



## Nova Scotia Hearing and Speech Centres

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Posting Number **SLP0410** (Please quote this number on your application)

This is an NSGEU Bargaining Unit position.

Start Date – September 11, 2010

End Date – September 10, 2011

### **Speech-Language Pathologist Department of Speech-Language Pathology Lower Sackville**

**Nova Scotia Hearing and Speech Centres (NSHSC)** is a program of the provincial Department of Health. Established in 1963, NSHSC works to prevent and reduce the impact of communication disorder for Nova Scotians.

We are proud to offer:

- ✓ A nationally accredited program with CASLPA
- ✓ A Province-wide support network of professional colleagues, clinical resources, and coordinated clinical services
- ✓ Varied caseloads and work settings
- ✓ Salaries commensurate with experience [starting at \$64,127], and excellent benefits package
- ✓ Continuing education opportunities
- ✓ Opportunities for relocation and clinical specialization

We are accepting applications for the **temporary, full-time (1.0 fte) position of Speech-Language Pathologist**. The Home Base Site is the Cobequid Centre which will include Provincial Pediatric Parachute. The successful candidate reports to the assigned Clinical Director. Schedule to be determined.

#### **Requirements:**

- Master's Degree in Speech-Language Pathology
- CASLPA certification or eligible for certification
- Proficiency in spoken and written English
- Experience with provision of pediatric speech and language assessment and treatment
- Familiarity with a variety of service delivery options
- Flexibility in work schedule to support evening programs
- Flexibility to travel throughout Nova Scotia on a regular basis
- Valid Nova Scotia drivers license and access to a reliable vehicle as travel is required

#### **Assets:**

- Experience with Caregiver training
- Familiarity with Sound Start Program Objective and service delivery model
- Experience in provision of Caregiver workshops/programs
- Experience working with team-based services and working with supportive personnel (e.g. SLP Technicians)
- Commitment to family-centered care
- Experience with provision of outreach and/or "parachute" services
- Ability to provide consultation and coaching to support SLP staff
- Provision of alternative and augmentative communication systems
- Ability to provide bilingual clinical services

To apply, please submit your resume, cover letter and three references, **no later than August 17, 2010**, to:

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**Note** – All offers of employment will be conditional upon receipt of a pre-employment medical questionnaire, criminal record transcript, child abuse registry search form and employment references, all to be satisfactory to the employer.