

Course Outcome Guide (COG)

Course:	CD 210 Intro to Communication Disorders	Credits:	3 (online)	Instructor:	Thomas Linares
Course Description:	CD 210 will have specific information for the Speech-Language Pathology Paraprofessional (SLPP) student. It will discuss the role of the SLPP working under the supervision of a master-level Speech-Language Pathologist (SLP). Major objectives will include what duties an SLPP may legally do and what responsibilities belong to the SLP. The class will cover the major communication disorders, including language, articulation, phonology, fluency, voice, hearing, cleft palate, neurological, and issues related to cultural diversity. Emphasis will be placed on therapy procedures that the SLPP will be required to perform on the job.				
Concepts and Issues	Process Skills	Assessment Tasks	Intended Outcomes		
			Course	General Education or Program	Institutional
1 Communication and Disorders	1 Student will study communication, speech, language, and associated disorders	1 Written examinations	1 Student will be able to distinguish between communication, speech and language	1. Discuss the developmental milestones for speech and language from birth through adolescence.	Students will apply health-related knowledge to promote physical and mental well-being.
2 Articulation, Phonological, Language, Fluency, Voice, Neurological and Literacy Disorders	2 Student will study the various disorders affecting communication	2 Written examinations	2 Student will be able to describe the characteristics of articulation, phonological, language, fluency, voice, neurological and literacy disorders	2. Recognize disorders of voice, articulation, phonology, language, fluency, and hearing.	
3 Basic remediation procedures	3 Student will observe 10 hours of therapy in a local public school	3 Submit summary of 10 hours of observations	3 Student will describe successful therapy techniques employed by a master-level SLP		