Students who are admitted to and graduate from the Department of Communication Disorders graduate program are eligible for licensure in West Virginia. Please be aware that as of January 18, 2021, completing a degree at Marshall University meets each of the state licensure requirements for speech-language pathologists as listed below in the chart.

The information provided is strictly limited to the University’s determination of whether its Communication Disorders program, if successfully completed, would be sufficient to meet the educational licensure or certification requirements in for each of the states listed below. Marshall University cannot provide verification of an individual’s ability to meet licensure or certification requirements unrelated to its educational programming. The information provided does not provide any guarantee that any state licensure or certification entity will approve or deny your application. Furthermore, this disclosure does not account for changes in state law or regulation that may affect your application for teaching licensure that occur after this disclosure has been made. In addition to the information provided here, students are strongly encouraged to contact their state’s licensure entity to review all licensure and certification requirements imposed by their state(s) of choice.

Further, it is your responsibility to let your graduate advisor and the chair of the department know if your location changes or if you anticipate seeking licensure in another state. Information can be found through the American Speech-Language Hearing Association, ASHA at State-by-State (asha.org).

Finally, further information, including the Marshall University complaint process and where to report a location change can be found at https://www.marshall.edu/design-center/2020/08/13/state-authorizations/

If you require further information, please contact me directly at 304.696.2985 or holland@marshall.edu

**Professional Licensure by State**

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| **State** | **Website** | **Program meets educational requirements, does not meet educational requirements, or has not made a determination** |
| Alabama | <http://abespa.alabama.gov/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Alaska | <https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/AudiologistsandSpeech-LanguagePathologists.aspx> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Arizona | <https://www.azdhs.gov/licensing/special/index.php#speech-hearing-home> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Arkansas | <https://www.abespa.com/applicants/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| California | <https://www.speechandhearing.ca.gov/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Colorado | <https://dpo.colorado.gov/SLP> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Connecticut | <https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/SLP/Speech-and-Language-Pathologist--Licensure> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Delaware | <https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/speechaudio/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| District of Columbia | <https://dchealth.dc.gov/service/audiology-and-speech-language-pathology-licensing> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Florida | <https://floridasspeechaudiology.gov/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Georgia | <https://sos.ga.gov/index.php/licensing/plb/49> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Hawaii | <http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/speech/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Idaho | <https://dopl.idaho.gov/DOPLPortal/Home.aspx> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Illinois | <https://www.idfpr.com/profs/SpeechLangAudio.asp> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Indiana | <https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/speech-language-pathology-audiology-board/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Iowa | <https://www.idph.iowa.gov/Licensure/Iowa-Board-of-Speech-Pathology-and-Audiology> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Kansas | <https://www.kdads.ks.gov/commissions/survey-certification-and-credentialing-commission/health-occupations-credentialing> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Kentucky | <https://slp.ky.gov/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Louisiana | <https://www.lbespa.org/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Maine | <https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/board-speech-audiology-hearing> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Maryland | <https://health.maryland.gov/boardsahs/Pages/Index.aspx> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Massachusetts | <https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-registration-for-speech-language-pathology-and-audiology> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Michigan | <https://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-89334_72600_72603_27529_53664---,00.html> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Minnesota | <https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/providers/slpa/index.html> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Mississippi | <https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,82.html> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Missouri | <https://pr.mo.gov/speech.asp> |  |
| Montana | <https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/speech-language-pathologists/> | Program meets educational requirements - Pass the open-book state jurisprudence examination which is included with the application. A passing score is 80% or greater |
| Nebraska | <https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Audiology-and-Speech-Language-Pathology.aspx> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Nevada | <https://www.nvspeechhearing.org/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| New Hampshire | <https://www.oplc.nh.gov/speech-language-pathology-governing-board> | Program meets educational requirements |
| New Jersey | <https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/aud/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| New Mexico | <http://www.rld.state.nm.us/boards/Speech_Language_Pathology_Audiology_and_Hearing_Aid_Dispensing_Practices.aspx> | Program meets educational requirements - Passage of a jurisprudence exam |
| New York | [http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/slpa/#](http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/slpa/) | Program meets educational requirements |
| North Carolina | <https://ncboeslpa.org/licensure-listing/apply-for-licensure/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| North Dakota | [http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/slpa/#](http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/slpa/) | Program meets educational requirements |
| Ohio | <https://shp.ohio.gov/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Oklahoma | <https://www.ok.gov/obespa/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Oregon | <https://www.oregon.gov/BSPA/pages/index.aspx> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Pennsylvania | <https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Speech-Language%20Pathology%20and%20Audiology/Pages/default.aspx#.VjOljuLD9Fo> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Rhode Island | <https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=246> | Program meets educational requirements |
| South Carolina | <https://llr.sc.gov/aud/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| South Dakota | <https://doh.sd.gov/boards/speechpath/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Tennessee | <https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/cds-board.html> | Program meets educational requirements - Passage of a jurisprudence exam |
| Texas | <https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/slpa/slpa.htm> | Program meets educational requirements - Passage of a jurisprudence exam |
| Utah | <https://dopl.utah.gov/audio/index.html> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Vermont | <https://sos.vermont.gov/speech-language-pathologist/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Virginia | <http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/aslp/> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Washington | <https://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/HearingandSpeechServices> | Program meets educational requirements - Passage of a jurisprudence exam |
| West Virginia | <https://www.wvspeechandaudiology.com/> | Program meets educational requirements - Passage of a jurisprudence exam |
| Wisconsin | <https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/SpeechLanguagePathologist/Default.aspx> | Program meets educational requirements |
| Wyoming | <https://speech.wyo.gov/> | Program meets educational requirements |