

**The Technology, Research and Innovation Center**

**“Short Term Training + T.R.I.C. = Long Term Results”**

**T.R.I.C. is a state-of-the-art technology center for those who are DeafBlind, located on the campus of HKNC in Sands Point, NY. Serving the DeafBlind community in five essential ways.**

1. SHORT TERM TRAINING – TRIC, has one to two months training, both in-person and virtual are offered. If you or someone you know is interested, contact your Regional Representative along with HKNC’s admissions department; fees and admissions will apply.
2. Train-the-Trainers Seminars – TRIC is offering Seminars and one-on-one to professionals who are working with individuals who are DeafBlind. Topics are be based on demand.
3. Company Relationships – TRIC works closely with various businesses to help enhance their development of accessible technologies/programs. We are here to improve the DeafBlind consumer’s experience.
4. Products Review/Evaluation – Educating DeafBlind individuals as well as professionals. Any technology that could benefit the DeafBlind community, including but not limited to, braille displays, hearing aid accessories, operating system upgrades, etc. Information is posted on **HKNC.org** and is shared with companies/developers for their consideration.
5. HKNC Staff Education – TRIC is working closely with agency staff to promote further awareness of trends and technology. Information relates to technologies used by the DeafBlind population.

**Want More information?**

**Contact Your Regional Representative**

 [**https://www.helenkeller.org/hknc/nationwide-services**](%20https%3A//www.helenkeller.org/hknc/nationwide-services)

**Or**

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