



An-Najah National University
Office for Care for Disabled

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Inclusion of Sign Language in Palestinian University Education.

The inclusion of sign language in Palestinian Universities education is one of the most needed courses to be included in university education, for the fact and very hard and difficult communication condition faced by about 10-15% of Palestinian disabled suffering from hearing disability, either total deafness, or other major or minor hearing problems, they are about (40000), the importance of inclusion of sign language course is to give this group of people better communication and social inclusion chances, better education, better health care, better transportation, better social services, and other services.

Providing university students, in different schools, sufficient training on using and communication through sign language, will enable them to render and give better services for the target group.

Our goal is to introduce the sign language course as obligatory course for (School of Medicine, Pharmacy, Nursing, Optometry, Departments of Sociology, Social Service, Elementary Education, School of law, and for other schools as elective.

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