

# KINDRED STORIES OF DISABILITY:

## THE RIGHT TO COMMUNICATE

We are currently seeking interviews with individuals with communication disabilities and/or their families.

Interviews will focus on furthering the work of raising expectations and improving awareness of the need for effective AAC for people with communication disabilities.

### What is Kindred Stories?

- A collaborative project between the Vanderbilt Kennedy Center (VKC) and The Arc Tennessee
- Interviews conducted by students from Vanderbilt University
- Combined to create a collection of stories that highlight the challenges individuals with disabilities and their families face
- **Our goal:** to share the stories we collect with legislators and policymakers and to contribute to improved service delivery across ALL areas of our state



Find out more: <http://vkc.mc.vanderbilt.edu/vkc/resources/kindred/>

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### Interview

#### Commitment:

- a conversation with a Vanderbilt student in the fall of 2018
- questions will be given before the interview starts
- typically lasts around one hour

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### INTERESTED?

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as the subject line  
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