



Living Your Potential - All Your Life!

Enabling Full Participation

For People With Developmental Disabilities

Surrey Place Centre Audiology Student Placement

Surrey Place Centre provides specialized clinical services to help children and adults living with developmental disabilities, visual impairments and autism spectrum disorder reach their full potential. Surrey Place Centre offers clinical placement to a student enrolled in a Masters Program in Audiology who has demonstrated an interest in working with infants, children and/or adults living with developmental disabilities. Students will have the opportunity to shadow an experienced audiologist throughout their placement.

AUDIOLOGY STUDENTS WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO:

- Assist with audiological assessments and interventions
- Assist with implementation of aural (re)habilitation programs
- Learn of a wide range of disabilities and challenges related to Down Syndrome, Fragile X, Autism Spectrum Disorder, Cerebral Palsy, hearing, visual, health and aging issues, challenging behaviours, etc.
- Learn of government and community supports for persons with developmental disability
- Improve research and clinical skills
- Work in an interdisciplinary team setting working with physicians, nurses, behavioural therapists, occupational therapists, psychologists, CDAs, speech language pathologists and other disciplines
- Work with clients' caregivers, parents, teachers, residential, respite and day program workers and vocational instructors.
- Learn about issues affecting lives of persons with developmental disabilities from birth to adult

PLACEMENT CRITERIA:

- Demonstrated academic excellence
- Enrolled in Masters-level program in Audiology
- Basic understanding of developmental disabilities or a demonstrated interest in working with persons living with developmental disabilities
- Articulated learning goals for placement
- Statement of Understanding between academic institution and SPC with evidence of WSIB coverage (not covered by SPC)
- French is considered an asset

Application Deadline: October 31st for Summer Placement

Placements Available: 1 placement per year

For more information on Surrey Place Centre and our student placements, please contact the [Student Placement Coordinator at your Institution](#) or visit the [Surrey Place Centre website](#):

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