



# Northwest Child Development Centre

*Working together with families, collaborating with communities, strengthening the region*

## Family Connection Centre Speech Language Pathology Assistant

**This is a Permanent, Part-Time or Full-Time position (hours negotiable) to start July 1, 2023.**

**Job Summary:** Under the direction and supervision of the Speech & Language Pathologist, the Speech Language Pathology Assistant (SLPA) is responsible for assisting the clinician in the delivery of therapeutic programs to children and youth as well as managing the program's equipment and resource inventory. The SLPA will carry out tasks related to implementation of therapeutic programs as developed and assigned by a Speech Language Pathologist. The SLPA works as a member of a family-centered, interdisciplinary team providing therapy and support services for children/youth from birth through school age. This position is located at our Smithers Regional Centre with regular outreach travel to the Hazelton and Houston communities, or may be located in Houston or Hazelton, with regular outreach travel to Smithers.

### Qualifications:

- Diploma in Speech Language Pathology Assistant or related field.
- 2-3 years' experience working with children and youth who require extra supports.
- Experience working with/under the direction of a Speech Language Pathologist
- Valid driver's license and own vehicle is required.
- Criminal Record Check.
- Full vaccination to COVID-19 required.

### Skills:

- Strong interpersonal skills
- Ability to organize and prioritize multiple demands.
- Ability to communicate effectively, both verbally and in writing.
- Ability to maintain confidentiality.
- Ability to work independently and in collaboration within multi-team settings.
- Knowledge of office software (Word, Excel, Publisher, Office 365) and database utilization.
- Knowledge of medical terminology.

Apply by April 28, 2023 to  
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Please note only qualified applicants will be contacted.

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