

Speech-Language Pathologist

This position would ideally be full-time permanent, although opportunities are available for part-time, or for an independent contractor. Start date negotiable (ideally January 2022).

At Bright Spot we are a team of dedicated professionals committed to providing exceptional speech-language pathology services, occupational therapy services, and psychological assessments to Northeastern Ontario.

If you are passionate about working with children with communication challenges, enjoy having FUN, and are self-driven to learn, then this is the job for you.

We are looking for a **Speech-Language Pathologist** to provide assessment, supervision, and potentially direct services to pediatric clients. This position could be completely remote; however, preference will be given to candidates located in Kapuskasing, Hearst, Timmins, or nearby communities.

Key Responsibilities

- Develop a training program for therapy assistants (direction and support will be available)
- Supervise therapy assistants
- Provide assessment and treatment to pediatric clients who present with a broad range of communication difficulties
- Write assessment reports, treatment plans, and progress reports (or other necessary documentation)
- Work as part of a team (will be working with other regulated health professionals closely)
- Maintain up-to-date records on all communication with clients
- Creatively problem-solve to provide treatment programs catered to individual clients and settings
- Must be flexible
- Must appreciate and use a client and family-centred approach
- May be required to do presentations to small groups
- May be required to contribute to social media content, such as blogs or videos (will be provided options of the method you feel most comfortable communicating)
- If desired, may have opportunities to travel to remote communities

Qualifications

- Registered speech-language pathologist in good standing with CASLPO
- Experience working with clients with cultural differences would be an asset. (Cultural safety training will be provided)
- Comfortable with technology
- Hanen certification is a strong asset
- Driver's license is an asset
- Preference will be given to candidates that are bilingual and able to communicate in French and English.



- Mentorship opportunities available, if needed
- Preference given to candidates with at least 3 years of experience, although candidates with less experience are welcome to apply
- Preference given to candidates with experience supervising support professionals (CDA, therapy assistant, etc.)

This position is full-time, although part-time or contract positions may be considered. Bright Spot provides competitive compensation benefits, retirement savings, flexible work schedule, and the ability to make a significant difference in an underserved community.

Please send resume and cover letter to Rachel Pessah at rpessah@bright-spot.ca by **December 20, 2021**.

