CTC Preconditions Report

Preconditions for Speech Pathology: Preliminary Speech-Language Pathology

PRECONDITION	PROGRAM RESPONSE
(1) A Commission-accredited program sponsor shall determine prior to recommending a candidate for a credential, that the candidate holds or has been recommended for a master's degree in Speech-Language Pathology from a program accredited by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association's Council on Academic Accreditation.	SLP MA graduate program is CAA accredited. The accreditation information can be found on our department website as required by CAA. https://www.csulb.edu/college-of-health-human-services/speech-language-pathology/graduate-program It is clearly stated on our department website- Graduate Program Overview: *Students who successfully complete the required coursework may earn a M.A. degree in Speech-Language Pathology. Students who earn a M.A. degree qualify for the Certificate of Clinical Competence in Speech-Language Pathology from the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, the Speech-Language Pathology Services Credential from the California Commission for Teacher Credentialing, and the State of California Licensure in Speech-Language Pathology.* In the CSULB catalog, it clearly states the requirements for the **California Speech-Language Pathology Service Credential.** Candidates must: 1. Complete the: Speech-Language Pathology, M.A. 2. Complete the following courses: ● EDSP 350 - Introduction to Teaching the Exceptional Individual (3 units)- Students must complete this course before the first semester begins. Each student must submit a transcript and course syllabus showing completion of the coursework, which will be further verified by the Graduate Advisor during the first semester. The Graduate Advisor conducts an equivalency check using the course syllabus. ● SLP 575 - Educational Topics in Speech-Language Pathology (3 units) - Required course for all MA students ● SLP 686A - Public School Practicum in Speech-Language Pathology (5 units)- Required course for all MA students Upon completion of the program and posting of the master's degree, a credential analyst will conduct a final evaluation and confirm that the candidate has completed all the requirements prior to credential recommendation.