

GSAT Quarterly Report: October 1, 2016 – December 30, 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. 9 loan inquiries
2. *Get Guam Teleworking Loan Program (GGT)*
 - a. financial loan at 2.125% interest to help consumers purchase equipment to become self-employed
 - b. 2 loan applications submitted and to be reviewed. 3 loan inquiries

B. Device Reutilization

1. Recycling/refurbishment/repair/exchange/open ended loan activities
2. 2 activities (total savings: \$238), iBill Talking Banknote Identifier at \$119 ea.

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. 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. 1 device demonstration for 2 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 44 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. 83 people reached

H. Training

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