

# Communicative Sciences and Disorders (CSD)

Carver Complex North, Rm 104

#### Dear Sir/Madam:

Thank you for your interest in choosing Alabama A&M University, *Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic* for speech-language services. We are conveniently located on Alabama A&M University's main campus in Carver Complex North, room 104. Attached is the *Client Manual* which has a number of important forms that need to be completed in preparation for the evaluation and remediation process. Please send completed forms to:

Alabama A&M University
Attn: Esther Phillips-Embden
Communicative Sciences and Disorders
PO BOX 357
Normal, AL 35762
<a href="mailto:esther.phillips@aamu.edu">esther.phillips@aamu.edu</a>
256-372-4055 (fax)

Completed client forms can also be scanned and or faxed to the clinic via the above email address and fax number. These forms must be received as soon as possible as the AAMU CSD Clinic is a 'free' clinic with a current waiting list. If you have further questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me via my direct line-372-4044.

Sincerely,

Esther Phillips-Embden

Esther Phillips-Embden MA,CCC/SLP/L Assistant Professor/Director of Clinical Services Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic Alabama A&M University



# ALABAMA A & M UNIVERSITY Communicative Sciences & Disorders Clinic (CSD) (Carver Complex North 104)

# **CLIENT HANDBOOK**

2022-2023

Alabama A & M University (the University) recognizes that the best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to COVID-19. The University will take proactive steps to decrease the spread of COVID-19 and reduce its impact upon its faculty, staff, and visitors. To aid in this endeavor, the University encourages sick individuals to stay at home, identifying where and how they may be exposed to COVID-19 and taking steps to reduce those potential exposures.

Masks and social distancing will be required in the clinic until otherwise noted.

We are proud to be an ASHA-Accredited Program!



We are accredited by the Council for Academic Accreditation (CAA) in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA).

To Contact ASHA:
2200 Research Boulevard
Rockville, MD 20850
1-800-498-2071 or http://www.asha.org

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#### STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Alabama A&M University Communicative Sciences and Disorders (CSD) Clinic is a training clinic that is currently free to the public. Our clinic provides hands-on training for graduate and undergraduate students as they progress through the CSD program, learning to apply information gained in the classroom. All students are supervised by ASHA-certified (national) and ABESPA licensed faculty. As AAMU CSD student-clinicians develop clinical skills, they are placed in a position to serve the speech-, language-, and hearing needs of individuals in our community and enhance the effectiveness and quality of communication.

#### SHARED COMMITMENTS

AAMU CSD Program/Clinic will . . .

- 1. Prepare quality professionals who will be employed in both the public and private sectors (e.g., hospitals, schools, nursing homes) emphasizing transdisciplinary experiences with physicians, nurses, social workers, case managers, teachers, psychologists, and other specialists in health care fields,
- 2. Provide quality speech-, language-, and hearing clinical services to clients at Alabama A & M University and its surrounding communities,
- Disseminate information regarding speech, language, and hearing behaviors through research and collaborative scholarly activities (e.g., presentations, consultations, and publications), and
- 4. Provide community service programs focusing on awareness, education, and prevention of speech-, language-, and hearing disorders.

#### **CLINICAL SERVICES**

Clinical services are provided by both undergraduate and graduate students in the Communicative Sciences and Disorders program while being supervised by nationally certified clinical faculty. (i.e., faculty who hold the Certificate of Clinical Competency from ASHA).

Specific services offered by the *Alabama A & M University Communicative Sciences and Disorders (CSD) Clinic* include the diagnostic evaluation and remediation/treatment of speech-language-, and hearing disorders. Prior to enrollment in any of the therapy programs, a current speech and language evaluation must be completed, as well as a hearing screening. Clients with vocal/voice concerns may be required to have a physician's written referral. If a prior evaluation has been completed by another speech-language pathologist/audiologist, the client or guardian may request that the evaluation records be released to AAMU CSD Clinic. However, an evaluation will be administered for all new and returning clients. In addition, each client, (or guardian), must complete and sign the appropriate forms, which include:

- 1. Case history form,
- 2. Authorization for video/audio taping, and student observations and chart review for educational purposes,
- 3. Authorization for release of information TO another agency or physician (if applicable), and
- 4. Authorization for release of information FROM another agency or physician (if applicable).
- Consent for Clinical Services form

Therapy will not be initiated until these forms have been completed and received. These forms can be located on-line under "client forms and manuals", at <a href="http://www.aamu.edu/csd/csdclinic.aspx">http://www.aamu.edu/csd/csdclinic.aspx</a> and in appendix A of this document.

