Augmentative Communication and Empowerment Supports—ACES

• Year-long program designed to increase the communication effectiveness of adults with speech disabilities who use augmentative and alternative communication (AAC) devices.

• Teaches participants to use voice output communication systems to enhance their communication and to develop a vision and plan for the future.

• Meets for two weeks of instruction at the main campus of Temple University in Philadelphia, PA. Also, preliminary and follow-up sessions and technical support for one year.

Demonstrations of AAC devices

• Helps people with disabilities, families, support, etc. make informed decisions about AAC devices (Not a substitute for an evaluation by a qualified speech-language pathologist.)

• Demonstrations are conducted at a mutually convenient date, time and location

AAC Assessments

• Assessments for AAC are available for consumers served by Philadelphia Mental Retardation Services.

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