

Salary Supplement Legislative Success Chart

State	Year of Enactment	Summary of Law	Links to Laws	State Association Contact
Arkansas	2005	House Bill 1622 provides a \$5,000 annual salary supplement for licensed, full-time speech-language pathologists in the schools with their Certificate of Clinical Competence from ASHA. Funding allocation is pending.	http://www.arkleg.state.ar.us/ftproot/bills/2005/public/HB1622.pdf	Carol Fleming 501-447-3230 or cblem@swbell.net
Delaware	2004	Senate Bill 320 provides a \$6,000 annual salary supplement for speech-language pathologists and audiologists with their Certificate of Clinical Competence from ASHA.	http://www.legis.state.de.us/LIS/LIS142.NSF/vwLegislation/SB+320?Opendocument	Illene Courtright 302-454-2146 or icourtright@comcast.net
Indiana	2005	House Enrolled Act 1098 applies to licensed speech-language pathologists and audiologists working in an educational setting, holding a Certificate of Clinical Competence (or its equivalent from a nationally recognized association) for at least three consecutive years, and having experience equivalent to the requirements for a teacher seeking certification by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS). Those meeting these requirements are considered to have the equivalent of and are entitled to the same benefits available to those with a NBPTS certification.	http://www.in.gov/legislative/bills/2005/HE/HE1098.1.html (see Sec. 67, (e), (1)-(3))	Kay Olges 812-339-3714 or kolges@sbcglobal.net
Louisiana	2003 2008	House Bill 1317 provides a phased in salary supplement to licensed speech-language pathologists and audiologists holding a State Department of Education credential and their ASHA Certificate of Clinical Competence. House Bill 1, enacted in 2008, provides funding in the amount of approximately \$3,000 annually (details are still being worked out as of August, 2008).	http://www.legis.state.la.us/leg_docs/03RS/CVT5/OUT/0000KTAN.PDF	Theresa Rodgers 225-621-2521 or rodgerst@apsb.org
Mississippi	1999	House Bill 471 provides an annual salary supplement of \$6,000 for licensed speech-language pathologists and audiologists in school settings who are ASHA certified. The bill also provides for the one time reimbursement of up to \$500 for the cost of completing the process of acquiring the Certificate of Clinical Competency from ASHA.	http://www.ms.gov/frameset.jsp?URL=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.ls.state.ms.us	Georgene Falcone-Johnson 228-435-4600 or gflslp@yahoo.com

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Missouri	2004	Senate Bill 968 places speech-language pathologists possessing a teacher's license, the ASHA Certificate of Clinical Competence, and who have worked in a public school in Missouri for at least five years on the highest level of the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education's career advancement ladder. The professional's local school district must also participate in the Missouri Career Development and Teacher Excellence Plan, which is a voluntary program, in order to be placed on this level.	http://www.senate.mo.gov/04INFO/bills/SB968.htm	Cynthia Breid Baker 417-962-4328 or cbb428k@MAIL.MGR3.K12.MO.US
Nevada	2005	Assembly Bill 580 provides an annual salary supplement of 5 percent to the salary of speech pathologists working in the schools. Speech pathologists must be licensed and ASHA certified to receive the supplement.	http://leg.state.nv.us/73rd/bills/AB/AB580.pdf	Nancy Kuhles 775 825-4885 or nkuhles@washoe.k12.nv.us
Oklahoma	2006	Senate Bill 3XX provides \$1.725 million in funding that will be used for an annual \$5,000 salary supplement for ASHA certified speech-language pathologists and audiologists working full-time in the schools. School psychologists with national certification are also eligible for the supplement.	http://www2.lsb.state.ok.us/2005%2D06sb/sb3x%5Fenr.rtf	Mona Ryan 405-271-2131 X47140 or mona-ryan@ouhsc.edu
Rhode Island	2003	House Bill 5199, as amended, provides speech-language pathologists with access to the Rhode Island Professional Development Investment Fund for application and fee support while pursuing their ASHA Certificate of Clinical Competence.	http://www.rilin.state.ri.us/BillText/BillText03/HouseText03/H5199.pdf	Senator Hanna Gallo sengallo@cox.net
	2006	House Bill 7120A provides a \$1,750 annual supplement to ASHA certified, licensed speech-language pathologists working in the schools. This is in addition to any supplements provided by local districts in the state.	http://www.rilin.state.ri.us/BillText/BillText06/HouseText06/Article-019-SUB-A-as-amended.pdf	Senator Hanna Gallo sengallo@cox.net

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West Virginia	2006	Senate Bill 783 provides a \$2,500 annual salary supplement to ASHA certified speech-language pathologists (SLPs) and audiologists (auds). Certified counselors also receive the supplement. The supplement is provided for the life of the certification or for ten years, whichever expires first. Up to 100 SLPs, auds, and counselors per year are eligible to receive the supplement as defined by state regulations. The three professions are entitled to reimbursement for one-half the fee for certification, upon enrollment. The remainder of the fee, and other certification expenses (up to \$600), are eligible for reimbursement after receiving certification.	http://www.legis.state.wv.us/Bill_Text_HTML/2006_SESSIONS/RS/BILLS/sb783%20enr.htm	Connie Breza cbreza@earthlink.net or 304-242-3264

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