#### **EVALUATION**

The evaluation of the client's communication skills addresses . . .

- 1. The ability to understand and produce language—may include literacy components,
- 2. The ability to produce speech sounds,
- 3. Voice characteristics,
- 4. Speech fluency,
- 5. Oral-motor structures and functions, and
- 6. Auditory (hearing) skills.

Following the evaluation, recommendations may include enrollment for therapy, referral to another professional agency, or a re-evaluation at a later date.

#### **SERVICE PROVISION POLICIES**

Services are provided to clients of all ages. No client will be refused services on the basis of race, gender, ethnic origin, or religion. This policy is in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and other current regulations that safeguard against discrimination. The Alabama A & M University CSD Clinic reserves the right to refuse services to clients who may be considered inappropriate candidates in this clinical setting.

The Alabama A & M University Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic serves the educational and training needs of students. In order for the student clinicians to better

understand the nature of a client's communication disorder, digital recordings may be performed. These media are considered confidential and are solely for the purpose of education. They will be used only by student clinicians, clinical faculty, and clients. The client or guardian must sign an *Authorization for video/audio taping for educational purposes* form to allow these services to be performed. Occasionally, clients may be requested to participate in ongoing research. Such participation is formally requested, and proceeds only with the client's or guardian's consent.

#### **CONFERENCES**

Conferences with the family will be scheduled periodically. These conferences usually take place at the beginning and end of the semester. However, a client or family may request a conference at any time by contacting the client's faculty clinical supervisor.

#### PERIODIC RE-EVALUATIONS

Periodic re-evaluations will be performed throughout the therapy process to continually assess speech-, language-, and hearing skills. This allows for assessment of progress and the planning and development of future therapy goals.

#### **OBSERVATION**

Observation of diagnostic and therapy procedures is available to the client's family members in the AAMU CSD observation suites. To prevent client distraction, it is preferred that the family does not sit in the therapy room during a diagnostic or therapy session. In this educational/training environment, sessions may be observed by other students in training. All observers will be required to sign a *Confidentiality Statement* to satisfy state HIPAA requirements.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY OF RECORDS

A clinic/working folder is maintained for all clients seen at the Alabama A & M University CSD Clinic. Included in this folder are diagnostic findings/reports, therapy reports, case history information, consent forms, as well as other pertinent information. This information is considered confidential. Access to the folder is granted to client's family members, supervising faculty, and student clinicians working directly with the client.

When specifically requested in writing per designated clinic form (one form per request), the clinic will supply relevant information to specified entities such as physicians, schools, or other professionals.

A permanent record is kept for each client of activities in this clinic. No information which could potentially identify the client leaves the clinic. All such information is carefully guarded within the clinic. For more details, contact your faculty supervisor.

#### WAITING ROOM

The waiting room is for families of the clients enrolled in clinical services. <u>Donations of books</u>, <u>magazines</u>, <u>and toys are greatly appreciated</u>. Parents are asked to please keep the waiting area clean by returning items to designated areas/places when leaving the clinic. Children are to be supervised at all times. The AAMU CSD Clinic is a "No Smoking/Vaping" zone.

#### **ATTENDANCE**

Most clients are seen twice per week for 50-minute sessions. Therapy is most effective when attendance is regular. It is important that every effort be made to be present for ALL scheduled therapy sessions and to arrive on time. THREE absences in a semester or TWO consecutive absences could result in dismissal from therapy for the remainder of the semester. Extenuating circumstances may allow for exceptions at the discretion of the supervisor.

Upon dismissal from the program for absences, the client will be expected to call to request being placed back on the waiting list for the following semester. We begin taking clients for the upcoming semester approximately 1 month before the close of the current semester.

Fall semester – call in July Spring semester – call in November Summer semester – call in April

If you must be absent for any reason, please contact the clinical supervisor(s) -- Ms. Phillips-Embden, 372-4044; Mrs. Dalaina Horton, 372-4124; or The clinic secretary, Ms. Shawn Pair, 372-5541--as soon as you know that you will not be able to attend. If the above individuals are unavailable, please leave a voice mail message.

