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Dr. James DeCaro, dean, NTID, received the Perkins Founder's Award October 9 from the Rochester School for the Deaf. The award praises an individual who has provided outstanding service to RSD and the Rochester deaf community as a benefactor, volunteer, member of the board, or community leader.

Dr. Robert R. Davila, vice president, NTID, recently was appointed to the New York State Rehabilitation Advisory Council for a three-year term. He also was the keynote speaker for the National Multicultural Deaf Conference, held November 13-15 in Beaumont, Texas.

Dr. Gerard Buckley, director of NTID's Center for Outreach, was elected by unanimous vote October 30 to the joint boards of the Lexington organizations in Jackson Heights, New York: Lexington School for the Deaf; Lexington Center for the Deaf, Inc.; Lexington Hearing and Speech Center, Inc.; Lexington Mental Health Center, Inc.; and the Lexington Vocational Services Center, Inc. His term will be three years, with the prospect of renewal. He also will chair the Lexington Vocational Services Center Advisory Council.