



## **Speech-Language Pathology Fellowship 2021-22**

**JFK Partners**, Colorado's University Center of Excellence in Developmental Disabilities Education, Research and Service (UCEDD) and Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities (LEND) Program is offering a Speech-Language Pathology Fellowship **to begin July, 2021**.

The training emphasizes an interdisciplinary approach to research, assessment, intervention, family support, service coordination, and community integration to meet the needs of persons with developmental disabilities. Development of disciplinary and interdisciplinary expertise, leadership and consultation skills and research as well as clinical growth are the goals of the training program.

The Speech-Language Pathology Fellow participates in interdisciplinary evaluations, interventions and consultation with a wide range of persons with developmental disabilities with an emphasis on working with individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder. The fellow also attends courses offered by JFK Partners and is expected to complete a scholarly project in developmental disabilities.

**Eligibility:** Applicants must be pursuing a Certificate of Clinical Competence (CCC-SLP) in Speech-Language Pathology. Candidates who have already achieved their CCC-SLP are not qualified to apply. Applicants must have received the required graduate degree. Only candidates with US citizenship can be considered.

JFK Partners is committed to the recruitment of culturally diverse individuals. Bilingual Spanish-speaking applicants and all other qualified applicants are encouraged to apply.

**Program Description:** The Speech-Language Pathology Fellowship typically includes the following: specialized clinical training (assessment, treatment, consultation) in developmental disabilities with an emphasis on Autism Spectrum Disorder, research, and didactics (seminars, workshops, observations in various settings).

**Support:** A stipend for this master's level position is \$3,000-3,500/mo. with health care benefits available. This fellowship position and funding are contingent upon JFK Partners receiving grant funding.

**Application:**

Our application requires the submission of the following documents:

1. Cover Letter/Statement of Interest - Please include answers to the following questions:
  - Describe why a fellowship at JFK Partners interests you.
  - Have you had any experience with Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities (LEND) training?
  - Describe past experiences related to working with individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder or other neurodevelopmental disabilities.
  - How does advanced training in neurodevelopmental disabilities fit with your future professional plans?
2. Graduate School transcript
3. Resume
4. Three (3) letters of recommendation from faculty or supervisors familiar with your interests and work relevant to this fellowship

The deadline for receipt of materials is **March 15, 2021**. Please send materials to: Christine Cook, Training Coordinator, JFK Partners, at [Christine.Cook@cuanschutz.edu](mailto:Christine.Cook@cuanschutz.edu).

Please contact Renee Charlifue-Smith, MA-CCC-SLP, SLP Discipline Director or Christine Cook, Training Coordinator, with any questions.  
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