#### **CLINIC FEES**

The AAMU CSD Clinic is a free clinic. Clients selected to receive services clients will be notified. It will be important for all clients to attend clinic sessions on a regular schedule (void of non-emergency absences) to avoid being placed on the waiting list as outlined in this Client Handbook. Clients may be asked to pay for specialized equipment and devices used specifically for their specified communication needs.

#### GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE AND POLICY

The clinical faculty welcomes any comments or suggestions that may prove beneficial to the client during the diagnostic or therapy process. Complaints related to clinical services should be directed to the Clinic Director, Ms. Phillips-Embden.

#### **PARKING**

All clients are required to request an CSD Clinic Parking Pass from the secretary, Nicky, during the first week of service. All clients must display the parking pass in the windshield or rearview mirror of their vehicle. The parking pass will expire at the end of each semester. New parking passes are issued in the beginning of each semester. Clients are permitted to park in the lots adjacent to either clinic (CCN, CCE, and CCS). Parking is permitted in spaces designated for CSD Patient Parking and in UN-NUMBERED faculty/staff parking spaces ONLY.

#### TRANSPORTATION

Clients needing transportation to the AAMU CSD Clinic may make arrangements through Handi Ride. There is an application process/fee and not all applicants will qualify. If you desire to inquire about the services Handi Ride provides, they may be contacted at 256-427-6857 (scheduling) or 256-532-RIDE

#### POLICY FOR CLIENT/CLINIC SAFETY/GUARDIANSHIP

To ensure the safety, security, and well-being of clients served in the AAMU CSD Clinic, guardians of minor children and medical guardians of adults must sign a 'consent to treat form' on behalf of the client, before services are rendered. All clients will be accompanied to and from therapy sessions by their assigned student clinician or supervisor. Specifically, upon completion of therapy sessions, clients are to be escorted to the lobby or other waiting areas and/or returned to the care of their responsible party, unless the client is able to legally operate independently (i.e. drive/UBER/bus and attend therapy appointments independently). Medical guardians of unaccompanied adult clients, upon signing the *Consent to Treat* form, waive all liabilities if such clients leave the AAMU CSD Clinic voluntarily. The AAMU CSD Clinic will attempt to contact the guardian if the latter occurs.

In the event that a client's safety is in question, The AAMU CSD Clinic reserves the right to request that a caregiver accompanies the client to services and remain on AAMU CSD Clinic premises while the client receives services. If the CSD Clinic faculty/staff feel that a client's safety may be in jeopardy, the following actions should be taken:

- Notify AAMU Police Department/Public Safety of the current situation (5555)
- Alert Clinical Director/Clinical Supervisors to assist with the situation (4044/4035)
- Alert the client's responsible party
- Complete a formal incident report

#### POLICY FOR COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

In the attempt to control the transmission of the communicable diseases listed below, the following policy will be adhered to in the Alabama A&M CSD Clinic:

#### **DISEASE/VIRUS**

COVID-19

#### MINIMUM PERIOD OF ISOLATION OF THE CHILD

If individuals are not exhibiting signs or symptoms of COVID19, they may be permitted to enter the clinic for speech, language and hearing services. Temperatures will be taken upon entry to the clinic. The use of masks is required. If individuals have been exposed to someone with COVID or themselves have signs and symptoms of COVID, such individuals will be asked not to visit the clinic until they have been guarantined for the recommended period.

Who needs to quarantine? People who have been in close contact with someone who has COVID-19—excluding people who have had COVID-19 within the past 3 months or who are fully vaccinated.

- People who have tested positive for COVID-19 within the past three
   (3) months and recovered do not have to quarantine or get tested again as long as they do not develop new symptoms.
- People who develop symptoms again within three (3) months of their first bout of COVID-19 may need to be tested again if there is no other cause identified for their symptoms.
- People who have been in close contact with someone who has COVID-19 are not required to quarantine if they have been <u>fully</u> vaccinated against the disease and show no symptoms.

#### What counts as close contact?

- You were within six (6) feet of someone who has COVID-19 for a total of 15 minutes or more
- You provided care at home to someone who is sick with COVID-19
- You had direct physical contact with the person (hugged or kissed them)
- You shared eating or drinking utensils
- They sneezed, coughed, or somehow got respiratory droplets on you. <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/quarantine.html">https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/quarantine.html</a>

#### Chicken Pox (varicella)

Individual must remain at home until all lesions are crusted and dry. Susceptible child exposed to chicken pox will be excluded from the 10th through the 21st day after exposure. Anyone who has received V12G will be excluded for 28 days.

