

## Mandatory Professional Licensure Disclosure

New York State prides itself in the high quality of its licensed and certified professionals. For the protection of its citizens, each license and certificate has requirements that individuals must meet in order to be licensed or certified in New York State. SUNY's academic programs leading to licensure or certification are carefully designed to meet and exceed these State requirements. This is a role SUNY plays in protecting the public. Other states frequently have their own requirements, so if your goal is to practice in another state, this disclosure will help you check to see what that state requires.

Per U.S. Federal Regulations, §668.43 (2019 Rule), and in compliance with the State Authorization Reciprocity Agreements (SARA) Manual version 19.2, Department of Communicative Disorders and Sciences at the University at Buffalo – SUNY provides the following disclosure related to the educational requirements for professional licensure and certification.<sup>1</sup>

This Disclosure is strictly limited to the Department of Communicative Disorders and Sciences at the University at Buffalo – SUNY's determination of whether its educational program, *Master of Arts program in Communicative Disorders and Sciences*, that if successfully completed, would be sufficient to meet the educational licensure or certification requirements in a State for practice of speech-language pathology.<sup>2</sup> The Department of Communicative Disorders and Sciences at the University at Buffalo – SUNY cannot provide verification of an individual's ability to meet licensure or certification requirements unrelated to its educational programming. Such individual determinations are made by state licensing boards, and are fact-specific determinations.

This disclosure does **not** provide any guarantee that any particular state licensure or certification entity will approve or deny your application. Furthermore, this disclosure does **not** account for changes in state law or regulation that may affect your application for licensure and occur after this disclosure has been made. **Enrolled students and prospective students are strongly encouraged to contact their State's licensure entity using the links provided to review all licensure and certification requirements imposed by their state(s) of choice.**

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<sup>1</sup> The terms related to the practice of speech-language pathology, including licensure and certification, among others, vary by state and your state may use different terms.

<sup>2</sup> This determination is based on the educational and curricular requirements of each state for licensure (i.e., excluding any special, temporary licensure that may be granted) and does **not** imply that other requirements for licensure do not exist or have been determined to have been met by this program or that any necessary approvals for clinical placements have been secured at the time of enrollment.

The Department of Communicative Disorders and Sciences at the University at Buffalo – SUNY has designed an educational program curriculum for a *Master of Arts program in Communicative Disorders and Sciences* that if successfully completed **is sufficient to meet** the licensure and certification requirements for an advanced practice license in the following states<sup>3</sup>:

STATE	Office of the Professions-Licensure Contact
New York	<a href="http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/slpa/">http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/slpa/</a>

University at Buffalo has designed an educational program curriculum for a *Master of Arts program in Communicative Disorders and Sciences*, and currently has made no determination that the curriculum is insufficient to meet the licensure and certification requirements for advanced practice speech-language pathology in any of the 50 states and territories.

After making all reasonable efforts, University at Buffalo cannot determine whether its educational program curriculum for *Master of Arts program in Communicative Disorders and Sciences* -that if successfully completed, is sufficient to meet the licensure and certification requirements for advanced practice speech-language pathology in the following states.<sup>4</sup>

STATE	Board of Speech-Language Pathology - Licensure Contact
Alabama	<a href="http://abespa.alabama.gov/">http://abespa.alabama.gov/</a>
Alaska	<a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/AudiologistsandSpeech-LanguagePathologists.aspx">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/AudiologistsandSpeech-LanguagePathologists.aspx</a>
American Samoa	n/a
Arizona	<a href="https://www.azdhs.gov/licensing/special/index.php#speech-hearing-home">https://www.azdhs.gov/licensing/special/index.php#speech-hearing-home</a>
Arkansas	<a href="https://www.abespa.com/">https://www.abespa.com/</a>
California	<a href="https://www.speechandhearing.ca.gov/">https://www.speechandhearing.ca.gov/</a>
Colorado	<a href="https://dpo.colorado.gov/SLP">https://dpo.colorado.gov/SLP</a>
Connecticut	<a href="https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/SLP/Speech-and-Language-Pathologist--Licensure">https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/SLP/Speech-and-Language-Pathologist--Licensure</a>
Delaware	<a href="https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/speechaudio/">https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/speechaudio/</a>
District of Columbia	<a href="https://dchealth.dc.gov/service/audiology-and-speech-language-pathology-licensing">https://dchealth.dc.gov/service/audiology-and-speech-language-pathology-licensing</a>
Federated States of Micronesia	n/a
Florida	<a href="https://floridasspeechaudiology.gov/">https://floridasspeechaudiology.gov/</a>
Georgia	<a href="https://sos.ga.gov/index.php/licensing/plb/49">https://sos.ga.gov/index.php/licensing/plb/49</a>

<sup>3</sup> If the State does not regulate/license advanced practice speech-language pathology, University at Buffalo's program has been determined to be sufficient for these purposes.

