

2016 NCSB Conference Faculty*

Karen Beverly-Ducker serves as ASHA's Director of Multicultural Resources. Her areas of responsibility include identifying and addressing the influence of cultural and linguistic differences on professional service delivery and professional preparation. In addition, she responds to the needs and concerns of ASHA members and CSD students with disabilities.

Tammy Brown is a clinical audiologist with Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, with over twenty years of experience. She is Vice Chair of the Ohio Board of SLP and Audiology. She has testified before the Ohio House Committee on Military and Veteran's Affairs, and presents on topics related to ethics and patient abandonment.

Heather Bupp is the Director of Ethics at ASHA. She oversees the association's ethics program and provides ethical guidance to ASHA members, the professions, and the public. Heather is a graduate of Washington College of Law at American University, Washington, D.C. She received her undergraduate degree from Penn State University.

Colmon Elridge is the Director of The Council of State Governments National Center for Interstate Compacts. He works collaboratively with state governments and private industry to develop solutions to some of America's most challenging issues and has spearheaded transformative compacts aimed at improving the practice of and accessibility of health care and education across state lines.

Nahale Freeland Kalfas is a solo-practitioner specializing in Administrative Law. For the past nine years, she has been responsible for prosecutorial hearings, settlements, rulemaking, and legislative matters as General Counsel for the North Carolina Board of Examiners for SLP and Audiology. She received her J.D. from Duke University School of Law.

Todd Philbrick joined ASHA as the Director of Certification in 2014, after spending over 15 years with nonprofit healthcare certification and/or membership associations. Todd holds a BS in business administration, the Certified Association Executive (CAE) certification, and the Credentialing Specialist certificate.

Kathy Pruner is the Client Relations Director at Educational Testing Service (ETS). She provides assistance to ASHA, state departments of education, state boards of audiology/SLP, institutions of higher education, and candidates. Kathy has an M.B.A. from LaSalle University and a Bachelor's Degree from Penn State University.

Vickie Hinzman Pullins is an SLP and owner of LinguaCare Associates, Inc. and Integrated Speech Solutions, Inc. in West Virginia. She casts the vision for growth and change in both companies. Vickie is on the WV Board of Examiners for SLP and Audiologists, the Board of Directors for NCSB, and the ASHA Advisory Council.

Theresa Rodgers is an SLP and special education consultant with more than 30 years' experience in schools including as a special education supervisor. A former government CAO, she is ASHA's Board of Ethics Vice-Chair, a LBESPA member, served as President of CSAP, LSHA, and NCSB, and was an ASHA VP (2012-2014).

Barbara Rodriguez is Professor and Chairperson in the Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque, N.M. Dr. Rodriguez's research and teaching interests are in bilingual language acquisition, bilingual language assessment, and multicultural considerations in speech-language pathology.

Ann Stehr has served as General Counsel to the Louisiana Board of Examiners for SLP and Audiology for over twenty years. She received her law degree from Southern University Law Center and her undergraduate and Master's of Social Work degrees from Louisiana State University. Ayn is also an Adjunct Clinical Professor of Law at Louisiana State University.

Gregg Thornton is the Executive Director of the Ohio Board of SLP and Audiology, where he manages board operations and executes all board directives. He has over 25 years of experience in state government and as a licensed attorney in the area of administrative law and regulations in health related occupations.

Glenn Waguespack, a private practice audiologist and Chair of the Louisiana licensure board, is NCSB Editor and served two terms as NCSB President. A member of the ASHA Board of Ethics, he is past Chair of the ASHA CEB and the CAC, and was audiology Vice-Chair for the CFCC.

***Speaker Disclosures available at www.ncsb.info**

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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

(505)424-2175

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Board represented _____

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Thursday Board Training Workshop: (includes refreshments, NCSB Reference Manual flash drive, lunch on your own):

_____ Individual from member state- \$210.00

_____ Individual from non-member state- \$300.00

Friday and Saturday Conference Proceedings: (breakfasts on own/free at hotel; Friday luncheon and refreshments provided):

_____ One attendee from member state- \$295.00

_____ Multiple attendees from member states- \$275.00each

_____ Individual from non-member state- \$495.00

_____ Exhibitor with one attendee- \$450.00

Sponsorship Opportunities

Contact Alison Lemke at alison-lemke@uiowa.edu
or info@ncsb.info by October 1.

2 Keynote Speaker Sponsorships- \$1,500 each

Friday Council Luncheon- \$1,000

Morning/Afternoon Breaks- \$500

Platinum Program Sponsor- \$2,000

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TOTAL AMOUNT DUE: _____

Make payment to NCSB by check/money order in US currency and return with this form to: NCSB 3416 Primm Lane, Birmingham, Alabama 35216, USA.

