

GSAT Quarterly Report: January to March 31, 2016

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. 3 loan applications approved. 1 loan= \$31,139.82 for an accessible van; 1 loan= \$774.94 for a computer and printer; 1 loan=\$2,240.96 for computer, iPad, software.
2. Get Guam Teleworking Loan Program (GGT)
 - a. *financial loan at 2.125% interest to help consumers purchase equipment to become self-employed*
 - b. 0 loan applications

B. Device Reutilization

1. *Recycling/ refurbishment/ repair/ exchange/ open ended loan activities*
2. 4 activities for a cost savings of \$398

C. Device 30 Day 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. 34 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. 19 device demonstrations conducted for 23 individuals

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; individual assistance on AT/disability-related topics
2. GSAT responded to 52 requests for information and/or assistance

F. Technical Assistance

1. Direct problem-solving service to assist programs and agencies in improving their services, management, policies, and/or outcomes
2. 0 activities

G. Public Awareness

1. Activities designed to provide information about AT to large numbers of people.
2. 48,564 people reached
 - Other Print Material – **130**
 - Presentations / Expos / Conferences -**223**
 - Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month: Part 1 KUAM video "GSAT" – **9,541**
 - Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month: Part 2 KUAM video "Andy Arceo's GOAL-AT Loan on Accessible Vehicle" - **5,897**
 - Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month: Part 3 KUAM video "Guam Legal Services-Disability Law Center" – **16,772**
 - Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month: Part 4 KUAM video "Guam Developmental Disabilities Council" - **1,501**
 - Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month: Part 5 KUAM video " DD Awareness Month Activities, including GSAT Fair, AT Demo Center and iBill" - **1,200**
 - KUAM Video: Visually-impaired woman has strong focus for education – **3,300**

- The Guam Daily Post article, "GSAT wraps up Disabilities Month with Open House" - **10,000**

H. Training

1. Instructional events designed to increase participants' knowledge, skills, and competencies regarding AT.
2. 1 Training for 161 participants (annual AT Conference)