

**AGREEMENT FOR CLINICAL EDUCATION In Speech Pathology Or Audiology Of  
Communicative Sciences And Disorders Students Enrolled At  
Alabama A&M University**

This agreement, made and entered this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_ 20\_\_, by and between \_\_\_\_\_ hereinafter known as the “Clinical Unit”, and the Alabama A&M University, Program of Communicative Sciences and Disorders, hereinafter known as “Area CSD,” is felt by the aforesaid parties to be of mutual interest and advantage for selected students of the aforesaid Area CSD (hereinafter known as “Students” of Area CSD) in that they will be provided quality clinical education experiences in speech pathology or audiology at the Clinical Unit and/or its contracted sites.

The term of this agreement shall begin on the date first above specified and shall continue until such time as either party hereto has terminated such agreement by advising the other party of its intent to terminate in writing at least 30 days prior to the desired termination date. This agreement may be modified by mutual consent at any time.

It is further agreed by the aforesaid parties that:

**I. MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITIES**

A. The Clinical Unit will accept students selected by the Area CSD and agreed upon by the clinical Unit for a period of clinical education and/or portions of professional work requiring clinical exposure and practice. The nature of the experience shall be individually arranged by the Speech-Language Pathology coordinator with the Clinical Unit’s Speech Language Pathology or Audiology Division within the stated philosophy and objectives of the Area CSD and the Clinical Unit. Students will provide pr

E. The Area CSD will consider suggestions from the Clinical Unit's designated Coordinator of Speech-Language Pathology or Audiology Program regarding curriculum improvement.

F. The Clinical Unit will have authority to request the Area CSD to immediately withdraw from the Clinical Unit any student whose performance is unsatisfactory or whose characteristics and activities are detrimental to the Clinical Unit carrying out its responsibilities.

G. The Administrator of the Clinical Unit shall appoint one of its employees, with concurrence of Alabama A&M University, as Director of the Clinical Unit's Speech-Language Pathology Education Program, which employee may be considered for an academic appointment at Alabama A&M University. Such academic appointments will be designed according to professional ranks and will not involve either compensation or fringe benefits, neither will they be considered as regular academic appointments.

H. The Area CSD and Clinical Unit agree that there shall be conducted at least one meeting annually in respect to the activities of the Clinical Education Program and evaluation of the benefits being accomplished thereunder.

I. The Area CSD and Clinical Unit shall not discriminate against any student on the basis of race, color, creed, and national origin, religion, sex, sexual preference, or on the basis of handicap, if such student is a qualified handicapped student.



