

PUBLIC MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

DOCTOR OF AUDIOLOGY & MASTER'S DEGREES IN SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

PROGRAM RE-ACCREDITATION REVIEW

The Graduate programs in Audiology (AuD) and Speech-Language Pathology (MA/MS) in the Department of Communicative Disorders and Deaf Education in Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services at Utah State University are accredited by the Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA) of the American Speech–Language Hearing Association (ASHA).

The two Programs are undergoing a re-accreditation review and site visit, which includes hearing from the public. Programs scheduled for review are responsible for soliciting public comment from students and consumers by holding a public meeting during the scheduled site visit. All person interested in making public comment about the programs in Audiology and Speech and Language Pathology are welcome to attend the meeting.

A public meeting will be held on Thursday, March 28, 2024 at 4:30 to 5:00 PM in the USU Lillywhite Building Conference Room 123.

Come share your thoughts about our programs!

Information about our programs can be found at our department website: <u>https://cehs.usu.edu/comdde/</u>. The Standards for Accreditation and the CAA's policy on Public Comments may be obtained by contacting the Accreditation Office at ASHA, 2200 Research Boulevard, #310, Rockville, Maryland 20850, calling ASHA's Action Center at 1-800-498-2071, or accessing the documents online at: <u>https://caa.asha.org/siteassets/files/Accreditation-Standards-for-Graduate-Programs.pdf</u>

Comments Submitted Prior to the Site Visit

Individuals who wish to submit written testimony must adhere to the following: All written testimony including comments faxed or submitted as e-mail attachments—must include the commenter's name, address and telephone contact information and the commenter's relationship to the program in order for Accreditation staff to verify the source of the testimony. All comments must be signed.

Comments should be submitted to:

Accreditation Public Comment Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA) American Speech-Language-Hearing Association 2200 Research Boulevard, #310 Rockville, MD 20850 accreditation@asha.org