

GSAT Quarterly Report: April 1 to June 30, 2011

I. Update on Main Activities

A. AT Financial Loan Program

1. Guam Options for Alternative Loans for Assistive Technology (GOAL-AT)
 - a. financial loan at 2.125% interest to help consumers pay for assistive technology
 - b. 5 loan applications approved and serviced with total of \$23,566.85 lent for purchase of AT
2. Get Guam Teleworking Loan Program (GGT)
 - a. financial loan at 2.125% interest to help consumers purchase equipment to become self-employed
 - b.1 loan application serviced for \$4,999.99 (guaranteed by DVR)

B. Device Reutilization

1. Recycling/ refurbishment/ repair/ exchange/ open ended loan activities
2. 1 activity: 1 device donated into the loan program, purchase price \$750

C. 30 Day Device Loan Library

1. A person may borrow an AT device for a 30 day period to assist in decision making, to serve as a loaner while waiting for device repair or funding , or to provide an accommodation on a short-term basis or for other purposes
2. 7 short-term device loans given

D. Device Demonstrations

1. Compare the features and benefits of a particular AT device or category of devices for an individual or small group of individuals to enable an individual to make an informed choice
2. 12 device demonstrations conducted for 25 participants

E. Information & Assistance

1. Response to requests for information and/or puts individuals in contact with other agencies that can provide them with needed information
2. GSAT responded to 63 inquiries

F. Technical Assistance

1. Direct problem-solving service to assist programs and agencies in improving their services, management, policies, and/or outcomes
2. 1 activity: 26 hours with DOE from November 2010-June 2011

G. Public Awareness

1. Activities designed to provide general information about AT to large numbers of people.
2. 7 activities, estimated 161 people reached

H. Training

1. Instructional events designed to increase participants' knowledge, skills, and competencies regarding AT.
2. 0 activities