

2024

Annual Report



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Communicating care

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Introduction

At SAC, we believe that communication is at the heart of human connection, learning, and health. As Canada's only national organization representing speech-language pathologists, audiologists, and communication health assistants, we champion the role of communication health across the lifespan.

Vision

The unified national voice of speech-language pathology and audiology.

Mission

Advancing the professions of speech-language pathology and audiology and empowering members and associates to optimize communication, health, and education outcomes for all.



From Vision to Action

In 2024, SAC advanced its mission by amplifying the voice of our members, advocating for stronger public policies, and empowering professionals through education and connection. Our members help millions of Canadians every year, and with your support, SAC's impact will continue to grow. Whether you are a member, partner, sponsor, or advocate, there's a place for you at SAC. Together, we are building a future where everyone can connect, learn, and thrive.

Advocate:

Speech-language pathologists (S-LPs), audiologists, and communication health assistants will be recognized and valued for the crucial services they provide to the people of Canada.



Inform:

SAC will be the leading provider of professional development, resources, and current research for S-LPs, audiologists, and communication health assistants in Canada.



Engage:

SAC will engage S-LPs, audiologists, and communication health assistants with a focus on attracting and retaining members and associates while supporting the needs of diverse groups.



Message from the SAC Chair of the Board of Directors and the Chief Executive Officer

As we reflect on 2024, we do so with a deep sense of gratitude, responsibility and hope. This year marked SAC's 60th anniversary, our first joint in-person conference in more than five years and a significant period of transition for our association. It has been a year of change - for SAC, for our members and for our professions.

Amidst this change, the strength and commitment of our community have remained steadfast, reaffirming SAC's vital role in advancing the professions of speech-language pathology, audiology and communication health assistants across Canada.

This year, SAC began laying the foundation for a bold new chapter. We successfully navigated structural shifts, welcomed new leadership and reaffirmed our commitment to national representation, evidence-informed practice and meaningful engagement. A governance review of the Board was initiated to optimize effectiveness, continued discussions occurred with universities and regulators through the Council for Accreditation of Canadian University Programs in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CACUP-ASLP) and a refreshing of the Canadian Journal of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (CJSLPA) is underway. Throughout these changes, our association



"It has been my privilege to serve as Chair of the Board of Directors, I want to sincerely thank our members and volunteers who remained committed and generous with their time, ideas and voices during this period of renewal. Your input has been instrumental in shaping SAC's direction and your dedication to our shared mission continues to inspire us all."

**— Susan J. Wagner B.Sc. (SPA), M.Sc.(CD), S-LP(C),
Reg. CASLPO, Chair, Board of Directors**

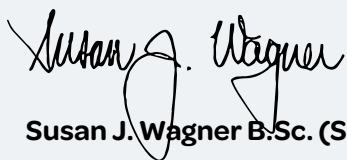
remained focused on what matters most: supporting our members, raising public awareness and championing communication, health and education outcomes for all.

Looking ahead, we are embracing a vision that is both bold and ambitious. SAC will prioritize member experience, deepen our advocacy efforts and strengthen our visibility with the public and decision-makers alike. We will invest in opportunities for engagement and professional growth, while cultivating meaningful partnerships that support the health, education and well-being of the people and communities we serve.

None of this would be possible without the expertise and dedication of our members and associates, our Board of Directors, including the Executive Committee, and our dedicated team of staff. To all who contributed to SAC's progress in 2024 - thank you! Your commitment is what moves us forward.

We invite all members and supporters to stay involved, bring your voice to the table and help shape the future of SAC. Together, we are laying the foundation for a stronger, more connected SAC - one that is ready to reimagine what's possible for our professions, our members and the people we serve.

