



Example of Speech Pathologist Job Description

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Our innovative and growing company is hiring for a speech pathologist. Thank you in advance for taking a look at the list of responsibilities and qualifications. We look forward to reviewing your resume.

Responsibilities for speech pathologist

- Gathering all information necessary to properly evaluate the patient's needs, including testing and consultations with other health care professionals, as appropriate
- Incorporating evaluative findings in establishing time-oriented functional and measurable short and long-term goals, while considering both the patient's and caregiver's goals in the formulation of the plan of care
- Developing a rapport and mutual respect with the patient/caregiver, team members, to foster an optimum environment in support of goal achievement
- Participates in clinical staff conferences and meetings
- Exhibit excellent communication (verbal and written), public relation and
- Following the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Code of Ethics
- Complies with department and regulatory requirements and guidelines for all types of documentation charging, and scheduling
- Supervises and educates when asked, including colleagues, new employees and students and others in training
- Mentors student clinician externship/affiliations/ new employee(s)
- Maintains effective and appropriate communication and relationships with other professionals, patients, families and other caregivers

Qualifications for speech pathologist

- Florida state license to practice speech-language pathology

- American Heart Association BLS required upon hire
- Member of professional specialty organizations (ASHA, FLASHA) preferred
- Minimum of 3-5 years experience in speech pathology with emphasis on pediatric feeding and swallowings
- Board certification in swallowing preferred