

## Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology

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### General Services Fund Group

#### 4K90 886609 Operating Expenses

FY 2008 Actual	FY 2009 Actual	FY 2010 Actual	FY 2011 Actual	FY 2012 Actual	FY 2013 Adj. Approp.
\$404,790	\$464,973	\$434,199	\$532,324	<b>\$462,476</b>	<b>\$472,260</b>
	14.9%	-6.6%	22.6%	<b>-13.1%</b>	<b>2.1%</b>

**Source:** General Services Fund Group: License fees and other assessments collected by the state's professional and occupational licensing boards

**Legal Basis:** ORC 4753.11 and 4743.05; Section 399.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 153 of the 129th G.A. (originally established by Am. Sub. H.B. 152 of the 120th G.A.)

**Purpose:** This line item is used to pay the Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology's operating expenses, including personal services, supplies, maintenance, and equipment. The Board licenses speech-language pathologists and audiologists and establishes standards for education, preprofessional training, and examination. The Board also sets standards of practice for speech-language pathologists and audiologists, investigates complaints, holds administrative hearings, determines appropriate disciplinary actions, and monitors continuing education compliance.