Sincerely,



Susan J. Wagner B.Sc. (SPA), M.Sc.(CD), S-LP(C), Reg. CASLPO
Chair, Board of Directors



Luciana Nechita, CAE
Chief Executive Officer

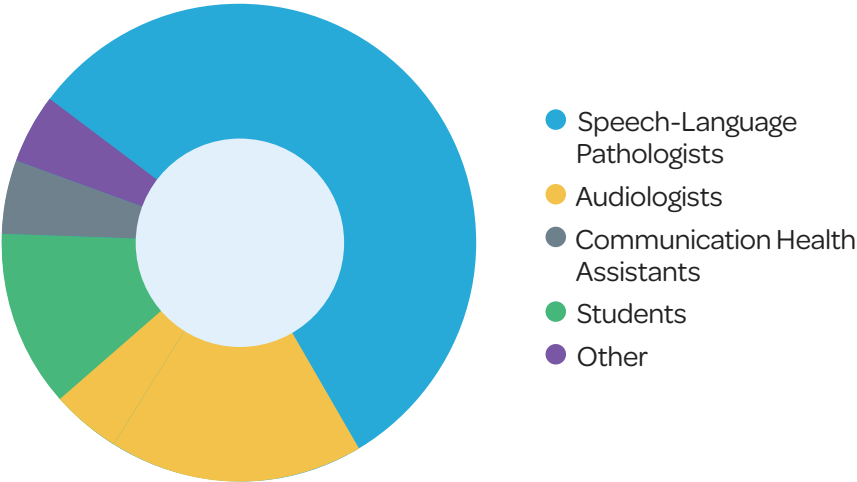


"As the new CEO, I joined SAC at a pivotal moment. In these first months, I've had the privilege of listening closely to our members, staff, partners, and supporters. What I've heard is clear: there is a deep desire to see SAC thrive - not only as a national voice for our professions, but as a responsive, inclusive and forward-thinking organization that reflects and respects the diversity of our membership."

— Luciana Nechita, CAE, Chief Executive Officer

Membership

In 2024, more than 7,000 members and associates across Canada chose SAC to support their careers, advance the professions, and raise the profile of communication health.



Primary Languages:

Reflecting the linguistic diversity of our members and the populations they serve.

Top languages spoken by SAC members:

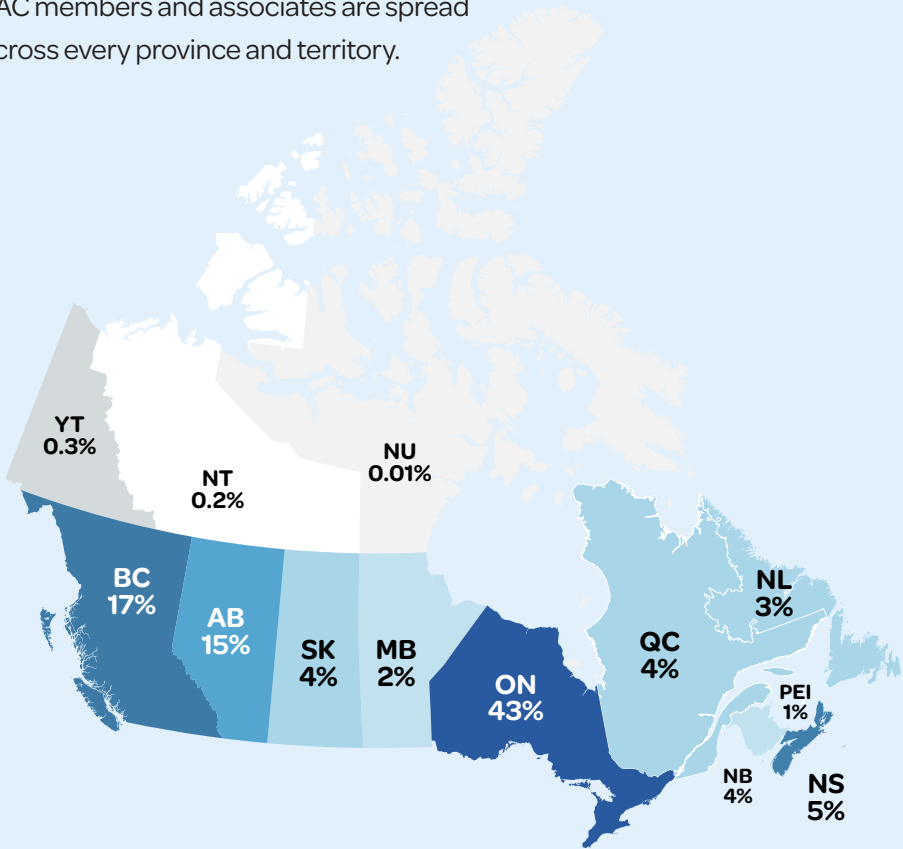
1. English
2. French
3. Spanish
4. Cantonese
5. Mandarin

Top languages spoken by clients of SAC members:

1. English
2. French
3. Arabic
4. Mandarin
5. Spanish

Provincial Breakdown:

SAC members and associates are spread across every province and territory.



