

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF
SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
BOARD POLICIES**

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Policy #1 Fine Schedule

Reinstatement applicants who have had a period of unlicensed practice are fined as follows:

<u>Months</u>	<u>Fine</u>
0-6	\$500.
7-12	\$1000.
13-18	\$1500.

More than 18 – as determined at the Board’s discretion.

This policy reviewed and adopted at the December 18, 2006 meeting.

Policy #2 PCE Completion

A PCE who has applied for licensure during the time in which he/she has his/her PCE who completes his/her ASHA CCCs is not required to complete the PCE before the license can be issued.

This policy reviewed and adopted at the December 18, 2006 meeting.

Policy #3 Practice Sites

A PCE can add practice sites and work at multiple practice sites as long as he/she has a total of minimum hours as follows:

- thirty five (35) hours if working full-time
- seventeen (17) hours if working part-time

This policy reviewed and adopted at the December 18, 2006 meeting.

Policy #4 Nasoendoscopy

At the March 14, 1996 board meeting, the Board voted that the use of procedures and devise for the purpose of the diagnosis and treatment of speech-language disorders falls within the scope of the practice. It requires adequate training and clearly does not include medical procedures or treatment.

Note: This policy reviewed and adopted at the March 12, 2007 meeting.

Policy #5 Use of Topical Anesthetics

At the October 26, 2009 meeting, the Board voted that Georgia law does not allow SLP's to administer prescription medications; only over the counter medications.

Policy #6 Prosthetics and Orthotics

At the October 26, 2009 meeting the Board voted into policy that Georgia law (OCGA 43-34-191) requires SLP's to be licensed by the Georgia Composite Medical Board in order to fit or place prosthetics and/or orthotics.