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### POSITION STATEMENT RELATING TO UTILIZATION AND EMPLOYMENT OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY SUPPORTIVE PERSONNEL WITH UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS

#### PURPOSE:

The purpose of this document should act as a "Best Practices" benchmark through which licensees may evaluate and improve their current practice relating to underserved populations.

#### REFERENCES:

The Act: Texas Occupations Code (TOC), Chapter 401, §401.302

Board Rules: 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741

Subchapter D, §741.41 - §741.41 relating to the Code of Ethics; Duties, and Responsibilities of Supervisors

The Board recommends that speech-language pathologists and interns in speech-language pathology utilize the "Utilization and Employment of Speech-Language Pathology Supportive Personnel with Underserved Populations" developed by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) Committee on Supportive Personnel.

You may contact the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association to obtain this document.

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