



## Nova Scotia Hearing and Speech Centres

Posting Number **SLP0318** (Please quote this number on your application along with subject line of email)

This is an NSGEU Bargaining Unit position.

Start Date – April 16, 2018

End Date – N/A

**CLOSING DATE:** March 13, 2018

### Speech-Language Pathologist Department of Speech-Language Pathology Antigonish

**Nova Scotia Hearing and Speech Centres** (NSHSC) is a program of the provincial Department of Health and Wellness. Established in 1963, NSHSC works to prevent and reduce the impact of communication disorders for Nova Scotians. The schedule will be flexible to allow for occasional participation in special projects.

We are proud to offer:

- ✓ A nationally accredited program with Accreditation Canada
- ✓ A Province-wide support network of professional colleagues, clinical resources, and coordinated clinical services
- ✓ Varied caseloads and work settings
- ✓ Salaries (full-time) commensurate with experience [starting at \$70,444], and excellent benefits package
- ✓ Continuing education opportunities
- ✓ Opportunities for relocation and clinical specialization

We are accepting applications for the **regular, full-time (1.0 FTE) position of Speech-Language Pathologist**. The Home Base Site is Antigonish. The successful candidate reports to the assigned Manager. The schedule will be flexible to allow for occasional participation in special projects.

#### Requirements:

- Master's Degree in Speech-Language Pathology
- SAC certification or eligible for certification
- Excellent communication skills, including proficiency in spoken and written English. If English is not your first language future documents will be required.
- Recent experience with provision of assessment and treatment of communication and dysphagia for adult clients in acute settings
- Experience with adult voice, oncology and other medical speech pathologies including tracheostomy, ventilated caseloads
- Familiarity with a variety of service delivery options for adult caseloads
- Demonstrated commitment to family-centered care
- Flexibility to travel on occasion to attend continuing education, events and/or meetings
- Candidates will have to demonstrate current immunization and/or boosters at the end of the probationary period

#### Assets:

- Experience working with transdisciplinary clinical teams and working with supportive personnel (e.g., Communication Disorder Technicians)
- Experience in provision of alternative and augmentative communication systems
- Ability to provide consultation and coaching support to SLP staff
- Ability to provide bilingual clinical services

To apply, please submit your application (including resume, cover letter, three references) to:

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Human Resources  
Nova Scotia Hearing and Speech Centres  
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Email: [applicant@nshsc.nshealth.ca](mailto:applicant@nshsc.nshealth.ca)

**Note** – All offers of employment will be conditional upon receipt of a vulnerable sector check, child abuse registry search form and employment references, all to be satisfactory to the employer. **We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.**