7,000+

SAC members and associates across Canada.

Exclusive SAC Member Benefits

Our members and associates are the reason SAC exists. SAC membership means support, community, and advocacy at every stage of your career.

As an SAC member or associate, you gain exclusive access to:

- Professional liability insurance to protect your practice
- Access to webinars and webcasts
- Member pricing for conferences and workshops
- National and regional advocacy that amplifies your voice
- Practice tools and resources to advance your skills
- Special member-only discounts on products and services
- A searchable public directory to grow your reach and visibility



Membership Benefits

Recognition Each year, we recognize individuals who have made significant contributions to our association and to the professions through our Scholarships and Awards & Recognition Programs. SAC also provides Clinical Research Grants intended to support an increase in the clinical evidence base in speech-language pathology and audiology in Canada.	Professional Development SAC provides a wide array of valuable professional development opportunities. Members receive exclusive access to our online professional development program. Additionally, SAC provides a variety of in-person and virtual professional development workshops and conferences at reduced rates specifically for members.
Insurance Programs Professional Liability (PLI) Members and associates can purchase between \$7 to \$8 million in PLI for as low as \$50 per year through our partnership with BMS. This coverage can cost up to \$700 a year for non-SAC members and associates. BMS also offers comprehensive solutions for Commercial General Liability and Cyber Security and more.	Publications Members have access to the monthly SAC Insider newsletter, provincial advocacy newsletter, and our weekly news roundup, "This Week in the News" featuring top headlines relevant to you and your profession. And, of course, we have the Canadian Journal of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (CJSLPA), our peer-reviewed, online journal of clinical practice for speech-language pathologists, audiologists, and researchers.
Advocacy SAC is committed to raising the profile of our members by supporting, promoting and elevating the professions.	Find a Professional The Find a Professional directory is a valuable resource at no additional cost. It provides the public with a go-to resource for accessing speech-language and audiology services across Canada.
Journal Access Exclusive access to Folia Phoniatrica et Logopaedica and Cumulative Index to Nursing Allied Health Literature (CINAHL). Complete database with articles and abstracts for hundreds of peer-reviewed publications pertaining to health and healthcare professionals.	Special Interest Groups Members can join any one of our member-driven, member-led online communities dedicated to fostering knowledge sharing and collaboration.
Practice Resources SAC offers a comprehensive collection of resources to enhance professional practice, support ongoing education and optimize outcomes for all. These resources include guidelines, toolkits, information sheets, podcasts, posters, position papers, research articles and more.	Discount Programs Enjoy reduced rates on home and auto insurance, GoodLife, Fitness, educational programs, online resources, park programs, and more.

SAC Membership Benefits ➔

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Advocate

Championing Communication Health: SAC brought the voices of speech-language pathologists, audiologists, and communication health assistants to Parliament Hill, provincial legislatures, and public conversations. From early hearing detection to expanding workforce supports, SAC's advocacy is driving change across Canada.



Federal Advocacy

In 2024, SAC amplified the voice of our professions on Parliament Hill and beyond. Our advocacy helped shape national conversations and brought critical issues, like early hearing detection, to the forefront.

2024 Report Card: Early Hearing Detection & Intervention (EHDI) ⓘ

In collaboration with the [Canadian Academy of Audiology](#), through the [Canadian Infant Hearing Task Force \(CIHTF\)](#), SAC launched the 2024 EHDI Progress Report on Parliament Hill. The report revealed that seven out of 13 provinces and territories do not provide sufficient infant hearing healthcare, highlighting health inequities for more than one-third of Canadian infants. The launch generated national media attention and reinforced SAC's call for comprehensive EHDI programs across Canada.

2024 Pre-Budget Submissions

- [SAC Submission](#) ⓘ
- [EHPC Submission](#) ⓘ



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Fostering Healthy Childhoods: A Foundation for Resilient Generations ⓘ

SAC's testimony at the Health Committee's study on Children's Health was cited **over 12 times**, with several federal recommendations directly reflecting our evidence-informed input and professions services.



