

Report of the Virginia Board of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology

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Public Action 03/01/19 – 02/29/20:

License Type	CE	Recordkeeping	Dishonored Payment	Unprofessional Conduct	Impairment/Unsafe to Practice	Total
SLP	3	1	1	1	1	7
AUD	2				1	3

Regulatory Action 03/01/19 – 02/29/20:

Additional CE Provider Added: <https://townhall.virginia.gov/L/ViewStage.cfm?stageid=8713>

Licensure by Endorsement Changes:

<https://townhall.virginia.gov/L/ViewStage.cfm?stageid=8719>

Guidance Documents 03/01/19 – 02/29/20:

Continuing Education

An update to the Board's existing guidance document on continuing education was adopted on February 19, 2019, and became effective on April 17, 2019. A link to the document can be found here: <http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/media/dhpweb/docs/aslp/guidance/30-9.pdf>

Telepractice

The Board's telepractice guidance document for audiologists and speech-language pathologists was adopted on July 30, 2019, and became effective on September 19, 2019. The Executive Director for the Board has indicated that this guidance document has been very helpful to the licensees during the COVID-19 pandemic. A link to the document can be found here:

<https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/media/dhpweb/docs/aslp/guidance/30-12.pdf>

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Respectfully submitted,

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