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| Speech-Language Pathologist – last updated Jan 2025  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **Competition #** |  | | **Location:** | Bayview | | **Classification:** |  | | **Department:** | Veteran’s Centre | | **Salary:** | |  | **Union:** | Non-Union | | | **Hours of Work:** | | Weekdays, Days, 8 hrs; as per schedule | | | |   **Summary of Duties**  Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre has an opportunity for a Speech-Language Pathologist (SLP) to provide services to residents and patients in the transitional care and palliative care in the Veterans Centre. The fast-paced, mixed caseload includes swallowing and communication services. The successful candidate will work collaboratively with interprofessional teams to provide evidence-informed best practice.  **Responsibilities Include:**   * Assess swallowing and communication; plan, implement and monitor swallowing and communication interventions in a timely manner * Provide education and counselling for residents, patients and caregivers regarding communication and/or swallowing difficulties and strategies * Manage complex discharges within a transitional care program, including education to patients and caregivers, and referring to community programs and services as needed * Maintain and upgrade skills and knowledge through continuing education and seek opportunities for knowledge dissemination * Maintain resident/patient records, workload measurement and MDS statistics in accordance with facility and professional standards * Participate in clinical and interprofessional education activities in support of the Graduate Department of Speech- Language Pathology at the University of Toronto * Provide supervision to Communicative Disorders Assistant, in collaboration with other members of the Speech-Language Pathology team * Participate in SLP Professional Council, Program and hospital-wide meetings, committees and planning as required * Practice in accordance with the College of Audiologists and Speech-Language Pathologists of Ontario   **Qualifications/Skills**   * Current CASLPO registration * Previous experience working with geriatric, medically complex, and palliative populations   **Demonstrated effective ability to:**   * Assess and provide treatment/interventions for dysphagia and communication impairments * Foster a collaborative relationship with the Communication Disorders Assistant (CDA) including providing clinical supervision to a CDA through appropriate referrals and ongoing goal setting * Provide effective and timely videofluoroscopic evaluation * Provide comprehensive discharge planning including referring patients to community services and programs * Provide clinical education to health care professionals; providing presentations and in-services is preferred * Work collaboratively as a member of interprofessional teams, including CDA * Maintain and upgrade skills and knowledge through continuing education * Manage multiple priorities in the context of a large complex caseload   **Date Posted:**  **Last Day for Application:** |
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