Elected Official Engagement

3 Letters sent to:

- **Hon. Patty Hadju**, Minister of Indigenous Services, on the inclusion of allied health professionals in the Canada Student Loan Forgiveness Program.
- **Hon. Jenna Sudds**, Minister of Families, Children and Social Development on integrating S-LPs and audiologists into early childhood educator training.
- **Yasir Naqvi**, Parliamentary Secretary of Health on highlighting the role of S-LPs and audiologists in long-term care and aging at home.



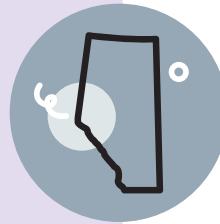
Canada Student Loan Forgiveness Program

SAC continues to push for the inclusion of S-LPs and audiologists in the federal Canada Student Loan Forgiveness Program to address workforce shortages in underserved communities. Much of this work was advanced through the Extended Healthcare Professionals Coalition (EHPC). A key milestone: the **House Finance Committee** recommended including S-LPs and audiologists, an encouraging step, though not yet implemented.

Provincial Advocacy

SAC champions provincial advocacy efforts, particularly in provinces without a dedicated professional association, to address workforce challenges, evolving healthcare systems and gaps in education services. Working alongside our members, we ensure the vital roles of S-LPs, audiologists, and communication health assistants are recognized, valued, and supported.

We sincerely thank the members of SAC's Provincial Regional Advisory Committees for their ongoing contributions. Your insights and dedication have played a vital role in shaping SAC's advocacy efforts and championing the needs of communication health professionals in your province.



SAC-Alberta

Engagement with Elected Officials:

- Wrote to Health Minister Adriana LaGrange and met with senior officials from the Minister's office to raise concerns about changes to Alberta Health Services and their impact on communication health professionals.
- Met with MLA Amanda Chapman, Official Opposition Critic for Education, to discuss the need for increased Program Unit Funding (PUF).
- Wrote a letter to the Minister of Mental Health and Addiction, Dan Williams to highlight how S-LPs and audiologists support mental health and addictions care.
- Coordinated an advocacy campaign with SAC-Alberta members to bring attention to the challenges in the [Family Support for Children with Disabilities \(FSCD\)](#) program.

Community Engagement:

- Collaborated with the [Alberta Association of Audiologists \(AAofA\)](#) on joint advocacy priorities affecting audiologists in the province.



SAC-Alberta Advocacy Plan

SAC-Ontario-OSLA ⑦

Engagement with Elected Officials:

- Participated in the Ministry of Education's Advisory Council on Special Education (MASCE), sharing feedback on funding, staffing, and early intervention supports.

Reports & Submissions:

- Submitted recommendations during the Ministry of Finance's pre-budget consultation.
- Provided input to the Ministry of Education's consultation on Kindergarten Programming - [Growing Success: Assessment, Evaluation, and Reporting in Ontario Schools. First Edition, Covering Grades 1-12, 2010.](#)
- Submitted a briefing note to the Ministry of Health on resolving issues with the Assistive Devices Program (ADP).
- Jointly submitted with Coalition of Health Professionals in Auto Insurance to the Financial Services Regulatory Authority of Ontario regarding proposed reforms to the Statutory Accident Benefits Schedule (SABS) Guidelines.
- Delivered a presentation to the Health Workforce Regulatory Oversight Branch on recommendations to expand scope of practice.

Community Engagement:

- Joined the [Rehabilitative Care Alliance's](#) Workforce Task Group, contributing to broader conversations around human health resources.
- Participated in [Workplace Safety and Insurance Board \(WSIB\)'s](#) Hearing Services Working Group.



SAC-Ontario-OSLA Advocacy Plan ⑦



SAC-Saskatchewan

Awareness Tools:

- Released scope of practice videos, in partnership with the [University of Saskatchewan School of Rehabilitation Science](#), to promote understanding of the professions among healthcare and education professionals.
- [Speech-language pathology video](#)
- [Audiology video](#)

Elected Official Engagement

- Wrote letters to the Minister of Education, Jeremy Cockrill, Minister of Advanced Education, Gordon Wyant, and Minister of Health, Everett Hindley as well as the Opposition Health Critic, regarding recruitment and retention.
- Held meetings with the Opposition Health Critic, Vicki Mowat, as well as the Assistant Deputy Minister of Health, Chad Ryan, regarding provincial results on the EHDI Report Card.
- Advocated for the adoption of the [HSO Long-Term Care Services Standard](#) in letters sent to the Minister of Health, Everett Hindley and the NDP Opposition Critic for Seniors, Matt Love, advocating for adoption of the Health Standards Organization's Long-Term Care standards.
- Recommended including S-LPs and audiologists in rural and remote recruitment incentives in letters to the Ministry of Health.

