

Speech-Language Pathologist CDHL Statewide Outreach Team 2015-2016 School Year Recruitment

Our Agency

CDHL, which operates the Washington School for the Deaf (WSD) and statewide outreach services, is an educational community and statewide resource committed to ensuring all deaf and hard of hearing students in Washington reach their full potential. Our agency offers a variety of services in academic, residential, and outreach programming.

Our Staff

Our employees are more than just workers. They are part of a community, network, and family. Each staff member serves as a role model to students.

We're looking for people that can contribute, grow, think, and dream. We thrive in a culture that embraces diversity and rewards imagination.

CDHL Statewide Outreach Team

The CDHL Statewide Outreach Team assists school districts in their commitment to provide appropriate educational services and supports for deaf and hard of hearing students. Outreach Team Members collaborate to provide a variety professional services such as curriculum and resource recommendations, IEP development, technology support, and specialized programming including Language Acquisition, Speech Language Pathology, School Psychology, Audiology, Behavior Support and more!

Position: **Speech-Language Pathologist (.6 FTE)**

Agency: **Washington State Center for Childhood Deafness and Hearing Loss (CDHL)
CDHL *Statewide Outreach Team***

Location: **Serve districts in Washington State**

POSTED: **May 2015 for 2015-2016 school year**

Position Responsibilities:

The Speech Language Pathologists (SLPs) are part of the ASL English Bilingual Services Department. SLPs provide a variety of professional services to deaf and hard of hearing students at a variety of locations throughout the State of Washington.

Duties Include:

- Evaluate speech-language development of students through interviews, observations, and other methods and recommend approaches and exercises appropriate to meet the needs of the individual student.
- Perform a wide range of screening and diagnostic tests specific to the areas of receptive and expressive language, articulation, fluency and voice. May attend IEP meetings.
- Design and implement therapeutic strategies to support communication needs.
- Collaborate with other SLP and ASL Specialist, and consult with teachers, school staff, and parents to ensure positive and appropriate student learning experiences.
- Provide ongoing professional communication with parents and school staff. May provide training to staff.
- Maintain records and progress notes detailing speech-language communication strategies used.
- Identify and monitor the effectiveness of therapy, and re-define goals and modify strategies as needed.
- Other duties assigned by the Bilingual Services Director.



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Benefits include:

- Medical, dental, and vision coverage
- Retirement
- Life and disability insurance
- Paid sick leave
- Deferred Compensation Program
- Dependent Care Assistance
- Professional development

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Compensation:

Salary is based upon education and experience. Certificated staff receive 12-month pro-rated salary and are designated as overtime-exempt employees. This position is represented by the Washington Public Employees Association (WPEA).

Salary range: \$25,000 - \$39,000 per year based on 108 days.

Required Qualifications:

- WA State ESA certification as an SLP.
- Master's degree in Speech-Language Pathology.
- Ability to communicate effectively with students, school staff, parents, and school district personnel using ASL and English. Ability to use technology effectively.
- Knowledge of principles, techniques, and methods of speech-language therapy and strategies.
- Knowledge of the unique educational needs of deaf and hard of hearing students including knowledge of ASL, Deaf culture and community.
- Ability to evaluate students with learning challenges and recommend specific support strategies.
- Ability to maintain written records and progress notes regarding goals and strategies on students served.
- Ability to prepare professional reports and correspondence related to the work. Willingness to provide staff training.
- Willingness to work as part of a Bilingual Services team.
- Knowledge of bilingualism, biculturalism and understanding of linguistic and cultural competency preferred.

How to Apply:

Apply online at www.careers.wa.gov. Recruitment open until filled. Must have valid WA State ESA certification and driver's license prior to beginning work. Requires up to 80% travel.