Registration Deadline: September 20th

Cancellations prior to September 20: 90% of registration fee

Cancellations after September 20: No refund of registration

2015 CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20: (.7 CEUs)

WORKSHOP-TRAINING FOR BOARD MEMBERS

Glenn Waguespack, Theresa Rodgers, Ann Stehr
(Separate fee required- see registration form)

- 8:00-8:30 Overview and Reference Manual Review
- 8:30-9:45 Statutory Authority
- 9:45-10:00 BREAK
- 10:00-11:30 Statutory Authority, con't.
- 11:30-12:45 LUNCH—on your own
- 12:45-2:15 Mock Disciplinary Proceedings
- 2:15-2:45 Complaints and Consent Orders
Board Dilemmas and Ethics
- 2:45-3:00 BREAK
- 3:00-5:00 Complaints and Consent Orders, con't.
Board Dilemmas and Ethics, con't.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21: (.7 CEUs)

- 8:00-8:30 **Registration**
- 8:30-8:45 **Welcome and Introductory Remarks**
Kerri Phillips, NCSB President
Alison Lemke, NCSB President Elect
New Mexico Board of Speech-Language Pathology,
Audiology, and Hearing Aid Dispensing Practices
- 8:45-10:00 **Morning Keynote: "Blazing a Trail Towards
Licensure Portability"**- Colmon Elridge
- 10:00-10:15 BREAK
- 10:15-11:15 **Roundtable discussions-topics in licensure portability**
- 11:15-12:00 **Reports on roundtable discussions**
- 12:00-12:15 **Feedback and concluding remarks**- Colmon Elridge
- 12:15-1:30 **Luncheon and NCSB corporate business meeting**
- 1:30-2:30 **Afternoon Keynote: "Changing Vistas: Licensure and
Bilingual Service Provision"**- Barbara Rodriguez
- 2:30-2:45 BREAK
- 2:45-3:30 **"Practice Panorama: Considerations When Reviewing
Internationally-Trained Applicants"**- Todd Philbrick,
Karen Beverly-Ducker
- 3:30-4:30 **"Sunshine and Transparency: Technology and Conduct
of Board Meetings"**- Vickie Pullins, Nahale Kalfas
- 4:30-5:30: **"Praxis Panorama: CFCC Update and Current Status of
the PRAXIS examinations in Speech-Language
Pathology and Audiology"**- Todd Philbrick, Kathy Pruner



The Texas Speech-Language-Hearing Association is approved by the Continuing Education Board of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) to provide continuing education activities in speech-language

pathology and audiology. See course information for number of ASHA CEUs, instructional level and content area. ASHA CE Provider approval does not imply endorsement of course content, specific products or clinical procedures.

This program is offered for a maximum 1.75 ASHA CEUs (Various Levels, Professional Area).

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22: (.3 CEUs)

- 8:30-10:30 **"Enchanted States: NCSB State Information
Exchange"** facilitated by NCSB Board Member
Amy Goldman
- 10:30-10:45 BREAK
- 10:45-11:30 **"Stranded in the Desert: Issues in Patient
Abandonment"**- Gregg Thornton, Tammy Brown
- 11:30-12:00 **"Scaling the Cliffs: Update on the 2016 Revised
ASHA Code of Ethics"**- Heather Bupp
- 12:00- 12:15 **Final Announcements**-Alison Lemke
**Invitation to the NCSB 30th Anniversary
Conference- September 14-16, 2017
New Orleans, LA**- Kerri Phillips

THURSDAY LEARNING OUTCOMES: Participants will be able to-
1. Delineate key components of laws, rules and regulations that govern the practice of SLP and audiology.

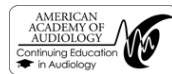
2. Describe elements of the disciplinary process and application to the professions through participation in a mock hearing.
3. Review complaints describing potential violations by SLPs and audiologists or SLP assistants to determine appropriate action.
4. Draft a consent order and agreement based on an audiologist's or SLP's violation of the law, rules, and/or code of ethics.
5. Engage in the process utilized in examining ethics violations as well as in reporting to the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB).

FRIDAY LEARNING OUTCOMES: Participants will be able to-

1. Discuss the current status of interstate licensure agreements in healthcare professions, implications for SLPs and audiologists, and preferred future directions for SLPs and audiologists.
2. Identify best practices for licensing boards as they consider diverse client/patient populations in their jurisdictions.
3. Identify best practices for licensing boards as they consider international applicants for licensure.
4. Describe ways to increase transparency of licensure board proceedings.
5. List new initiatives of the ASHA Council for Clinical Certification (CFCC).

SATURDAY LEARNING OUTCOMES: Participants will be able to-

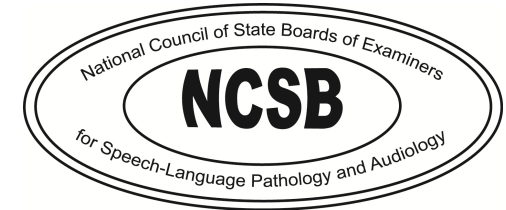
1. Compare recent SLP and audiology licensure board developments across states.
2. State appropriate practices for discharge planning to avoid patient abandonment.
3. Describe the newest updates to the ASHA Code of Ethics.



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