Conjunctivitis (Pinkeye)

Individual must remain home until 24 hours after treatment (antibiotic eye drops) is initiated.

German Measles

Individual must remain at home for at least five (5) days after onset of rash. Susceptible child will be excluded from the 7th to the 21st day after exposure.

Impetigo

Individual must remain at home until 24 hours after treatment is initiated.

Influenza

Individual must remain home until no fever is detected for 24 hours.

Lice (Pediculosis)

Individual must remain at home until the morning after treatment.

Measles (Rubella)

Individual must remain at home for four (4) days after the appearance of rash. Susceptible child will be excluded from the 5<sup>th</sup> exposure.

Mumps swelling.

Individual must remain at home for nine (9) days after onset of

Susceptible person will be excluded from the 12th to the 26th day after exposure.

**Scables** 

Individual must remain at home until treatment has been completed.

Streptococcus (strep)

Individual must remain home until 24 hours after the first dose of antibiotics is given and be free of fever.

REFERENCE: <u>Isolation and Quarantine Regulations</u>

Published by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Division of Communicable Disease, March, 1992. Report of the Committee on Infectious Diseases, American Academy of Pediatrics, 1991; Kidshealth, 2002; State of New york Department of Heath, 2008.

We wish you the best possible success here in the clinic. Together, we can make a difference!



# CONFIDENTIALITY STATEMENT Client Handbook

(including anything obse	ation regarding clients and or stu erved in the clinic, and information clinicians) is to be held strictly cor	n heard re: other families, clients,
Printed Name	Signature	Today's Date
***Please sign and submit	this document to the Program Secr	etary, during initial visit to the clinic.

#### **APPENDIX A**

#### AAMU CSD CLIENT CLINIC FORMS

- 1. Child Case History Form
- 2. Adult Case History Form
- 3. Attendance Contract
- 4. Consent for Clinical Services
- 5. Authorization form Release of Information to Another Agency or Physician
- 6. Authorization form Release of information from Another Agency or Physician
- 7. Authorization form Video/Digital Recording for Educational Purposes

#### **Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic**

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#### **CASE HISTORY FORM – CHILD**

#### IDENTIFYING INFORMATION/SOCIAL/EDUCATONAL HISTORY

Child's Name			Sex	
Birthdate	Age	Today's Date		<del></del>
Name by which your child is called		Ha		(airala)
Address:				(circle)
City	State	_ Zip	_ Cell phone	
Guardian/Parents: Name	Age	Occupation	Education	Work #
Father				
Mother				
Guardian				
If address of either parent/guardian	is different from t	hat of child, please	e indicate:	
Email Address:				
*Primary language spoken in the ho	ome?			
Is the child adopted? ye	esno	If so, at what ag	ge?	
List children, in order of birth: Name	Sex	Age Grade/S	School	
Do any siblings have any speech o Specify				
Who referred you to the AAMU Spe				
Address (if professional)				
Child's Doctor: Name				
Address of Dr Do you want a copy of our report(s			☐ no	
To what other professional person( professionals and addresses:	s) or agency (ies)	do you want a rep	ort sent? Please includ	e names of

## COMMUNICATON/MEDICAL HISTORY STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM

Describe in your own words what problem(s) the child/minor is/are having with speech, language, and/or hearing.
Why do you want your child evaluated by the AAMU Speech and Hearing Clinic?
When the problem was first noticed?
Who first noticed the problem?
What reactions does the child, parent, siblings, relatives, and/or friends have towards the problem?
What things have been utilized to aid your child's speech?
If the child's speech varies, under what circumstances does it become:
Better:
Worse:
Have professional advice been sought about your child's speech, language, and/or hearing problem before?
Evaluation Therapy When?
Whom did you see?
Length of therapy
Results
What recommendations were made?
What has been done since then?
How does your child feel about his/her speaking ability?
Has your child ever been diagnosed as a "poor reader"? ☐ yes ☐ no
By whom was the diagnosis made?
Check the items that your child seems to do more than other children the same age:  1. Avoids speaking at school.  2. Avoids speaking in play situations.  3. Avoids speaking at home.  4. Avoids speaking to children (male, female).  5. Avoids speaking to adults (male, female).  6. Avoids saying certain words. (List)  7. Cries when unable to communicate.  8. Becomes aggressive when unable to communicate.

