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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Admissions to the **MS SLP** degree program requires a baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution in *Communication Science Disorders (CSD), Speech-Language Pathology (SLP) or Alternate bachelor’s degree and have completed* the following prerequisites:

* Application will not be considered for admissions until 7 of the 10 prerequisites are completed
* Courses are recommended to be no more than 5 years old, however it is not required.
* Must show proof you have completed and passed the course with a “C” or better 2 weeks prior to the start of class
* CLEP credits taken independently through College Board are not acceptable in fulfillment of any prerequisite courses. CLEP credits are only accepted when listed on an institutional transcript in fulfillment of the institution’s degree requirements
* Labs are not required or calculated
* If you must change your pending courses, you must notify Admissions at [prereqcheck@usa.edu](mailto:prereqcheck@usa.edu) and your Enrollment Advisor for course approval.

**Pending prerequisites allowed while in program:**Ideally, newly admitted students complete all prerequisite coursework prior to the start of the first term of enrollment at USAHS. If the MS-SLP Program Director provides advanced written approval, students may matriculate/enroll with up to two (six credit hours total) eligible prerequisite courses (course list below). These prerequisite courses must be completed by the student with a grade of C (2.0) or better by or before the conclusion of the student’s second term of the MS-SLP program or the student will not be eligible to progress further in the program. The pending courses MUST be completed at USAHS during Term 1 and/or Term 2 of the MS-SLP program. The pending prerequisite courses taken during the program are not eligible for Title IV federal financial aid.

* Introduction to Audiology (3 credits)
* Aural Rehabilitation (3 credits)

**By signing below, you acknowledge that you are committed to passing the courses listed above with a grade of C or better no later than the end of the 2nd trimester of the MS-SLP program. We do not accept C- or below. All rules listed above must be followed unless approved otherwise by your enrollment advisor. If you need to change the course(s) listed, you must notify your enrollment advisor immediately so admissions can approve the course and update your file. I further acknowledge and understand that my pending prerequisite courses are not eligible for Title IV federal financial aid. I also understand that failure to successfully complete the prerequisite courses by the end of the second trimester of the program may affect my Title IV financial aid eligibility and end my progression in the program’s course of study.**

**All prerequisites must be completed by deadlines listed above and/or approved by your enrollment advisor. Failure to complete the pending prerequisites or completing an unapproved course will result in offer of admittance to be rescinded.**

**Name and Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Note:** Your signature is required. This can be added digitally, or document signed manually, and the PDF submitted.

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| **Prerequisites**  **(Additional substitutes will be considered in consultation with the Program Director)** | **Course Number** | **Credit Type**  **(S/Q)** | **Institution Name** | **Completion Date** | **Grade/ Credits** |
| **EXAMPLE** | COMD 100 | 3 semester  credits | San Diego State University | 12/15/20 | B/4 |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Chemistry or Physics (100) level or higher** (Introductory courses acceptable) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Biology (1000 level or higher)**. (Introductory courses acceptable) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Behavioral or Social Sciences (1000 level or higher).**  (Introductory courses acceptable) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Statistics (1000 level or higher)** (Introductory courses acceptable) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Introduction to Communication Sciences Disorders** (Only needed if degree was earned outside of CSD/SLP field) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Speech Anatomy and Physiology** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Audiology**  ***May be completed at USAHS term 1 and/or 2 of MS SLP program. See details above*** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Aural Rehabilitation**  ***May be completed at USAHS term 1 and/or 2 of SLP program. See details above*** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Phonetics** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum of 3 semester credits/4.5 quarter credits of **Normal Speech and Language Development** |  |  |  |  |  |