

## **Public Meeting Announcement**

The University of South Alabama Department of Speech Pathology and Audiology is applying for reaccreditation for the Doctor of Audiology and Master of Speech-Language Pathology degree programs from the Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA) of the American Speech-Language Hearing Association (ASHA).

To solicit public comments from consumers and the community, the SPA Department will hold a **public meeting** on **Thursday, November 13th at 4:30 p.m. at the USA Speech and Hearing Center**(located at 1119 HAHN, 5721 USA Drive North) in room 1029.

A copy of the Standards for Accreditation and/or the CAA's Policy on Public Comment may be obtained here: <a href="https://caa.asha.org/programs/call-for-public-comments/">https://caa.asha.org/programs/call-for-public-comments/</a>

Individuals who wish to provide input about the program may also submit written comments prior to the accreditation site visit. All comments are due in the Accreditation Office no later than three (3) business days before the first day of the scheduled site visit. Comments received after this time will not be forwarded to the site visit team for consideration during the accreditation review, in accordance with the procedures specified in Chapter XII of the Accreditation Handbook. Comments may be submitted by email (accreditation@asha.org), fax (301-296-8570), or mailed to Accreditation Public Comment, Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA), 2200 Research Boulevard, #310, Rockville, MD 20850.