

ETHICAL DISCUSSION GROUP

Eastpointe

September 19, 2018
October 17, 2018
November 14, 2018

6:00pm-8:00pm
with Stephen Decator

Kalamazoo

August 28, 2018
September 25, 2018
October 23, 2018
November 27, 2018
December 18, 2018
January 22, 2019

6:30pm-8:30pm
with Kathleen Robertson

Flint

August 17, 2018
September 14, 2018
October 5, 2018
November 30, 2018
January 25, 2019

6:00pm-8:00pm
with Karen Young &
Colleen Rhinehart

Traverse City

August 7, 2018
September 13, 2018
October 11, 2018
November 8, 2018
December 13, 2018
January 10, 2019

6:00pm-8:00pm
with Jenn Campbell



ETHICAL DISCUSSION GROUP

Sign language interpreters often work in isolation, but are regularly confronted with ethical challenges that require on-the-spot decisions that directly impact stakeholders. MIRID's Ethical Discussion Groups (EDGs) are intended to offer a confidential place for working interpreters as well as interpreters-in-training to case conference about the ethical conflicts that arise in the field of interpreting. The facilitator will provide a discussion framework to guide participants as they consider the application of the NAD/RID Code of Professional Conduct, as well as other relevant and applicable resources (legal mandates, additional codes of conduct, industry standard practice, workplace policies, etc.).

Participants will benefit by having the opportunity to collaborate with colleagues about ethical challenges they face in their everyday work, and may develop new skills and comfort with engaging in professional-level dialogue amongst peers. Furthermore, participants may develop a broader fund of knowledge of the tools, resources, and stakeholder perspectives that influence the ethical decision making process. Workshops will be conducted in either ASL or English, depending on the communication preferences of attendees.

- No cost and open to MIRID Members only.
- Register at www.mirid.org/events.
- ICRID has approved this workshop for 0.2 PS CEUs at the Some Content Knowledge level.
- LARA CEU approval pending.



DIRECTIONS

Eastpointe

St. John's Deaf Center
16103 Chesterfield Ave.
Eastpointe, MI 48021
edgeastpointe@mirid.org

Parking: Church/school parking lot west of the center
Entrance: On Phlox Road
Note: St. John's Deaf Center is at the end of the parking lot

Flint

Hurley Medical Center
1 Hurley Plaza
Flint, MI 48503
edgflint@mirid.org

Parking: Visitor's lot on Grand Traverse and Fifth
Entrance: Main lobby left of Emergency, check in at front desk
Note: Conference Room 1B on 1 West

Kalamazoo

Angling Road Elementary School
5340 Angling Rd.
Portage, MI 49024
edgkalamazoo@mirid.org

Parking: In front of building
Entrance: Front door or west door
Note: Room 18

Traverse City

The Disability Network
415 E. Eighth St.
Traverse City, MI 49686
edgtraversecity@mirid.org

Parking: Back of building, off of alley
Entrance: Back door near parking area
Note: Executive Board Room



ETHICAL DISCUSSION GROUP POLICIES

- Accommodation Policy: For ADA accommodation requests, please let us know in the registration form or contact the EDG coordinator at edg@mirid.org within 14 days of the event.
- Non-discrimination Policy: MIRID promotes a learning environment free from discrimination and bias, wherein participants demonstrate mutual respect for one another.
- Cancellation Policy: If you have registered for an event and no longer plan to attend, please cancel under My Event Registrations in your MIRID account as soon as possible so others may take your place. You may also cancel by contacting the MIRID Publications Manager at publications@mirid.org.
- Sign-In Policy: To ensure compliance with the Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs criteria regarding BEI CEUs, all attendees of MIRID Professional Development activities are required to sign-in and sign-out on an attendance roster to verify complete attendance of the event.

Only attendees who successfully sign-in and sign-out for the full duration of the Professional Development event will be awarded a Certificate of Attendance and CEUs. Arriving more than 15 minutes after the start time will prohibit earning CEUs for that session.

