

7th Annual OSHA Spring Conference

Saturday 4/2/2022, 8:45am – 3:30pm

“Beyond Pronouns” and “Bridging AAC Gaps” in K-12

featuring Jennifer Meyer, Jeanine Brush, Miyoko Petrocelli, & Shelley Watson

OSHA Spring 2022 Course Descriptions

This one-day workshop will focus on two topics relevant to school-age students.

Beyond Pronouns:

Creating Inclusive Environments and Providing Responsive Care for LGBTQIA+ Clients & Families

In this workshop participants will earn 2.5-hours CEU with Jennifer Meyer, who will provide the tools you need to support Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer/Questioning, Intersex and Asexual (LGBTQIA+) students on your caseload and in your schools. With a focus on allyship, you'll leave feeling empowered to align with students and families, challenge exclusive practices and advocate for systemic change. Topics will include:

- Current accepted terminology
- Gender & sexuality-based identities
- Intersection of gender/sexuality and disability
- Complexities faced by students and families in urban & rural communities
- Normalizing diverse family structures
- Diversifying clinical materials
- Becoming an active ally
- Advocating for change

Bridging AAC Gaps:

Assessment, Funding & Training in K-12 Settings

In this workshop participants will earn 2.5-hours CEU with Jeanine Brush, Miyoko Patricelli, and Shelley Watson, who will provide detailed information about the assessment and funding process for obtaining high-tech speech generating devices for children grades K-12. Topics will include:

- AAC in the school setting
- Who benefits from AAC
- AAC assessment, including feature matching and trials with speech generating devices
- Common funding sources for obtaining speech generating devices
- Procedures for preparing funding and submitting requests to third party payors
- How SGDs may be supported in school and home settings

How to Register

Only LIVE Zoom conference offered, individuals must participate via Zoom for synchronous event.

Individual Clinician Registration: **Early Bird registration must be received by Friday March 18th** by the OSHA office. Online registration will remain open **until Friday April 1st**. If you need to register after April 1, 2022 contact the OSHA office at 503-877-2042.

Learning Objectives

Following the **Beyond Pronouns** course (2.50-hr), learners will be able to:

1. Define current relevant terms that promote inclusion.
2. Identify 3 ways to create a more inclusive classroom or clinical environment.
3. Describe three ways to demonstrate allyship to LGBTQIA+ students and families.

Following the **Bridging AAC Gaps** course (2.50-hr), learners will be able to:

1. Describe the various components of the AAC assessment process including:
 - Identify students appropriate for AAC evaluation
 - Complete feature matching per student needs
 - Engage students in communication system & access trials
2. Identify required components of funding reports & describe process for obtaining funding via third party payors
3. Describe initial steps for AAC onboarding and team training

Schedule/Agenda

8:00-8:45am	Participants connect to conference via Zoom
8:45-9:00am	<i>Welcome! Opening Announcements</i>
9:00-10:15	<i>Introduce morning speaker</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Understanding sexuality & gender identity;• Current terminology;• “Coming Out” – the process & how to respond• Being “Out” in urban & rural communities
10:15-10:30	<i>BREAK</i>
10:30-11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Intersecting Identities• Being a catalyst for change;• Active allyship• Q/A
11:45-12:30	<i>45-minute LUNCH</i>
12:30-1:45pm	<i>Welcome Back! Introduce afternoon speakers</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AAC assessment in school setting• Assessment trials (video example)
1:45-2:00	<i>BREAK</i>
2:00-3:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Funding report (template, examples)• Funding process• Team training• Q/A
3:15-3:30pm	<i>Conference wrap-up</i>



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Oregon Speech-Language & Hearing Association

Intermediate Level

0.50 ASHA CEUs

Continuing Education Information

No part-day registration: Only full day registration is available.

ASHA CEU Processing Fee: There is a \$5.00 processing fee for the Oregon Speech-Language & Hearing Association to report your CEUs to ASHA. This fee is charged by OSHA, not ASHA. In order to record your ASHA CEUs, you must include \$5.00 with your registration fee and complete an ASHA Participant form and course evaluation form before completing the conference. These forms will be available on OSHA website and will be processed for those who prepay for CEUs.

ASHA CE Registry Info: An annual ASHA CE Registry fee is required to earn ASHA CEUs. The participant pays ASHA CE Registry fees directly to the ASHA National Office. The annual ASHA CE Registry fee allows registration of an unlimited number of ASHA CEUs for the calendar year. Contact the ASHA CE staff at 800-498-2071 for CE Registry fee subscription and CE Registry eligibility information.

State Licensure Hours: A Certificate of Attendance will be provided at the conclusion of the conference. Retain the certificate for upcoming license renewal with Oregon Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology.

