

Tips for communicating with a person who is Deaf or hard of hearing

- Eliminate background noise
- Be certain you have the person's attention before speaking
- Face the communication partner when speaking
- Speak clearly and slowly, but without shouting or making exaggerated mouth movements
- Check-in for understanding

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