

**Sample phrases to negotiate assistance to understand what others are saying.  
Point to each picture and ask.. do you want us to...**



**Communication Disabilities  
Access Canada**

Talk slower.

Use everyday words.

Find a quiet place to talk.

Explain things

Write down the main words as you say them.

Show pictures or objects of what you are saying.

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