

 **Speech Language Pathology**  Version 1.0  Scope

 **P389160:** The scope of practice for Speech Pathologists includes the evaluation, diagnosis, treatment, and consultation for patients of all ages with speech, language, cognitive-communication, swallowing, fluency, and/or voice disorders. Speech pathologists refer to and recommend appropriate referrals to physicians, audiologists, other healthcare providers and to educators.

  **Diagnosis and Management (D&M):**

 **P389162:** Evaluation and management of total laryngectomy patients including selection of patients for tracheo-esophageal voice prosthesis

 **P389164:** Evaluation and treatment of patients with tracheostomy one-way speaking valve

 **P389166:** Evaluation and treatment of patients with tracheostomy in-line speaking valve (ventilator patients)

 **P389168:** Provide augmentative and alternative communication (AAC) evaluation and treatment to include speech generating and non-speech generating devices

 **P389170:** Oromyofunctional assessment and treatment

 **P389172:** Evaluation and treatment for irritable larynx syndrome including paradoxical vocal fold dysfunction and chronic cough

 **P389174:** Newborn and pediatric evaluations of swallowing disorders

 **P389176:** Fitness for duty examinations

  **Procedures:**

 **P389178:** Sizing, fitting and inserting tracheo-esophageal voice prosthesis

 **P389180:** Modified Barium Swallow (MBS) study in consultation with Radiology, with adults and/or newborn/pediatric patients

 **P389182:** Fiberoptic endoscopic evaluation of swallow (FEES)

 **P389184:** Flexible videoendoscopy and laryngeal stroboscopy to evaluate and treat voice disorders

 **P389186:** Rigid (oral) endoscopy to evaluate and treat voice disorders

 **P389188:** Laryngeal function studies including acoustic voice analysis using Computerized Speech Lab (CSL)

 **P389190:** Nasometric assessment of velopharyngeal function

  **Other (Facility- or provider-specific privileges only):**