

Speech and Hearing Professionals Board

Dedicated Purpose Fund Group

4K90 123609 Operating Expenses

FY 2022 Actual	FY 2023 Actual	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Actual	FY 2026 Appropriation	FY 2027 Appropriation
\$650,896	\$662,324	\$621,315	\$621,950	\$649,200	\$665,400
% change	1.8%	-6.2%	0.1%	4.4%	2.5%

Source: Dedicated Purpose Fund Group: License fees and other assessments collected by the state's professional and occupational licensing boards

Legal Basis: R.C. 4747.04, 4753.11, and 4743.05; Section 404.10 of H.B. 96 of the 136th G.A.

Purpose: This line item is used to pay for the State Speech and Hearing Professionals Board's operating expenses, including personal services, supplies, maintenance, and equipment. The Board licenses and regulates speech language pathologists and aides, audiologists, audiology aides, and hearing aid dealers and fitters. It also sets standards of practice, investigates complaints, and approves continuing education requirements.