About the Presenters

Jennifer Meyer, M.S., CCC-SLP (she/they) is the Director of Clinical Education at the University of Oregon and Clinical Associate Professor in the Communication Disorders and Sciences program. She is the founder of *Speak Up!*, an interdisciplinary gender affirming communication group, and is active in the promotion of equity and inclusion at the university and in the community. She serves as a founding member of the College of Education Equity and Inclusion Committee and on the Lane County Equity and Access Board. Jen has developed training to support LGBTQIA+ individuals in the practice of Speech Pathology and has presented on this topic locally, statewide, and nationally.

Jeanine Brush, M.S., CCC-SLP (she/her) is a Clinical Associate Professor at the University of Oregon Communication Disorders and Sciences program and the Director of HEDCO Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) Clinic. Jeanine has worked in a variety of medical settings serving both adult and pediatric clients.

Miyoko Patricelli, M.A., CCC-SLP (she/her) is a Clinical Assistant Professor at the University of Oregon Communication Disorders and Sciences program. She has worked as a school-based and medical-based Speech Language Pathologist in addition to serving as the hospital representative for the Pediatric Rehab Operations Committee within her hospital network. She currently supervises in the HEDCO AAC Clinic and the CDS Coordinator for the Project PANGEA grant (Preparing a New Generation of Early Autism educators).

Shelley Watson, M.A., CCC-SLP (she/her) is a clinical supervisor at the HEDCO AAC Clinic. She has been a school-based Speech-Language Pathologist in the Eugene 4J School District since 2005.

Presenters' Disclosures

Jennifer Meyer Disclosure:

Financial—Received a speaking fee and waived registration fee from OSHA and receives a salary from University of Oregon where they are Director of Clinical Education and a Clinical Associate Professor.

Nonfinancial—No relevant non-financial relationship exists.

Jeanine Brush Disclosure:

Financial— Received a speaking fee and waived registration fee from OSHA and receives a salary from University of Oregon where she is a Clinical Associate Professor.

Nonfinancial—Familial relationship with employee of Tobii Dynavox.

Miyoko Patricelli Disclosure:

Financial—Received a speaking fee and waived registration fee from OSHA and receives a salary from University of Oregon where she is a Clinical Assistant Professor.

Nonfinancial—No relevant non-financial relationship exists.

Shelley Watson Disclosure:

Financial—Received a speaking fee and waived registration fee from OSHA and receives a salary from University of Oregon where she is a Clinical Supervisor.

Nonfinancial—No relevant non-financial relationship exists.

Online registration is open & available at the OSHA website

<https://www.oregonspeechandhearing.org/event-4700503>

To register by paper, please complete the form on last page
and return to the OSHA office.

Early Registration on or before March 18:

\$ 75.00 Professional, OSHA member
\$ 75.00 Professional, Affiliated State member
\$ 90.00 Professional, non-OSHA member
\$ 55.00 SLPA/Paraprofessional, OSHA member
\$ 65.00 SLPA/Paraprofessional, non-OSHA member
\$ 15.00 Student, OSHA/NSSH LA member
\$ 25.00 Student, non-member
\$ 5.00 Optional—ASHA CE Processing Fee
\$ 15.00 Optional—Sponsor a Student

Registration after March 18:

\$ 95.00 Professional, OSHA member
\$ 95.00 Professional, Affiliated State member
\$110.00 Professional, non-OSHA member
\$ 75.00 SLPA/Paraprofessional, OSHA member
\$ 85.00 SLPA/Paraprofessional, OSHA non-member
\$ 25.00 Student, OSHA/NSSH LA member
\$ 35.00 Student, non-member
\$ 5.00 ASHA CE Processing Fee

Additional Policies

Cancellations/Refunds: If OSHA cancels a program, registration fees will be refunded in full. If OSHA reschedules a confirmed program and a registrant can no longer attend, registration fees will be refunded in full. If registrant cancels 48-hours prior to the event (before Thursday 9:00am, March 31, 2022), the registration fee will be refunded, less a \$10 processing fee. To cancel 48-hours in advance, registrants must notify the OSHA office by phone, fax, or email. Registrants that do not attend &/or do not notify the OSHA office before 9:00am Thursday March 31st will not receive a refund.

Complaints: Complaints regarding a continuing education offering should be directed to the OSHA office ([www.OSHAoregon@gmail.com](mailto:OSHAoregon@gmail.com) or 503-877-2042) within 30 days of the event. If the complaint is not satisfactorily resolved, the registrant may petition the OSHA Executive Board at for a full refund of registration fees or another agreed-upon resolution of the complaint at OSHAoregon@gmail.com.

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Pacific Northwest Regional State Association members from
Alaska, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, and Washington!

**Thank you to the
Planning Committee**

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Jessica Carpenter

Sponsorship & Costs

- Conference sponsored by OSHA
- Video streaming provided by University of Oregon
- Contact OSHAoregon@gmail.com about sponsorship information & opportunities!

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Paper Registration Form

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