#### Case History Form - Child - page 3

#### GENERAL DEVELOPMENTAL HISTORY

Was this your first pregnancy?	u yes	no no
If not, how many pregnancies have you had? Which pre	-	
Any medical problems prior to this pregnancy?  If so, please describe:	☐ yes	☐ no
Did you have an illness during pregnancy?	□yes	no no
If so, please explain:		
Did you have to take medication during pregnancy?	☐ yes	□ no
If so, what medications?	<b>,</b>	
Did your baby come more than two weeks early?	☐ yes	<b>□</b> no
Did your baby come more than two weeks late?	☐ yes	☐ no
Was labor longer than 24 hours?	☐ yes	☐ no
Was the birth by Cesarean?	☐ yes	□no
Were forceps used during the birth?	□ yes	no
Birth weight pounds, ounces	_ ,00	
Did your baby have trouble in the hospital?	☐ yes	<b>□</b> no
	•	g problems
blue spell yellow jaundice infection diagnosed		transfusion
Other:	·	
How long were mother and child in the hospital?		
Physician's Name Hospital		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Did you bottle feed your baby?	uges yes	☐ no
Did your baby cry more than average?	yes	<b>□</b> no
Did your baby spit a lot?	□yes	☐ no
Did your baby have any feeding problems?	yes	<b>□</b> no
Did your baby have nasal stuffiness?	yes	☐ no
Did your baby have rattling when breathing?	☐ yes	<b>□</b> no
Did your have any major concerns in the first three months of	•	
your baby's life?	☐ yes	☐ no
Circa area at which the fallowing first account d		
Give ages at which the following first occurred:	Dooghad for ab	ioata
Held head up Crawled Stood Walked unaided		jects
First tooth Bladder trained	 Bowel trained	
Pladdor trained	Bower trained	
SPEECH AND LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT		
D: 1		
Did your child make babbling or cooing sounds during the first 6	months? □yes	□no
At what age did your child say his/her first word?		
What were the child's first words?		
Did your child keep adding words once he/she started talking?	☐ yes	□ no
At what age did your child begin using 2- and 3-word sentences' Examples		
Does your child talk frequently? occasionally? Does your child prefer to talk? gesture?	never?	
Does your child most frequently use sounds?	_ Doth talk and gest	ure:
Does your child most frequently use sounds? single w 3-word sentences		

#### Case History Form - Child - page 4

Does your child make sounds inco	•		□yes	□no	
Does your child hesitate, "get stuc If so, describe.			ls? ☐ yes	□ no	
Describe any recent changes in yo	our child's spe	ech:			_
Can your child say a nursery rhym	ie?		☐ yes	☐ no	
Can your child tell a simple story?			☐ yes		
How well can your child be unders	stand by his/he	r parents?	•		
Siblings? Relatives?		Strangers?			
Dogg your shild understand what y	vou oov to him	/b o r ?	Пусс	Ппо	
Does your child understand what y	-	riei !	•	□ no	
Can he/she follow simple commar			☐ yes		
Will he/she get common objects w			ug yes		
Does your child have trouble reme If so, when does this seem to hap			□yes	⊔no	
Does your child use any books or	games?		yes	□no	_
How often do you read to your chil	ld?				
BEHAVIORAL INFORMATION					
Check these as they apply to your		F .1.2			
F= 2	Yes No	Explain: give ages, if po	ssible		
Eating problems					
Sleeping problems					
Ear infections		_			
Toilet training problems		_			
Difficulty concentrating		_			
Needed a lot of discipline		_			
Underactive		_			
Excitable		_			
Laughs easily		_			
Cried a lot		_			
Difficult to manage					
Overactive					
Sensitive		_			
Personality problem					
Gets along with children		_			
Gets along with adults					
Emotional Stove with an activity	+ +				
Stays with an activity	+				
Makes friends easily		_			
Happy Irritable	+ + -				
Prefers to play alone					
Describe any other type of behavior	or you conside	r to be a problem:			
*Describe and indicate prescribed	and over-the-	counter medications taken	by the clie	nt.	

