

KAYLIE HOLZAPFEL

MS-CCC, SLP, ATP

Highly motivated clinician with a passion for excellence in clinical care and professional growth. 12 years of experience in various settings and experience supervising and providing leadership to fellow speech pathologists.

EDUCATION

08/2010-08/2013 Nova Southeastern University
Master of Speech and Language Pathology

08/2005-08/2009 University of Central Florida
Bachelor of Science in Communication Sciences
and Disorders

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 2022 Brain Injury of Association Education Task Force
National panel chosen to research and select topics to educate the community about pediatric brain injury
- 2020 Nomination for Allied Health Award in Fostering Innovation and Change
- 2022 "Pediatric Executive functions: a closer look"
Presentation, Arnold Palmer Outpatient Rehabilitation
- 2021 "Pediatric Traumatic Brain Injury"
Presentation, Orlando Health Concussion Special Interest Group
- 2020 Established Telehealth Services
"Teletherapy using Microsoft Teams" Presentation, APH Outpatient Rehabilitation
- 2020 Speech Team Huddles
Facilitate weekly communication and collaboration through email updates and planned biweekly huddles. Encourage growth and innovation within the speech team through organizing peer presentations, expanding Teams platform use for resource sharing, and introducing Teams case study reviews.
- 2020 "Career Presentation: What is an SLP?"
Presentation, Elevate Orlando
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Participated as content expert for Tempo Talk application pitch. Tempo Talk will provide an iOS application for home practice to increase verbal fluency for pediatric patients.

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- 2020 Foundry Project
Participated as content expert for Tempo Talk application pitch. Tempo Talk will provide an iOS application for home practice to increase verbal fluency for pediatric patients.
- 2020 Tempo Talk iOS Application
Content and curriculum writer for Tempo Talk application. Initial assessment and curriculum utilize developmental norms and Brown's morphemes for language acquisition to establish the user's current level of language functioning and recommend an appropriate curriculum level to begin practice. The curriculum follows language acquisition norms for mean length utterance and semantic language acquisition.
"Tempo Talk Application Content and Curriculum"
Publication, Tempo Talk Application
- 2019-
2020 Mother Baby Connection
Class for new parents with curriculum focus on communication and play development birth to two years of age.
- 2020 "ELLiE Preparation
Creating ELLiE smart text SOAP notes to increase ease of use for daily documentation.
- 2019 Nomination for Allied Health Award in Fostering Innovation and Change
- 2019 "Embedding Social Communication Supports Across Disciplines"
Presentation, APH Outpatient Rehabilitation
- 2018 "TBI: Reintegration into school and community"
Presentation, Franklin Delmonico Trauma Conference
- 2018-
2019 Concussion Cognitive Assessment Protocol
Established cognitive communication assessment process for concussion and mild TBI patients.
Researched and chose assessments for specific age ranges and created information library for parent education.
- 2018-
2022 Social Skills Group
Created social skills group that targets social problem solving and self-regulation through evidence based social thinking strategies and collaboration with occupational therapist. Created therapist education to facilitate appropriate referrals. Created weekly timeline, curriculum, and parent education materials. Current patient wait list is 25+ patients long.

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PRESENTATIONS

- 2025 "Educating Our Future: Student Led AAC Evaluations for Special Populations"
Presentation, AT Alabama, Birmingham AL
- 2022 "Clinical Considerations When Providing Swallowing and AAC Services to Patients with ALS"
Presentation, ALS Association, Mobile, AL
- 2017 "Pediatric Augmentative and Alternative Communication"
Presentation, Rehabilitation Grand Rounds
- 2014 "Self-Monitoring Narrative Production"
Presentation, Orange County Public Schools
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 08/2022- University of South Alabama Department of Speech Pathology and Audiology
Current Instructor, Speech and Language Pathologist in USA Speech and Hearing Center and Kelly Butler ALS Clinic
- 07/2016- Arnold Palmer Children's Hospital Outpatient Rehabilitation
07/2022 Clinical Specialist Speech and Language Pathologist
Provide speech and language treatment and evaluations for a medically diverse patient population. Specializing in neurogenic communication disorders, augmentative and alternative communication, and pragmatic communication disorders. Currently organizing and facilitating collaboration and communication among speech therapy team and participating in departmental process improvement projects.
- 08/2015- MSA Home Healthcare
08/2017 Speech Language Pathologist
Responsible for treatment and evaluation of adult patients needing augmentative, alternative communication devices. Worked closely with local device representatives for trials and funding.
- 08/2015- Creative Speech
08/2016 Speech Language Pathologist
Provided in-home speech and language therapy for pediatric caseload. Responsible for treatment, SOAP notes, and evaluations.
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

08/2013- UCP of Central Florida

08/2016 Speech Language Pathologist

Provided outpatient speech and language therapy for a diverse caseload. Responsible for treatment, SOAP notes, tracking insurance authorizations, evaluations, alternative communication funding packets, and device programming.

08/2009- Orange County Public Schools

08/2013 Speech Language Pathologist

Provided supportive services to other clinicians at schools across the district with caseload management and exceptional situations. Responsible for providing group therapy, performing evaluations, documenting, writing individualized education plans, organizing individualized education plan team meetings, providing support to new clinicians and schools in need.

SPECIALTY CERTIFICATIONS

2023-Current

Assistive Technology Professional

2019-2024 Certified Brain Injury Specialist

MEMBERSHIPS

Active

American Speech, Language, and Hearing Association

Speech and Hearing Association of Alabama

Florida Association of Speech- Language Pathologists and Audiologists