

Area: Program Services
Subject: Range of Services
Policy No.: 090

POLICY

It is the policy of the Center for Communication Disorders to provide a complete range of speech-language pathology and audiology services to clients at the Center for Communication Disorders.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that all clients will receive services necessary for maximizing their communication competence and potential.

PROCEDURES

1. The Center will provide the following services:
 - a. Evaluation and treatment of communication disorders including articulation, delayed and disordered language, voice disorders, including laryngectomy, stuttering, motor speech disorders, neurogenic communication disorders including aphasia and traumatic brain injury, and communication disorders related to neurological and cognitive impairment.
 - b. Audiological services, including: full range of audiological testing; hearing aid selection and orientation; educational audiological assessment and school consults; speech and language therapy for the hearing impaired; auditory processing evaluation and treatment.
 - c. Referral service
 - d. Record keeping and client information dispersal
 - e. Public education
 - f. Community consultation and interaction
2. The statement of range of services will be made available to each client through written material distributed at the time of intake.
3. The statement of range of services will be made available to the public through distribution of the Center brochure to physicians, school systems, community agencies, prospective clients, and other interested parties.
4. The services provided each term will be documented through Center statistics that are collected from each supervisor. Statistics include the number of clients, ages, type of impairment, types of service, number of visits, and the number of clinical hours earned by student clinicians.