#### Case History Form – Child – page 5

#### **EDUCATIONAL HISTORY**

Does your child perform Uhat are your child's best s		below avera	ge or □above average on work in	school?	
What are your child's poore					
Does your child receive any			at school?	1	
If so, describe:	L. O				<del></del>
Has he/she repeated a grad If so, which one(s)?	ie?		□yes □ no		
What is your impression of	your child's le	arning abilitie	s?		
	,				
			al, and special education services that woften your child was seen in this serv		
MEDICAL HISTORY: DESC	CRIBE YOUR	PRESENT H	HEALTH		
List periods of hospitalization	n or medical t	reatment/sur	geries within the last 5 years:		
Но	spital/City/St	ate	Dates Re	eason	
-					
List all prescription and non	nrescription m	nedication cu	rrently used		
List all prescription and non	prescription	redication cu	Treffing used.		
Has your child had a neurol	ogical examin	ation?	? If so, by whom, when, a	ind where	?
Is there a medical history	of:				
	Yes	No		Yes	No
Allergies			Heart trouble		
Sinus infections			Numbness		
Anemia			Paralysis//paresis		
Asthma			Incoordination of face or tongue		
Broken nose			Influenza		
Bronchitis			Mouth-breathing		
Chronic colds			Mumps		
Chronic laryngitis			Pneumonia		
Chronic ear infections			Tuberculosis		
Cleft palate			Poliomyelitis		
Diabotos	П	П	Soizuros		

#### Case History Form – Child – page 6

Hypertension			Head Injury		
CVA/Stroke			Neurological Conditions		
Chronic Laryngitis			Cancer		
Pneumonia			Cerebral Palsy		
Thyroid Issues			Intellectual deficits		
Facial Nerve Palsy			Emotional/Psychological Issues		
Multiple Sclerosis			Huntington's/Parkinson's		
Voice Issues			Vocal Polyps or Nodules		
Acid Reflux			Psychological counseling		
Diphtheria			Rheumatic fever		
Ear Infection			Scarlet fever		
Glandular imbalance			Tremor/twitching		
Hearing problem			Ulcers		
Hearing aid			Visual problems		
Hormone therapy			Glasses		
Hyperthyroidism			Other		
Emotional difficulty					
OTHER What games and toys does	your child pref	fer?			
How many hours each day of Which programs does he/sh	•		evision?		
Please list what you would o	consider your o	child's favor	ite food(s) and snack food(s).		
To what things/food(s) are y	our child allero	gic?			
What may we use for reinfo	rcement for yo	ur child (i.e	., candy, raisins, stickers, etc.)?		
EMERGENCY CONTACT I	NFORMATION	N			
Name			Relationship to client		
Address			Home phone		
City	State _	Zip	Cell phone		

## Alabama A & M University Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic

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**CASE HISTORY FORM – ADULT** 

#### **IDENTIFYING INFORMATION/SOCIAL/EDUCATIONAL HISTORY**

Name				Sex	Marital Status	
Birthdate	Age Toda	ay's Date _				t
Address:					(circle) Home Phone	
	City S	state	Zip _		Cell phone	
	Email Address:					
Name of Proof of	Guardian Guardianship required				Relationship	
Address:					Home Phone	
	City S	state	Zip _		Cell phone	
	Date of Guardianship:					
	Email Address:					
Name of	alternate contact person				Relationship	
Address:					Home Phone	
	City S	State	Zip _		Cell phone	
Place of	Employment or Previous Employm	ent				
					Home Phone	
	City S	state	Zip _		Cell phone	
Who refe	erred you to the AAMU Speech and	l Hearing Cl	linic?			
	(if professional)					
	of Dr					
	vant a copy of our report(s) sent to			□Yes	□No	
To what	professional person(s) or agency(i	es) do you v	vant a	a report s	sent? Please include names	
of profes	sionals and addresses:					

#### Case History Form – Adult – page 2

Primary language spoken	in the nome:			
lf you speak a language ot	her than English, please st	ate the language _		
List names and ages of pe	rson(s) in your home:			
Name		Age	Relationsh	ip
		<del></del>		
EDUCATION				
School	Location		ad or Degree npleted	Date
	al/City/State	Dates	Reason	
List all prescription and no	nprescription medication cu	urrently used.		
Have you had a neurologic	cal examination? If so, by w	hom, when, and w	here?	
Do you use any of the follo	_			
□Wheelchair □Walker	□Cane □Other □None	9		
Are you able to climb stairs	s: □Yes □No			