Community Engagement:

- Collaborated with the Saskatchewan Tribal Council (STC) to support access to speech-language pathology and audiology services for Indigenous communities through Jordan's Principle.
- Met with contacts at the University of Saskatchewan and Saskatchewan Polytechnic to discuss feasibility of future S-LP/Audiology Assistant program.
- SAC-SK and CSASK are working with a representative from the Canadian Academy of Audiology (CAA), Dave Gordey, to build a business case for direct referral to ENT for speech-language pathology and audiology in Saskatchewan.



SAC-Saskatchewan Advocacy Plan



Addition of Speech-Language Pathology Program at the University of Saskatchewan

In June of 2024, the Government of Saskatchewan announced a new speech-language pathology program at the University of Saskatchewan, launching in 2026 with 40 seats annually. SAC's Interim Director of Speech-Language Pathology & Communication Health Assistants, and Regional Advocacy Manager, Jennifer Cameron-Turley attended the event and spoke about the importance of improved access to communication and swallowing care for all Saskatchewan residents.



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Inform

Advancing Knowledge and Professional Excellence: SAC empowers members with knowledge, tools, and learning opportunities. Through webinars, resources, position papers, and national publications, we support clinical excellence and lifelong professional growth.



Online Learning

Beyond bringing our community together in person, SAC continued to support members' professional growth through a range of online learning opportunities.

Webinars

"I just want to say that the recent SAC webinars have been strong and worth my time. I really appreciate being able to take both live and recorded training as part of my membership fees."



Webinars hosted:

3 in speech-language pathology

- AI and SLP: Friend or Foe? Exploring the Use of Artificial Intelligence in Speech Language Pathology, presented by Deidre Sperry, MSc, S-LP Reg. CASLPO & Qamar Halat, MSc, S-LP(C), Reg. CASLPO ☉
- Literacy Champions: The Role of SLPs in Language, Literacy and Mental Health, presented by Vibhuti Jethava, MHSc, Reg. CASLPO, S-LP(C) ☉
- Navigating New Frontiers, presented by Emma Power, PhD, BAppSc (Hons1, University Medal), CPSP FSPAA ☉

4 in audiology

- Congenital CMV: What Families Need You To Know, presented by Kayla McNally & Lisa Robinson, MSLP, R.SLP, S-LP(C) ☉
- Fostering Person-Centred, Adaptable Care through Virtual Hearing Services, presented by Danielle Glista, PhD ☉
- Update on Infant Hearing Health Services in Canada: 2024 Report Card, Presented by Marlene Bagatto, AuD, PhD ☉
- WSIB's Hearing Service Program, presented by Titi Fayoda and Kristen Count ☉



In 2024, SAC hosted **7 webinars**, offering valuable accessible learning to our members.

600

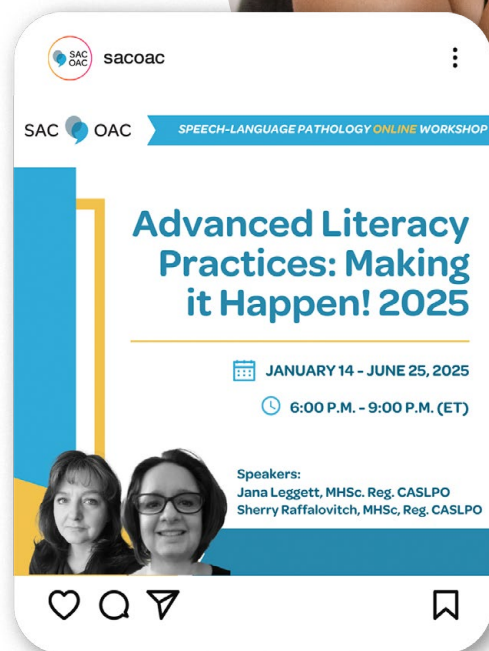
Close to **600 attendees** participated in these webinars, gaining insights into the latest advancements and best practices in the field.

