



Degree Program Assessment - SPLP - BS for 2016

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Degree code: SPLP

Degree type: BS

Degree title:

Speech-Language Pathology

Assessment year: 2016

Matrix (Enter 3 or 4 rows):

Student Learning Outcome #1:

The student will demonstrate knowledge of basic human communication and swallowing processes and disorders/differences

Measure(s):

After completing 27-30 credit hours of undergraduate coursework in basic human communication processes in the undergraduate speech-language pathology program, the student will demonstrate competency in the terminology used to describe normal communication processes.

Target(s):

Upon completion of SPLP 4004, 90% of the students will score 80% or better on a departmentally-constructed Terminology Competency Exam. In SPLP 4090, 90% of students will score 80% or better on a departmentally constructed Neurology competency exam.

Does this degree program have an online version?:

No

Was this target met?: Met

Results - Explain target met answer:

97% of the students in SPLP 4090 scored 80% or better on the departmentally-constructed Terminology Competency Exam. For SPLP 4004, 100% of the student scored 80% or better on a departmentally-constructed Terminology Competency Exam.

Actions to Seek Improvement or Maintain Success:

No changes will be made because target was met.

Student Learning Outcome #2:

The student must possess knowledge of the principles and methods of prevention, assessment, and intervention for people with communication and swallowing disorders, including consideration of anatomical/physiological, developmental, and linguistic and cultural correlates of the disorders

Measure(s):

After completing 21 credit hours of undergraduate coursework the student will demonstrate knowledge of methods of prevention, assessment, and intervention for persons with communication and swallowing disorders, and their relationship to anatomical, developmental, linguistic and cultural correlates of the disorders.

Target(s):

1. 90% of the students will score 80% or better on a departmentally constructed project, a case study required in SPLP 4004, applying the knowledge and skills acquired.
2. 100% of the students in SPLP 4004 will complete a Powerpoint presentation based on research of communication disorders and differences in an ethnic and/or social culture other than their own.
3. 80% of students who take Phonetics (SPLP 4001) will score 80% or better on a comprehensive evaluation of transcription of normal speech.

Does this degree program have an online version?:

No

Was this target met?: Met

Results - Explain target met answer:

1. 100% of the students scored 80% or better on a departmentally constructed project, a case study required in SPLP 4004, applying the knowledge and skills acquired.
2. 100% of the students in SPLP 4004 completed a Powerpoint presentation based on research of communication disorders and differences in an ethnic and/or social culture other than their own.
3. 90% of students who take Phonetics (SPLP 4001) scored 80% or better on a comprehensive evaluation of transcription of normal speech.

Actions to Seek Improvement or Maintain Success:

No changes will be made because targets were met

Student Learning Outcome #3:

The student will successfully complete the undergraduate program making them eligible for admission into a graduate program in speech-language pathology or audiology.

Measure(s):

After completing the required courses in the undergraduate curriculum (minimum of 30 credit hours) the students will have the necessary background to successfully gain admittance to a graduate program in speech-language pathology or audiology.

Target(s):

1. 100% of the students will obtain 25 clinical observation hours in SPLP 4010.
2. After completing the undergraduate program in Speech-Language Pathology, the five year average of graduates accepted into a master's program will be 70% or above.

Does this degree program have an online version?:

No

Was this target met?: Met

Results - Explain target met answer:

1. 100% of the students obtained 25 clinical observation hours in SPLP 4010.
2. After completing the undergraduate program in Speech-Language Pathology, the five year average of graduates accepted into a master's program was 88%.

Actions to Seek Improvement or Maintain Success:

No changes will be made because target was met.