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## Teacher Survey of Captioned Media

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### **Captioned Media and Educational Technology: Research into Contemporary School Practice**

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### *Captioned Video Survey*

- Teachers of deaf and hard of hearing students
- Random sample of students
- Spring 1994
- Two-thirds from local school programs
- 212 teachers total
- 175 classroom teachers (the rest resource, itinerant, etc.)

### *Use of Video*

- 94 percent of classroom teachers had used video during the academic year
- Estimated frequency of use--once a week

### *Are captioned video materials valuable?*

- Very valuable--81%
- Valuable--19%
- Not valuable--0%

### *Were all, some, or none captioned?*

- Some--64%
- All--26%
- None--10%

### *What was done to make uncaptioned videos accessible?*

- Teacher interpreted--77.2%
- Someone else interpreted--29.3%
- Amplification--5.7%
- Other--6.5%

***Where do you obtain captioned video materials?***

- School library--50%
- CFV--44%
- Video store--38%
- Record/VCR--22%
- Purchase--19%
- Public library--14%
- Modern Talking Pictures--3%

**For your last use only--Where did you obtain captioned video materials?**

- Borrowed--56.3%
- Rented--14.3%
- Purchased--13.4%
- Recorded--13.4%
- Other--2.7%
- Not applicable--1.8%

**Last use only: Other information**

- 34% of videos were not captioned or signed
- 63% said the captioning level was appropriate for students
- 88% used videotapes; 10% used films

**Teachers' difficulties with captioned video media**

- 56% reported difficulties obtaining
- 44% did not mention difficulties obtaining
- 18% reported difficulties in using

**Problems: Comments about reading level**

- Too hard--28%
- Too fast--14%
- Too easy--6%
- Too slow--3%

**Problems with captioned video media**

- Hard/fast--32%
- Coverage--23%
- Errors--22%
- None--16%



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Comments? <http://tap.gallaudet.edu/Captions/SLIDESH1.asp>