**University of Louisiana at Monroe Presents ….**

**28th Annual**

**SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY**

**SPRING CONFERENCE**

**February 25th & 26th, 2016**

Leora Cherney, Ph.D., CCC-SLP, BC-ANCDS

*Aphasia Treatment across the Modalities:*

*Implementing Best Practices into the Clinical Setting*

Sponsored by the

Speech-Language Pathology Program

College of Health and Pharmaceutical Sciences

In conjunction with the

Louisiana Speech-Language-Hearing Association

**Conference held at the West Monroe Convention Center**

**901 Ridge Avenue, West Monroe, LA 71291**

***Directions: From Interstate 20 (east or west) take Exit 114 Thomas Road;***

***Go North on Thomas Road (past Glenwood Hospital on Right) to***

***Corner of Thomas Rd. & Cypress St. (Burger King on corner);***

***Turn Right on Cypress St. (Hwy. 80) and go to***

***Intersection of Cypress St. and North 7th St.***

***Turn Left (north) onto 7th St. (Chase Bank on corner)***

***Go on N. 7th to corner of Ridge Avenue and turn Left (stop light)***

***West Monroe Convention Center at 901 Ridge Avenue on Left***

**Conference Agenda at the West Monroe Convention Center**

**Thursday February 25, 2016**

**NSSLHA SILENT AUCTION 8:00-3:00**

**8:00-9:45 Treating Comprehension and Expression of Spoken Language in Aphasia**

**9:45-10:00 Break**

**10:00-11:30 Treating Comprehension and Expression of Spoken Language in Aphasia (continued)**

**11:30-1:00 Lunch (on your own)**

**1:00-2:45 Treating Reading Comprehension in Aphasia**

**2:45-3:00 Break**

**3:00-4:00 Treating Reading Comprehension in Aphasia (continued)**

**Friday, February 26, 2016**

**8:00-10:00 Treating Written Expression in Aphasia**

**10:00-10:15 Break**

**10:15-12:15 Social/Life Participation Approaches and Practical Issues for Group Treatment**

**12:15 Adjourn**

**Program Description**:

**Aphasia is a multimodality language problem. As such, speech-language pathologists require an arsenal of treatments focusing on the modalities of oral expression, auditory comprehension, reading comprehension, and written expression. This course provides examples of aphasia treatments addressing each modality. The theoretical background, procedures, and current evidence supporting these treatments are emphasized. Discussion will focus on issues affecting their practical implementation, treatment intensity, and alternative methods of service delivery, including groups.**

**Learning Objectives:**

* **List procedures for administering at least two aphasia treatments that focus on facilitating comprehension and expression of spoken language**
* **List procedures for administering at least two aphasia treatments that focus on facilitating comprehension and expression of written language**
* **Describe ways in which technology can assist in delivering speech-language services to individuals with aphasia**
* **Explain the importance of considering social/life participation approaches in the treatment of aphasia and practical issues relating to group treatment**

**About the Speaker:**

**Leora Cherney, Ph.D., is Professor of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation at Northwestern University, Feinberg School of Medicine and a Senior Research Scientist at the Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago. She has had more than 30 years of clinical experience working with adults with neurogenic communication disorders and presently directs the Center for Aphasia Research and Treatment at the Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago. Dr. Cherney is board-certified in neurologic communication disorders by the Academy of Neurologic Communication Disorders and Sciences (ANCDS) and Fellow of both the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association and the Illinois Speech-Language-Hearing Association. She has co-authored four books and has over 70 publications in refereed journals, textbooks, and other periodicals. She regularly presents at workshops and conferences nationally. Dr. Cherney’s research interests, which have been federally funded for over 20 years, have focused on treatment approaches for aphasia and on attention and discourse problems in adults with cognitive-communication disorders.**

**Continuing Education:**

**An annual ASHA CE Registry fee is required to register ASHA CEUs and paid by the participant directly to the ASHA national office. Contact the ASHA CE staff at 800-498-2071, ext. 4219 for CE Registry fee subscription information.**

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**The Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (LBESPA) accepts continuing education activities sponsored by LSHA for licensure renewal.**

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**This program is offered for 1.0 CEU (10 hours) (Intermediate level; Professional area).**

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

***Complete and Print This Form***

**28th Annual ULM SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY SPRING CONFERENCE FEES**

**Pre-registration Deadline: *Postmarked by January 26, 2016***

**Please check the following registration fee that applies to you:**

 **Both Days Thurs. Only Fri. Only**

**\_\_\_\_ Pre-registration Professionals \_\_\_$130 \_\_\_ $90 \_\_\_ $60**

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ On-Site Registration Professionals \_\_\_$170 \_\_\_ $130 \_\_\_ $80**

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Pre-registration Students \_\_\_$90 \_\_\_\_$75 \_\_\_ $60**

 **On-site registration Students: Not Available*--ALL STUDENTS MUST PRE-REGISTER BY JANUARY 26, 2016***

**Note: Seating is limited. Early registration is strongly encouraged. On-site registrants will NOT be guaranteed admission to the conference if seating capacity has been met (due to Fire Marshal code). No exceptions.**

**Cancellation Policy:**

**Written cancellation requests must be postmarked no later than February 8, 2016. Note: A $45 Cancellation Fee will be assessed.**

**Mail and make check or money order payable to:**

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