



Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology

AGENDA

Friday, October 24, 2025
Board Office

8:30 a.m.
37283 Swamp Road, Suite 3B, Prairieville, LA

Call Meeting to Order; Roll Call

Mission Statement

The Board exists because the legislature declared that "in order to safeguard the public health, safety, and welfare, to protect the public from incompetent, unscrupulous, and unauthorized persons, and from unprofessional conduct by speech-language pathologists, audiologists, and speech-language pathology assistants, it is necessary to provide regulatory authority over persons offering speech-language pathology and audiology services to the public."

Public Comments

Agenda

Minutes

1. Minutes of August 1, 2025 (p. 3)

Financial(s)

1. Financial Statements for the months ended June 30, 2025
2. Proposal from Covalent Logic for application report
3. Amend Budget FY 25-26
4. Amend legal contract FY 25-26
5. Audit Responses
6. Emergency purchase of tiny computer

Admin Review

1. Executive Director Update (lease signed, office painted, financial policies, ADA action plans sent)
2. Board Operations/LBESPA Processing
3. Council on Academic Accreditation Action Report
4. Update on Annual School Report
5. SLP Form 100 review/discussion regarding upgrades
6. Schedule 2026 Board Meetings
7. Administrative Rules review to comply with Executive Order 25-038

Conference(s)

Louisiana Academy of Audiology (LAA)

1. Request for CE Sponsorship 2025 Annual Conference

Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact (ASLP-IC)

1. Update on Compact Connect

National Council of State Boards of Examiners (NCSB)

1. Report from 38th Annual NCSB Conference, Mt. Pleasant, SC

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA)

1. The Dispatch Newsletter dated September 8, 2025

Council on Licensure, Enforcement and Regulation (CLEAR)

1. CLEAR Winter Symposium & Midyear Business Meeting, Nashville, TN, January 7-9, 2026

The Atkinson Firm

1. Regulatory Academy Modules or Workshop

Correspondence

1. Email dated August 26, 2025, from ETS, regarding cancellation of exams
2. Email dated September 15, 2025, from Abby Harris, regarding scope of practice/encroachment
3. Email dated September 17, 2025, from Morgan Duhon, regarding scope of practice
4. Email dated October 12, 2025, from Paula Diannitto, initiating a complaint against the Board due to continuing education requirements
5. Email dated October 22, 2025, from Emily Saccaro, regarding renewal period for SLPs in schools

1:00 p.m. Roundtable Discussion with Louisiana University Leaders with Undergraduate Speech-Language Pathology Programs

Executive Session

1. Review of New Complaint(s)
 - a. 2026-12
 - b. 2026-13
 - c. 2026-14
 - d. 2026-15
 - e. 2026-27
 - f. 2026-28
2. Review of Pending Complaints
 - a. 2024-03
 - b. 2025-11 and 2025-12

- c. 2025-13
 - d. 2025-16 and 2025-17
 - e. 2025-18
 - f. 2026-11
3. Review of Applications
- a. SH
 - b. BJ
 - c. TM
 - d. CF
4. Personnel Matters/Review of Employee Handbook
5. Employee Performance Review(s)
- Full or Provisional SLPs and/or AUDs
 - SLP Assistant and Provisional SLP Assistants
- Upgrades
 - Reinstatements