# NEVADA

TOTAL POPULATION

3 mil

# NUMBER OF ASHA AUDIOLOGISTS

75

5 provide Multilingual Services

# NUMBER OF ASHA SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS

1,043

103 provide Multilingual Services



a human right, accessible and achievable for all.

## **DEFINING THE PROFESSIONALS**



Audiologists specialize in preventing and assessing hearing and balance disorders as well as providing audiology treatment, including hearing aids.



Speech-language pathologists (SLPs) identify, assess, and treat speech, language, cognitive communication, and swallowing disorders.

Audiologists and SLPs provide treatment to people of all ages, from infants to older adults.

#### NATIONAL AND STATE DATA

# About 15%

Americans have some degree of hearing loss.

# About 7%

Americans have some form of language impairment.

From 2020-2030, Nevada is expected to see ...

DEMAND DATA FOR AUDIOLOGISTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE 38%

INCREASE IN DEMAND FOR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS

#### **EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT IN NEVADA**



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higher education institutions with communication sciences and disorders degree program in the state.

Where do Audiologists and SLPs work in Nevada?



EDUCATION FACILITIES

10% Audiologists 44% SLPs



HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

81% Audiologists 48% SLPs



OTHER FACILITIES

9% Audiologists 9% SLPs

#### **RESOURCES**

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The American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) is the national professional, scientific, and credentialing association for 234,000 members and affiliates who are audiologists; speech-language pathologists; speech, language, and hearing scientists; audiology and speech-language pathology support personnel; and students.



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