Virtual Workshops

Advanced Literacy Practices Course

"Thank you for this workshop, it was really helpful and these online options for continuing education are very valuable."

The **Advanced Literacy Practices Course** offered valuable, accessible professional development for our members, emphasizing continued education in a flexible, online format.



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Total Registrants

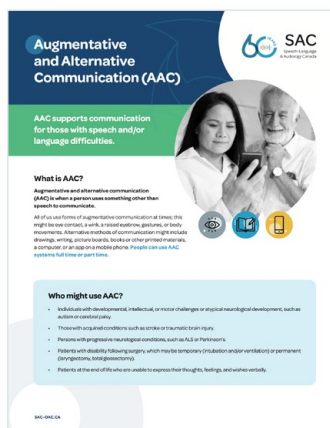


Knowledge Hub

Alongside our learning opportunities, SAC supported evidence-informed practice by developing and sharing a range of professional resources.

Professional Resources

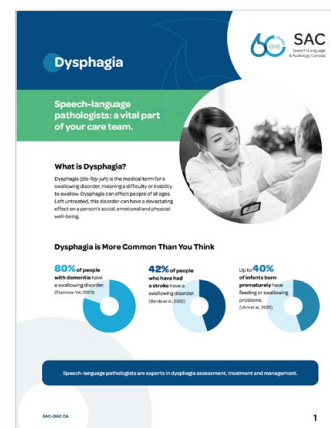
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Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) ②



Childhood Apraxia of Speech (updated) ②

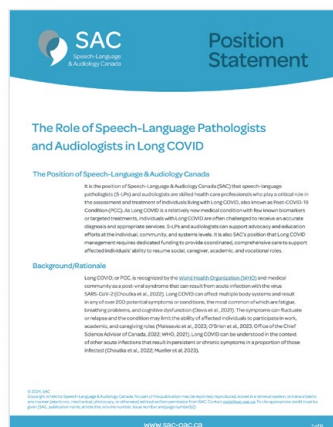


Dysphagia (updated) ②



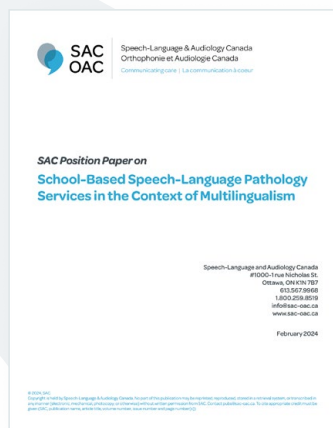
Vestibular Disorders ②

1 Position Statement



The Role of Speech-Language Pathologists and Audiologists in Long COVID ①

1 Position Paper



School-Based Speech-Language Pathology Services in the Context of Multilingualism ①

2 Official Statements



ASHA's Feeding and Swallowing Milestones ②



Developmental Milestones for Communication (Hearing, Speech, and Language) ②

2 Toolkits

Dysphagia Resource Collection ②

Team Primary Care ②



Team Primary Care

SAC, in collaboration with [Western University, Faculty of Health Sciences, School of Communication Sciences and Disorders](#), the [National Centre for Audiology](#) and a grant issued by the [College of Family Physicians of Canada, Foundations for Advancing Family Medicine](#), and the [Canadian Health Workforce Network](#), developed course modules designed to educate and train professionals to work in Comprehensive Interprofessional Primary Healthcare teams and the importance of communication access in healthcare.

4 Modules

- [Audiologists as Part of Team-Based Primary Care](#) ⓘ
- [Speech-Language Pathologists as Part of Team-Based Primary Care](#) ⓘ
- [Fostering Effective and Accessible Communication in Team-Based Primary Care](#) ⓘ
- [Foundations of Team-Based Primary Care](#) ⓘ



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Engage

Building a Strong, Inclusive Community: SAC is more than an association - we are a vibrant, diverse community dedicated to connection, leadership, and celebration. In 2024, we prioritized member engagement, volunteer leadership, and milestone celebrations.

The 2024 SAC Conference: Celebrating 60 Years

In May, nearly 500 attendees joined us in Vancouver, B.C., for SAC's 60th anniversary, our first joint in-person conference in years!

