

Speech-Language Pathology Assistant

Job Description

An individual who is licensed under the laws of Texas as a Speech-Language Pathology Assistant. In collaboration with the multi-disciplinary team, the Speech-Language Pathology Assistant addresses a plan of care designed by the Speech-Language Pathologist and physician for each speech therapy patient. The Speech-Language Pathology Assistant provides skilled speech and language services to patients between the ages of 0-21 years with speech, language, fluency, oral-motor, voice, and/or hearing deficits in accordance with physician's orders.

Responsibilities include:

- Provides skilled speech therapy services/interventions in accordance with physician orders.
- Provides skilled speech therapy services/interventions in the patient's home or daytime facility.
- Schedules weekly supervision visit(s) with his/her supervising Speech-Language Pathologist according to the Texas board guidelines.
- Collaborates with all disciplines to plan and address team goals for each patient.
- Plans for care to meet goals of the speech therapy interventions.
- Updates job knowledge by participating in educational opportunities, reading professional publications, maintaining personal networks, and participating in professional organizations.
- Enhances speech therapy reputation by accepting ownership for accomplishing new and different requests and exploring opportunities to add value to job accomplishments.

Skills/Qualifications:

Problem Solving, Physiological Knowledge, Medical Teamwork, Verbal Communication, Listening, Creating a Safe and Effective Environment, Self-Development, People Skills, Professionalism