Is there a medical history of:

	Yes	No		Yes	No
Allergies			Heart trouble		
Sinus infections			Numbness		
Anemia			Paralysis//paresis		
Asthma			Incoordination of face or tongue	· 🗆	
Broken nose			Influenza		
Bronchitis			Mouth-breathing		
Chronic colds			Mumps		
Chronic laryngitis			Pneumonia		
Chronic ear infections			Tuberculosis		
Cleft palate			Poliomyelitis		
Diabetes			Seizures		
Hypertension			Head Injury		
CVA/Stroke			Neurological Conditions		
Chronic Laryngitis			Cancer		
Pneumonia			Cerebral Palsy		
Thyroid Issues			Intellectual deficits		
Facial Nerve Palsy			Emotional/Psychological Issues		
Multiple Sclerosis			Huntington's/Parkinson's		
Voice Issues			Vocal Polyps or Nodules		
Acid Reflux			Psychological counseling		
Diphtheria			Rheumatic fever		
Ear Infection			Scarlet fever		
Glandular imbalance			Tremor/twitching		
Hearing problem			Ulcers		
Hearing aid			Visual problems		
Hormone therapy			Glasses		
Hyperthyroidism			Other		
Emotional difficulty					
Smoking			Amount Per Day?		
Drinking			Amount Per Day?		
If the answer to any of t these episodes, how se			ves", give the relevant details (e.g., hovodes, etc.)	v freque	ent are

What is your current state of Health? □Excellent □Average-fair □Poor

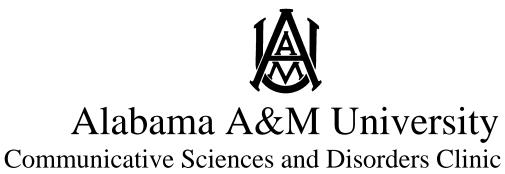
#### **SPEECH-LANGUAGE HISTORY**

Symptom	Never	Sometimes	Frequently
Difficulty expressing thoughts			
Difficulty being understood by others			
Difficulty understanding what others are saying to you			
Orientation/memory			
Problem solving			
Focusing/attention			
Reading/writing			
Finding words			
Maintaining topic of conversation			
Fluent speech (stuttering)			
Following directions			
Oral motor weakness (weakness, difficulty coordinating tongue, cheeks, lips, etc.)			
Voice difficulties			
Difficulty swallowing			
Please describe in your own words the nature of your own words the your own w			
What were the circumstances?			
Have any members of your immediate family have Describe the problem?	hearing or spe	ech problems?	
	affected your	occupation/socia	Il life?
How do you feel your communication problem has			
How do you feel your communication problem has			

In your opinion, If you didn't have a communication problem, how would your life be different?

#### Case History Form – Adult – page 5

Describe the reaction of people, i	ncluding your immediate family, to your cor	mmunication problem.
List any specific communication s	situations that present difficulty for you.	
List any specific communication s	situations that you avoid.	
List interests you have or activitie	es you engage in (clubs, hobbies, organizati	ions, etc.)
What, if anything, have you tried	to do to correct your communication proble	m?
Are you coming to AAMU Speech advice of another person?	n and Hearing Clinic on your own?	Or by the
Have you ever received any prior If so where?	speech, language, or hearing evaluations?	Therapy?
Agency	Agency	
Address	Address	
Dates	Dates	
Results	Results	
	late to the present problem?een in helping with your problem (What hel	ped the most? least?)
	and a section of	
Explain	anged any time?	
List any additional information that	at may be helpful to us in assisting you with	your problem(s).
Allergies, etc.		