From reconnecting with colleagues, to reflecting on the rich history of our professions, and charting a course for the future of communication health in Canada, the 2024 SAC Conference was a powerful reminder of the strength and spirit of our community. After years apart, it felt good to be back.

"The SAC conference has exceeded my expectations once again for both clinical content and networking - thank you SAC!"



"I attended my first SAC conference as a student in 1988. I was in awe of all the great professionals I saw and how passionate they were about their clients. This was my last SAC conference before I retire. Although many things have changed in our professions over the last 36 years, the dedication and passion of our members is still amazing!"



A heartfelt thank you to all our sponsors and exhibitors, your support helped to make this event a resounding success.

Sponsors



Exhibitors



"I came away with ideas and knowledge that changed my clinical practice. I was able to implement these ideas with the students I worked with the following Monday."

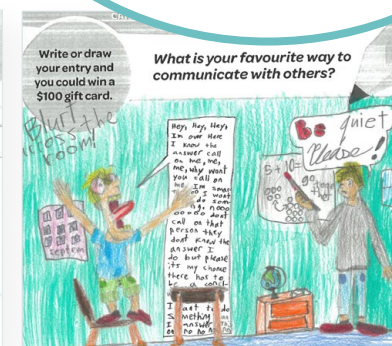
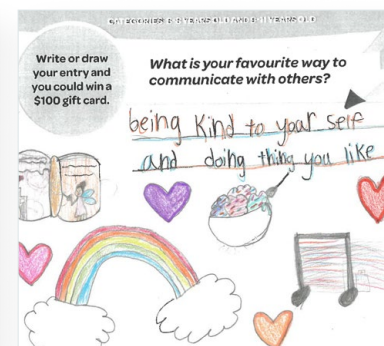


Speech & Hearing Month

2024's Speech & Hearing Month theme was "Communication Is...", spotlighting the critical role communication plays in daily life and our members' role in ensuring communication access for all.



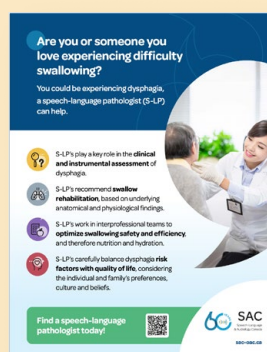
to the Kids' Contest



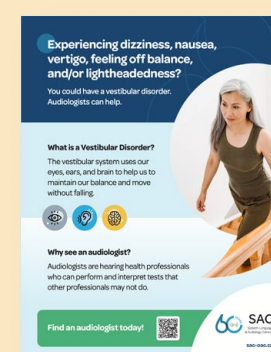
3 Posters



Communication Is... ⓘ



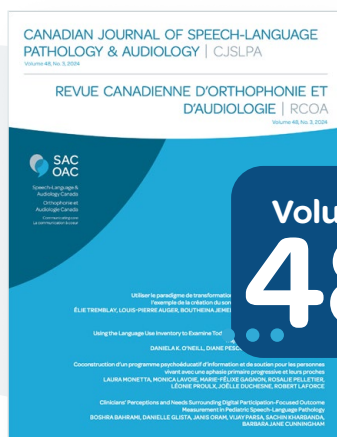
Dysphagia ⓘ



Vestibular Disorders ⓘ

Canadian Journal of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (CJSLPA)

The **Canadian Journal of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (CJSLPA)** is a peer-reviewed, online journal of clinical practice for audiologists, S-LPs, and researchers. It is the only bilingual journal of its kind globally, made possible by SAC.



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Shining Lights Podcast

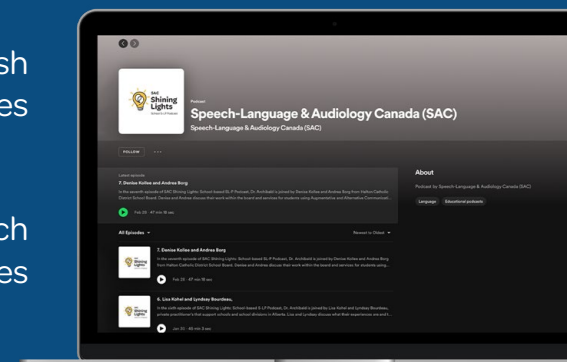
Hosted by Lisa Archibald and Chantal Mayer-Crittenden, the podcast provides valuable insights into school-based speech-language pathology.