<sup>4</sup> This does not mean the educational program will not ultimately be approved by the state entity, or that licensure could not result from attending this program

Guam	<a href="http://dphss.guam.gov/guam-board-of-allied-health-examiners/">http://dphss.guam.gov/guam-board-of-allied-health-examiners/</a>
Hawaii	<a href="https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/speech/">https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/speech/</a>
Idaho	<a href="https://dopl.idaho.gov/DOPLPortal/BoardPage.aspx?Bureau=SHS">https://dopl.idaho.gov/DOPLPortal/BoardPage.aspx?Bureau=SHS</a>
Illinois	<a href="https://www.idfpr.com/profs/SpeechLangAudio.asp">https://www.idfpr.com/profs/SpeechLangAudio.asp</a>
Indiana	<a href="https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/speech-language-pathology-audiology-board/">https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/speech-language-pathology-audiology-board/</a>
Iowa	<a href="https://idph.iowa.gov/licensure/iowa-board-of-speech-pathology-and-audiology">https://idph.iowa.gov/licensure/iowa-board-of-speech-pathology-and-audiology</a>
Kansas	<a href="https://www.kdads.ks.gov/commissions/survey-certification-and-credentialing-commission/health-occupations-credentialing">https://www.kdads.ks.gov/commissions/survey-certification-and-credentialing-commission/health-occupations-credentialing</a>
Kentucky	<a href="https://slp.ky.gov/">https://slp.ky.gov/</a>
Louisiana	<a href="https://www.lbespa.org/">https://www.lbespa.org/</a>
Maine	<a href="https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/board-speech-audiology-hearing">https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/board-speech-audiology-hearing</a>
Maryland	<a href="https://mdbnc.health.maryland.gov/AUDVerification/Default.aspx">https://mdbnc.health.maryland.gov/AUDVerification/Default.aspx</a>
Massachusetts	<a href="https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-registration-for-speech-language-pathology-and-audiology">https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-registration-for-speech-language-pathology-and-audiology</a>
Michigan	<a href="https://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-89334_72600_72603_27529_53664---,00.html">https://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-89334_72600_72603_27529_53664---,00.html</a>
Minnesota	<a href="https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/providers/slpa/credver.html">https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/providers/slpa/credver.html</a>
Mississippi	<a href="https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,82.html">https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,82.html</a>
Missouri	<a href="https://pr.mo.gov/speech.asp">https://pr.mo.gov/speech.asp</a>
Montana	<a href="https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/speech-language-pathologists/">https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/speech-language-pathologists/</a>
Nebraska	<a href="https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Audiology-and-Speech-Language-Pathology.aspx">https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Audiology-and-Speech-Language-Pathology.aspx</a>
Nevada	<a href="https://www.nvspeechhearing.org/">https://www.nvspeechhearing.org/</a>
New Hampshire	<a href="https://www.oplc.nh.gov/speech-language-pathology-governing-board">https://www.oplc.nh.gov/speech-language-pathology-governing-board</a>
New Jersey	<a href="https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/aud/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/aud/Pages/default.aspx</a>
New Mexico	<a href="http://www.rld.state.nm.us/boards/Speech%20Language%20Pathology%20Audiology%20and%20Hearing%20Aid%20Dispensing%20Practices.aspx">http://www.rld.state.nm.us/boards/Speech Language Pathology Audi ology and Hearing Aid Dispensing Practices.aspx</a>
North Carolina	<a href="https://ncboeslpa.org/">https://ncboeslpa.org/</a>
North Dakota	<a href="https://www.ndsbe.com/">https://www.ndsbe.com/</a>
Northern Mariana Islands, Commonwealth of	n/a
Ohio	<a href="https://shp.ohio.gov/">https://shp.ohio.gov/</a>
Oklahoma	<a href="https://www.ok.gov/obespa/">https://www.ok.gov/obespa/</a>
Oregon	<a href="https://www.oregon.gov/bspa/Pages/index.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/bspa/Pages/index.aspx</a>

Pennsylvania	<a href="https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Speech-Language%20Pathology%20and%20Audiology/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Speech-Language%20Pathology%20and%20Audiology/Pages/default.aspx</a>
Puerto Rico, Commonwealth of	<a href="https://www.asha.org/Advocacy/state/info/Puerto-Rico/">https://www.asha.org/Advocacy/state/info/Puerto-Rico/</a>
Republic of the Marshall Islands	n/a
Republic of Palau	n/a
Rhode Island	<a href="https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=246">https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=246</a>
South Carolina	<a href="https://llr.sc.gov/aud/">https://llr.sc.gov/aud/</a>
South Dakota	<a href="https://doh.sd.gov/boards/speechpath/">https://doh.sd.gov/boards/speechpath/</a>
Tennessee	<a href="https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/cds-board.html">https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/cds-board.html</a>
Texas	<a href="https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/slpa/slpa.htm">https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/slpa/slpa.htm</a>
Utah	<a href="https://dopl.utah.gov/audio/index.html">https://dopl.utah.gov/audio/index.html</a>
Vermont	<a href="https://sos.vermont.gov/speech-language-pathologist/">https://sos.vermont.gov/speech-language-pathologist/</a>
Virginia	<a href="https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/aslp/">https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/aslp/</a>
Virgin Islands	n/a
Washington	<a href="https://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/SpeechLanguagePathologist">https://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/SpeechLanguagePathologist</a>
West Virginia	<a href="https://www.wvspeechandaudiology.com/">https://www.wvspeechandaudiology.com/</a>
Wisconsin	<a href="https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/SpeechLanguagePathologist/Default.aspx">https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/SpeechLanguagePathologist/Default.aspx</a>
Wyoming	<a href="https://speech.wyo.gov/">https://speech.wyo.gov/</a>