#### **Attendance Contract**

Client's Name:	
(Name of guardian if client is a minor)	eave read the AAMU CSD Client Handbook and I ession consistently (aside when ill or in the case of a family
emergency). I agree to attend	the sessions on time. I am aware that if I am absent for
more than three sessions, I ma	ay be placed on the waiting list for the following semester.
I am aware of and agree to abi	de by the rules and regulations developed by and set forth
by the AAMU CSD Clinic while	an active client receiving services.
Date of Contract:	Client/Guardian Signature:(Signature of guardian required if client is under 18 years)
	Clinical Director:
	Esther J.Phillips- Embden MA, CCC/SLP/L



# Consent for Clinical Services Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic CARVER COMPLEX RM 104

I,(self/gua	rdian), hereby give the Alabama A&M
University CSD Clinic permission to screen, eva	luate and treat:
□Self □Minor/ward(s)	
□Minor/ward(s),,,,	
for speech, language, literacy and hearing conce	
For AAMU CDC Clients Only: I understand that the Alabama A&M University Cmy child(ren) to the AAMU CSD Clinic for assess language, literacy treatment is warranted, I here minor/child(ren) to receive these services at the	sment purposes. If in the event speech, by grant permission for my
For AAMU Adult Clients with Guardians Only Medical/full guardians of unaccompanied adult of Clinical Services form, waive all liabilities if such voluntarily. The AAMU CSD Clinic will attempt to occurs.	clients, upon signing the <i>Consent for</i> a clients leave the AAMU CSD Clinic
The following individual(s) is/are permitted to kn (minor/ward) behalf:	ow about services rendered on my
Name	Relation
Name	Relation
Self/Guardian Signature	Date



# **AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION**

#### **TO ANOTHER AGENCY OR PHYSICIAN**

Client's Full Name:	Birthdate:
I,	hereby consent the release of any or all hearing, speech, ag the above-named individual to:
lame/Agency:	
Address:	
	_
Client/Guardian Signature:(Signature of guardian required if client is un	Date: Date:



#### Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic

## AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION FROM ANOTHER AGENCY OR PHYSICIAN

The person named below has requested services from our facility, *Alabama A & M University Communicative Sciences and Disorders (CSD) Clinic.* We understand that this individual has received professional services from you. Kindly forward any hearing, speech, language, medical, psychological, educational, or social records regarding this individual to aid us in better serving this client. Below is written authorization for the release of these records. Please send this information to the following:

#### Alabama A & M University CSD Clinic

Attention: Mrs. Esther Phillips-Embden, Director of Clinical Services
P O Box 357
Normal, AL 35762
esther.phillips@aamu.edu

Thank you for you cooperation.

This will certify that you have my permission to release information to *Alabama A & M Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic* concerning:

(Client	t's full name)	
Name of guardian authorizing release:		
	(Print full name)	
Client/Guardian Signature:(Signature of guardian required if client is under 18 years)	Date:	



# Alabama A&M University Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic

#### **AUTHORIZATION FOR OBSERVATION/DIGITAL RECORDINGS/ PHOTOGRAPHS FOR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES**

Client's Full Name:		Birthdate:		
		versity Communicative Sciences and Disorders Clinic is hereby consent to the following for teaching purposes		
		Live Observation Video/Digital Recording Still/Live photographs		
I require the following exception(s):				
	Clie (Sign	nt/Guardian Signature: ature of guardian required if client is under 18 years)		
	Rela	ationship to Client:		
	Witr	ness:		
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#### Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic REQUEST FOR CLINICAL SERVICES \*SUMMER 2022

#### CLINIC CLOSED

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Client's Name:	DC	DB:	Age:
Spouse's/Parent's Name, if applicable:			
Email address:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip: _	
Phone number: home	work	other	
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Sincerely,

Ms. Esther-Phillips-Embden
Ms. Esther Phillips-Embden MA,
CCC/SLP/L
Clinic Director
esther.phillips@aamu.edu

AAMU Communicative Sciences and
Disorders Clinic

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#### Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic REQUEST FOR CLINICAL SERVICES FALL 2022

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esther.phillips@aamu.edu

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#### Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic REQUEST FOR CLINICAL SERVICES

	<b>SPRING 2023</b>		
Client's Name:	DOB:	A	ge:
Spouse's/Parent's Name, if applicable: _			
Email address:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Phone number: home	work	other	
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# Sincerely, Ms. Esther-Phillips-Embden

Ms. Esther Phillips-Embden MA, CCC/SLP/L, Clinic Director esther.phillips@aamu.edu

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forward to working with you again.

#### Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic REQUEST FOR CLINICAL SERVICES \*SUMMER 2023

Client's Name:	DOB: _	A	ge:
Spouse's/Parent's Name, if applical	ble:		
Email address:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Phone number: home	work	other	
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#### Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic REQUEST FOR CLINICAL SERVICES

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