

# SUMMER

July 17 – August 21

The Chicago Lighthouse  
1850 West Roosevelt Road, Chicago

## Speaker Series

You are invited to attend the Summer Speaker Series that provides valuable information on employment and resource opportunities for individuals who are blind and/or visually impaired, persons with disabilities, Veterans and their families.

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### **2020 U.S. CENSUS – RECRUITING FOR EMPLOYMENT AND REPORTING**

Wednesday, July 17 1:30PM – 3:30PM

This session will cover the importance of getting individuals with disabilities and Veterans to report for the 2020 U.S. Census. We will discuss employment opportunities with the U.S. Census and how to apply for available positions.

### **ABLE ACT ACCOUNTS**

Wednesday, July 31 1:30PM – 3:30PM

Come learn about ABLE accounts established by Federal Law to cover costs associated with disability related expenses and daily living expenses such as housing, food, and medication.

### **ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT**

Wednesday, August 7 1:30PM – 3:30PM

Want to start a business as an employment goal? This session will cover available resources to develop a business plan to be successful in exploring entrepreneurship opportunities.

### **FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE**

Wednesday, August 21 1:30PM – 3:30PM

Experts will discuss how to achieve financial independence such as understanding cash flow; how to manage debt and building savings.



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### **QUESTIONS OR RSVPs PLEASE CONTACT:**

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