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ASL Support Specialist

How To Apply

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Description

The ASL Support Specialist will support the development of American Sign Language skills through staff and teacher ASL classes and SLPI:ASL assessment in order to promote language fluency.

Qualifications

- Bachelor's Degree in ASL, Deaf Studies or related field required, Master's Degree preferred
- SLPI:ASL rating of Advanced or higher
- Experience teaching ASL as a second language (L2) preferred
- American Sign Language Teachers Association (ASLTA) certification preferred
- Background and experience with ASL assessment such as the SLPI:ASL or ASLPI preferred, ability to be trained on the SLPI:ASL required
- Valid Tennessee Driver's License

Terms of Employment

Base pay beginning at \$4,295 per month. Full-Time 12-month position

Essential Duties and Responsibilities: *These are not exclusive or all-inclusive. Other duties may be required and assigned.*

- Teach ASL classes for teachers, support staff, families, and community members based upon need (may require some night and/or weekend hours for family/community classes).
- Participate in required SLPI training.
- Conduct ASL assessment of teachers and staff.
- Develop and use ASL based video materials and assessments for ASL professional development needs for teachers and staff.
- Assess skills and present ongoing professional development opportunities for teachers and staff.
- Collaborate with ASL Instruction Specialists to provide family ASL instructional support including the development of ASL based video materials
- Conduct, evaluate, and report on ASL assessment results using the Sign Language Proficiency Interview: ASL system (SLPI:ASL).

Benefits:

Benefits include medical, dental, vision and life insurance, retirement pension, 401(k) match, employee assistance program, personal and sick leave (PTO) and more. A full listing of employee benefits can be found here [Benefits Link](#).

The applicant selected for this position must complete full background checks including fingerprinting. Background checks will be completed through TBI, FBI, DCS, TN Registry of Sexual Offenders, and TN Registry of Abuse.

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