



#523 Healthy and unhealthy views of disability – Intermediate
11 a.m. to Noon – Wednesday, March 30

Despite hiring laws and practices placing people with developmental disabilities in the workplace, many employers and co-workers still have questions and discomfort regarding direct interaction. This session will demystify some commonly held notions about people with disabilities, highlight similarities and differences between the perceived us and them, and guide participants toward effective and more comfortable workplace communication with and inclusion of people with developmental disabilities.

You will be able to describe the discriminatory attitudes often embedded in thought processes toward people with developmental disabilities; distinguish between appropriate and inappropriate communication when working with people with developmental disabilities.

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Notes:

Action items: