

**KENTUCKY BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY  
APPLICATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES  
January 13, 2026**

An application meeting of the Kentucky Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Applications Committee was hosted by the Department of Professional Licensing on January 13, 2026, in PPC Conference Room 239CW and via Teams at 11:00 a.m.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Margaret Adkins, AUD  
Ciera Sherwood, SLP  
Angela Mikel, AUD

**DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL  
LICENSING STAFF**

Jeff Bardroff, Administrative Supervisor

**MEMBERS ABSENT**

**OTHERS**

Sara Janes, Board Counsel

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**Call to Order**

Margaret Adkins called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m.

**Review of Minutes**

The Board reviewed the meeting minutes from the December 9, 2025, Applications Committee meeting. A motion was made by Angela Mikel to approve the meeting minutes as presented. Ciera Sherwood seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

**Applications Review**

The Board reviewed the applications below and provided the following recommendations to be presented to the Board during the Board meeting scheduled for February 10, 2026, at 1:00 p.m.

AUDIOLOGY- APPROVED: *Carol Thiele*

AUDIOLOGY-APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS:

AUDIOLOGY- DEFERRED:

AUDIOLOGY-DENIED:

AUDIOLOGY-REINSTATEMENTS-APPROVED: *Stefanie Godbey*

AUDIOLOGY INTERIM - APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- CHANGE IN SUPERVISION Approved: *Sarah Biddle, Emily Grove, Brooke Hall, Chad Bauman*

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- CHANGE IN SUPERVISION-Deferred:

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-EXTENSION REQUEST-APPROVED: *Brooke Hall*

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- EXTENSION REQUEST- DENIED:

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-EXTENSION REQUEST-DEFERRED:

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- APPROVED:

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- APPROVED WITH PROVSIONS:

*SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- DEFERRED:*

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-DENIED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM ASSISTANT - APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM ASSISTANT-APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS:  
SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM ASSISTANT-EXTENSION REQUEST-  
APPROVED:  
SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM ASSISTANT PPE REPORT/EVALUATION-  
APPROVED:  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM ASSISTANT CHANGE IN SUPERVISION  
APPROVED:  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT- APPROVED:  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT- APPROVED WITH PROVISION:  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT – REINSTATEMENT – APPROVED:  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT CHANGE IN SUPERVISION- APPROVED:  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- APPROVED: *Lauren Klein*  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS:  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- DEFERRED:  
SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY-DENIED  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- APPROVED: *Shatha Shalash,*  
*Rhonda Leake*  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS – APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS:  
*Polly Guffey*  
SPEECH- LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- DEFFERED:  
SPEECH- LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- DENIED:  
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY-RENEWAL-APPROVED:  
REIMBURSEMENT:  
REACTIVATION OF LICENSURE:  
RATIFICATION OF LICENSURE:  
MISCELLANEOUS DISCUSSION:  
REFER TO COMPLAINT COMMITTEE:  
RATIFICATION OF CONTINUING EDUCATION:  
CONTINUING EDUCATION – APPROVED: *American Health Manager & Horizon Pace - Preserving  
Quality of Life & Independence in the Aging Population SLP Edition, GRREC – SLP Network, WKEC –  
Ethics, WKEC – SLP Strategy Swap, WKEC – SLP Network*  
CONTINUING EDUCATION – DEFERRED:  
CONTINUING EDUCATION – DENIED: *Norton Children’s Hospital - NCH Journal Group CEU  
Application, Warren County Board of Education - Data-Driven Excellence: Collaborative Strategies for  
Maintaining SLP Compliance Standards*

### **Adjournment**

A motion was made by Margaret Adkins to adjourn the Applications Committee meeting at 11:57 a.m. Angela Mikel seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

The next Applications Committee meeting of the Kentucky Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Board is scheduled for February 10, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. The meeting is hosted by the Department of Professional Licensing.