

Spec. Code: 0896  
Occ. Area: 01  
Work Area: 444  
Prom. Line: None  
Prob. Period: 6 mo.  
Effective Date: 08/01/05

## **SPEECH AND HEARING CONSULTANT**

### Function of Job

Assists with and/or develops and implements a plan of care and coordination of service for eligible children.

A Speech and Hearing Consultant typically

1. coordinates the speech and hearing program with other health care initiatives
2. coordinates follow-up care with health care providers and school officials
3. coordinates health care and other services for clients who are eligible for sponsored programs.
4. assists clients in maximizing use of public and private health care benefits
5. assists the supervisor in evaluating existing facilities in speech and hearing services, in encouraging the further development of these facilities, and in coordinating the program with those of other agencies
6. provides consultation on speech and hearing conditions to other staff
7. performs other related duties as assigned

### MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE QUALIFICATIONS

#### **CREDENTIALS TO BE VERIFIED BY PLACEMENT OFFICER**

1. Master's degree in Speech-Language Pathology, Audiology, or Communication Disorders
2. Two (2) years of experience planning and developing speech and hearing programs that included one year of clinical practice (clinical fellowship year)

#### **PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES NEEDED TO UNDERTAKE JOB**

None