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## **SKILLS**

- Good communication skills
- Hard working
- Good interpersonal relationship
- Motivated and self confident
- Creative and enthusiastic
- Problem solving skill

# **LANGUAGES**

- Malayalam
- English
- Tamil

# DIYA ELSA BENNY AUDIOLOGIST/SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST

## **PROFILE**

A rehabilitaive professional with experience in performing diagnostic evaluations, developing individualized treatment plans, and providing therapeutic interventions for clients who are experiencing speech, language, hearing or swallowing difficulties. I have effectively collabortated with multidiciplinary teams to provide high-quality patient care and achieve desired goals. I am passionate about helping patients to reach their clinical goals and can communicate effectively with clients, families and healthcare teams, resulting in better and positive patient outcomes. I look forward to working in an organization promoting evidence-based practices and improved clinical outcomes where I can utilize my existing knowledge and skills and strive for professional advancements.

## **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

 Bachelor of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology (BASLP) 2019 - 2023

Graduated with First class from National Institute of Speech and Hearing (NISH), Trivandrum Kerala in January 2024. Kerala University Of Health Sciences (KUHS)

Higher Secondary 2017 - 2019

Completed Bio-Mathematics with 93% from Catholicate higher secondary school, Pathanamthitta.

Class X 2016 - 2017

Completed Xth with A1 in all subjects from Mary Matha Public School, Pathanamthitta.

Cental Board of Secondary Examination (CBSE).

## **INTERNSHIP TENURE**

- National Institute of Speech and Hearing (NISH), Trivandrum
  - Completed 5 months of internship in both diagnostics (audiological diagnostics and speech diagnostics) and rehabilitation units (Child language disorder unit, Fluency unit, Autism Spectrum Related Disorder unit, Voice care unit, Speech sound disorder unit, Augmentative and Alternative Communication Unit, Adult Acquired Neurogenic disorder unit, Amplification unit and vestibular unit) under clinical supervision.
- Sree Chithra Thirunal Institute of Medical Sciences and Technology (SCTIMST), Trivandrum
  - Completed 2 months internship by administering various test materials, diagnosing acquired neuro communicative disorders, taking swallow assessments and individual therapy cases under supervision.
- National Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (NIPMR), Irinjalakuda, Thrissur
  - Completed 2 months internship by taking individual speech therapy cases under supervision, diagnosing various speech, language and audiological disorders.
- The Centre for Autism and Other Disabilities Rehabilitation Research and Education (CADRRE), Trivandrum

Completed 1 month internship by taking individual and group speech therapy sessions for toddlers and school going age group with ASD under supervision.

## **DECLARATION**

I do hereby declare that the above given information are true to the best of my knowledge. Given an opportunity, I would do my best to prove my capabilities to my profession in your establishments.

## **CLINICAL EXPERTISES**

- Speech and language therapy ( Adults and Pediatrics)
- Assessment and management of Adult Language Disorders, Neurogenic Speech Disorders, Voice Disorders, Fluency and Articulation Disorders. Clinical Counselling
- Audiological evaluation(Pure tone audiometry, Speech audiometry, Tympanometry, Otoacoustic emissions and Auditory brainstem response).
- · Hearing aid trial and Fitting
- Vestibular Assessment (Informal assessment and objective tests like Videonystamography, Rotational test and VEMP).
- Newborn Hearing Screening (AABR, Screening OAE)

#### **CONFERENCES AND WEBINARS**

- As part of academic curriculum Clinical Research done on Parental perception of autism in young children with ASD; agreement in mother's and father's perception with clinical judgement.
- Webinar on 'Communication strategies for adults with CI' on10/08/2020 by cochlear.
- Webinar on 'An overview on the Assessment & Management of Dysphagia' on 30/06/2020 by Holy cross college Tamilnadu
- International Conference on Communication Disorders and Audiological Practices (ICCAP) held on 15/09/2022, 16/09/2022 and 17/09/2022 at National Institute of Speech and Hearing, Trivandrum
- Empower Preconference workshop on Assistive Technology held on 11/08/2023 and 12/08/2023 at National Institute of Speech and Hearing, Trivandrum

## PROFESSIONAL REFERENCE

#### Ms. Veena Mohan

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