

[an accredited] A graduate program RECOGNIZED BY THE BOARD.

[(4)] (3) Submit transcripts from one or more accredited colleges or universities presenting WRITTEN evidence of the completion of [60 semester hours constituting a well-integrated program that includes 18 semester hours in courses that provide fundamental information applicable to the normal development and use of hearing, language and speech and 42 semester hours in courses that provide information about and training in the management of hearing, language and speech disorders and that provide information supplementary to these fields.

(i) For certification in audiology of these 42 semester hours, no fewer than 6 may be in formal courses in the evaluation and management of speech disorders.

(ii) For certification in speech pathology of these 42 semester hours, no fewer than 6 may be in formal courses in audiology.

(iii) No more than 6 of these 42 semester hours may be in courses that provide academic credit for clinical practice.

(iv) For certification in audiology of these 42 semester hours, at least 24, not including more than 3 credits for thesis dissertation, must be in courses in the field of audiology.

(v) For certification in speech pathology of these 42 semester hours, at least 24, not including more than 3 credits for thesis or dissertation, must be in courses in the evaluation and management of speech and language disorders.

(vi) Furthermore, 30 of these 42 semester hours must be in courses acceptable toward a graduate degree by the college or university in which these courses are taken.

(5) Submit evidence of the completion of 275 clock hours of supervised, direct clinical experience with individuals presenting a variety of disorders of communication, the experience being obtained within the training institution or in one of its cooperating programs.

(6) Present written evidence from employers or supervisors of nine months of full-time professional employment pertinent to the license being sought. This experience must follow the completion of the aforesaid requirements.] THE EDUCATIONAL, CLINICAL EXPERIENCE, AND EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS AS THE BOARD SHALL PRESCRIBE THROUGH RULES AND REGULATIONS BASED ON APPROPRIATE