5,000+
Total listens

9 English
episodes

3 French
episodes



Awards, Scholarships, & Grants

At SAC, we believe in recognizing excellence and investing in the future. Through our awards, scholarships, and grants, we honour outstanding professionals, support student success, and drive innovation in communication health research.

2023-2024 Scholarships



113

Applications

28

Scholarships



\$35,750

Total scholarship amounts awarded

By investing in education, SAC strengthens the future of the professions and the quality of care for Canadians.



2023-2024 Scholarship Impact Report ②

Scholarship Funders



Elks & Royal Purple
Fund for Children



Presented on behalf of
Maria Scaringi

The Beach Family

Awards & Recognition Program

Each year, SAC celebrates outstanding members who inspire excellence in the professions. We are proud to honour the leaders, innovators, and mentors who make a lasting impact on communication health in Canada.



Eve Kassirer Lifetime Achievement Award

Maria Scaringi, MS, SLP(C), Reg. CASLPO, RRP, CCC-SLP, CCLCP™, CI, ICCCP(F)



Speech-Language Pathologist of the Year

Jana Leggett, MHSc., SLP(C)

Clinical Research Grant Recipients

Through SAC's Clinical Research Grant Program, we support innovative research projects that advance evidence-based practice in communication health.



Amanda Adsett

Characterizing Swallowing Physiology in Infants with Laryngomalacia: A Quantitative Videofluoroscopic Analysis



Janine Fitzpatrick

How effective is a group voice therapy model for delivery of Conversation Training Therapy (CTT)?

Thank You

In 2024, more than 150 members generously shared their time, expertise, and passion to help drive our work forward. Our volunteers are the heart of SAC – shaping resources, programs, and initiatives that support communication health across Canada. We are deeply grateful for their commitment and leadership. Our success would not be possible without them.

- Acquired Brain Injury Special Interest Group Chair
- Audiology CETP Exam Item Writers Working Group
- Audiology CETP Exam Validation Committee
- Audiology Over the Counter Hearing Aids Ad Hoc Committee
- Audiology Private Practice Working Group
- Awards & Recognition Committee
- Clinical Research Grants Committee
- EDIA Committee
- Multicultural, Multilingual Special Interest Group Co-Chairs
- Nominations Committee
- Regional Advisory Committee -SK
- Regional Advisory Committee-AB
- SAC-Ontario OSLA Committee
- Scholarships Committee

- School-Based Speech, Language, & Hearing Milestones Ad Hoc Committee
- School-Based Speech-Language Pathology Services in the Context of Multilingualism Ad Hoc Committee
- School Services Special Interest Group Co-Chairs
- S-LP CETP Exam Item Writers Working Group
- S-LP CETP Exam Validation Committee
- S-LP Private Practice Working Group
- Speech-Language Pathologists in School-Based Literacy Ad Hoc Committee
- Speech-Language Pathology Scope of Practice Working Group
- The Audiologist's Role in the Evaluation and Intervention of Tinnitus Ad Hoc Committee
- The Role of Speech-Language Pathologists and Audiologists in Long COVID Ad Hoc Committee
- Virtual School Services Symposium Working Group

Board of Directors



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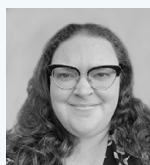


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Thank you to our 2024-2025 Board of Directors
for their leadership over this past year.



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Director-Student
Kira Rosenbloom, S-LP
Student, University of Toronto

Thank you for Being Part of Our Story in 2024

Whether you're a member or associate, partner, student, or supporter - your contributions move our mission forward. This past year, your engagement helped us advocate for change, promote the professions, and improve communication health for people across Canada.

As we look to the future, we invite you to stay engaged, bring your voice to SAC, and continue shaping the future of communication health in Canada.

Let's Keep Building Together

Looking for meaningful ways to stay connected or support our work? Here's how you can an impact:

- **Sponsor** SAC's events, webinars and conferences.
- **Advertise** in SAC's digital platforms and publications.
- **Support** scholarships, awards, and research grants.
- **Collaborate** on public awareness campaigns, including Speech & Hearing Month.



Together we can strengthen communication health across Canada. Contact pubs@sac-oac.ca to explore partnership opportunities.