

Kansas School for the Deaf

TO ENSURE THAT ALL STUDENTS WE SERVE ACHIEVE THEIR FULL POTENTIAL IN A LANGUAGE-RICH ENVIRONMENT



**** JOB OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT ****

POSITION TITLE:	Physical Therapist (Part-Time)
SALARY:	\$50 an hour
EMPLOYMENT DATE:	Open Until Filled
SCHEDULE:	Part-time; 2 days per week; 10 months per year; this position may require attendance at special events outside of normal working hours

JOB DESCRIPTION: (Detailed Position Description provided upon request)

Work as part of a multidisciplinary team to provide services to students at the Kansas School for the Deaf. This position will require the supervision of a physical therapy assistant in compliance with the State of Kansas statutes and regulation

Essential Job Functions:

- Supervise on-site physical therapy assistant in compliance with State of Kansas statutes and regulations.
- Conduct individual and/or group physical therapy as mandated by the IEP process with students utilizing standardized tests, therapist-made tests, curriculum, and other materials and/or tests deemed necessary.
- Perform the following associated with student therapy, including but not limited to:
 - physical therapy treatment to improve student progress toward gross motor IEP goals,
 - assemble appropriate materials,
 - monitor student progress in attaining IEP goals,
 - collaborate, as appropriate with staff to serve students, and
 - communicate with parents as needed.
- Complete all scheduled reports including, but not limited to: student comprehensive re-evaluations, progress monitoring, IEPs, department reports, and others as assigned by the specified due date to maintain current school records.
- Provide interpretation of evaluations, assessments, and therapy progress/prognoses to parents, students, staff, and other authorized personnel.
- Participate in IEP/comprehensive, staff, and student meetings as needed.
- Maintaining confidentiality per the employee handbook and all applicable local, state, and federal laws



- Conforming to school communication policies, including appropriate language skills with deaf, hard of hearing, and hearing individuals, both internal and external
- Continually working to improve American Sign Language (ASL) and/or English skills to a level appropriate for the position.
- All requirements as mandated by the State and the Kansas School for the Deaf will be met.
- All other duties as assigned

Attend all required meetings; use appropriate communication skills.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: Master's degree or higher in Physical Therapy required; Kansas licensure required or the ability to obtain Kansas licensure. At least 1 year of physical therapist experience in a clinical or education setting, experience with DHH students, preferred. Fluency in manual communication; ability to understand and use ASL and English in appropriate modes (ASL and English skills will be assessed); fluency in Spanish preferred, but not required; ability to make oral/signed, written reports, and presentations; knowledge of educational, social-emotional, and developmental needs of DHH students; awareness of Deaf culture; ability to make proper responses to safety/health concerns; ability to apply principles of physical therapy with DHH students.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: All offers of employment from Kansas School for the Deaf (KSD) are contingent upon background check results and any applicable workplace references. Background checks are completed via the KS Bureau of Investigation, Backgrounds Plus consents, Kansas Department of Children and Family Services, and Dru Sjodin National Sexual Offender Registry. KSD may contact previous employers for workplace references. **Within 30 days of employment, a tuberculosis test (and any applicable treatment), as well as a health certificate must be completed by a medical provider at the cost of the employee.**

APPLICATION: Open Until Filled. For consideration, request an official KSD application or go to our website at www.ksdeaf.org/Employment and apply for KSD's review; copies of all college transcripts and licenses will be required.

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