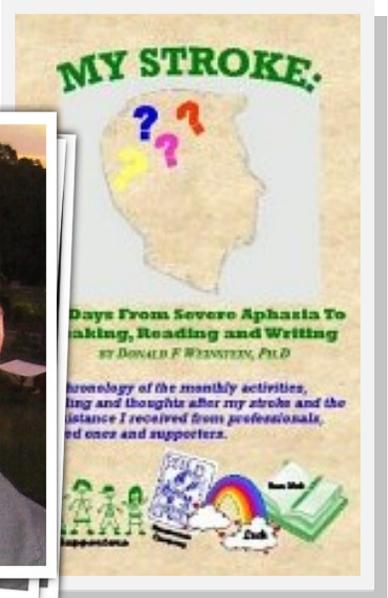


# Living Life with Aphasia

**Saturday**  
**May 30, 2015**  
**11:00 am**



**Aphasia: a speech/language disorder that impairs a person's ability to communicate. Most commonly the result of a stroke, but can occur from any severe head injury.**

**Join Donald F. Weinstein, Ph.D., the author of "My Stroke: 450 Days from Severe Aphasia to Speaking, Reading and Writing," as he discusses what life is like when living with aphasia. This program is important for aphasiacs and their caregivers, as well as professionals working with aphasiacs. Topics include:**

- Anger and fear
- Re-regimentation of days
- Issues of dignity and humiliation
- New family roles and more

**Prior to suffering an Embolic Cerebrovascular Accident with Severe Aphasia in 2002, Dr. Weinstein was an educator: a teacher, principal, curriculum director, a research assistant in curriculum and instruction and an associate professor. He was an educational consultant and the author of three books. As his recovery progressed, he served as president of the National Aphasia Association. Today, Don works diligently to bring hope to fellow sufferers and to encourage aphasiacs to become involved in aphasia organizations, giving voice to their concerns as aphasiacs.**

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