



# AUDIOLOGISTS AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS

NOC 31112

Audiologists diagnose and treat individuals with hearing loss, tinnitus and balance problems. Speech-language pathologists diagnose and treat communication disorders including speech, language and swallowing disorders.



## 3-YEAR OUTLOOK



## 3-YEAR JOB OPENINGS

46

## MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

\$44.63

\$41.00 \$52.40  
LOW HIGH

## TYPICALLY REQUIRED



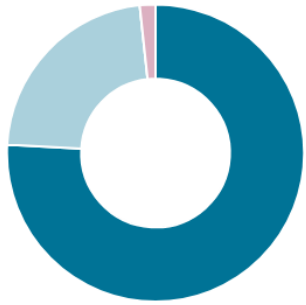
## EMPLOYED

314

## AVERAGE SALARY

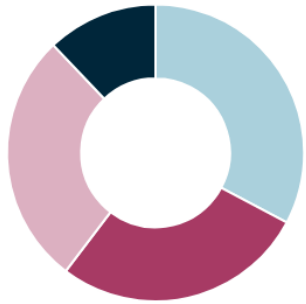
\$81,000

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### EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

<b>75.9%</b>	Health care and social assistance
<b>22.4%</b>	Educational services
<b>N/A</b>	N/A
<b>1.7%</b>	All Other Industries



### EMPLOYMENT BY AGE

<b>0.0%</b>	15-24
<b>32.8%</b>	25-34
<b>27.6%</b>	35-44
<b>27.6%</b>	45-54
<b>12.1%</b>	55-64
<b>0.0%</b>	65+

### ALSO KNOWN AS

- Audiologist
- Educational Speech-Language Pathologist
- Certified Audiologist
- Research Audiologist
- Clinical Audiologist
- Speech Therapist

### MAIN DUTIES:

This group performs some or all of the following duties:

- Develop and administer audiometric tests and examinations using specialized instruments and electronic equipment to diagnose and evaluate the degree and type of patients' hearing impairment
- Plan and implement habilitation/rehabilitation programs for patients, including selection, fitting and adjustment of amplification devices, such as hearing aids, balance retraining exercises, and teaching speech (lip) reading
- Educate and counsel patients and families regarding the nature, extent, impact and implications of hearing loss and treatment.



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