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Telepractice Resources For Early Intervention Providers - Early Support For Infants and Toddlers (ESIT)

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ESIT Guidance

- ESIT Tri-Stage [Framework](#) for Reentry to In-Person Service Delivery and [Checklist](#)
- [COVID-19 IFSP Review Form](#)
- [Alternate Service Delivery Methods; COVID-19: Virtual Home Visits and Beyond](#)
- [Remote Evaluation and Assessment Tools](#)
- [Guidance Memo #2020-04, June 22, 2020, COVID-19 Extended FRC and Exiting from Services](#)
- [Guidance Memo #2020-03, June 8, 2020: COVID-19 Planning and Waivers](#)
- [Guidance Memo #2020-02: April 17, 2020: Temporary Suspension of In-Person Services](#) Extended
- [Guidance Memo #2020-01: March 19, 2020: Recommended Actions for ESIT Providers](#)
- [ESIT COVID-19 Updates and Questions and Answers](#)

Physical Therapy

Physical Therapy Association of Washington

- [WashingtonTelehealth](#)

American Physical Therapy Association

- [Telehealth](#)

Washington State Department of Health, Health Systems Quality Assurance

- Kris Waidely, Physical Therapy Program Manager, waidely@doh.wa.gov

WA State Licensure Information

- [WAC 246-915-187 Use of telehealth in the practice of physical therapy](#)

PT Interstate Licensure Compact- Practicing across states

- [PT Compact](#) *

- [WA DOH PT Licensure Compact page](#)
- [Map of states participating in PT licensure compact](#)

Speech Language Pathology

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association

- [COVID-19 Updates](#)
- [State-by-state map of SLP telepractice regulations](#)

Washington Speech Language Hearing Association

- [COVID-19 & Telehealth Resources](#) *
- Britni Lundin, Executive Director, office@wslha.org

Washington State Department of Health, Health Systems Quality Assurance

- Kim-Boi Shaddock, Speech Language Pathology Program Manager, kim-boi.shaddock@doh.wa.gov

Statutes [RCW 18.35](#) and rules [WAC 246-828](#) govern the practice of the Board of Hearing and Speech. The scope of practice of Speech-Language Pathologist Assistant is defined in [RCW 18.35.010 \(19\)](#) and the minimum standards of practice is defined in [WAC 246-828-112](#).

WA State Licensure Information

[Department of Health, Office of Health Professions and Facilities, the Board of Hearing and Speech Guideline; Telepractice](#)

SLP Practicing across states

- [ASHA; Serving Students in Other States and Countries](#) *
- [Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology-](#) Interstate Compact will become operational when ten states have enacted ASLP-IC legislation. *

Occupational Therapy

American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA)

- [Info Pertaining to OT in the Era of Coronavirus](#)
- [State-by-state map of OT telepractice regulations](#)
- [COVID-19 Decision Guides](#) *

WA Occupational Therapy Association (WOTA)

- [OT Response to COVID-19](#)

Washington State Department of Health, Health Systems Quality Assurance

- Kathy Weed, Occupational Therapy Program Manager, weed@doh.wa.gov

WA State Licensure Information

- [WAC 246-847-176](#)

OT Practicing across states

- [OT Interstate Licensure Compact](#) *
- The [Occupational Therapy Licensure Compact](#) *

Interpreter Services

[WA State Health Care Authority Interpreter Services](#) *

- [Interpreter Services Newsletter August 2020](#) *

Resources for Families

[ECTA Virtual EI Family Flyer](#) *

[Nat'l Ctr for Hearing Assessment & Management; Teleintervention 101: Families](#) *

[WA State Drive in WiFi Hotspots Location Finder](#) *

Online Training

- [Behavioral Health Institute; Telehealth Resources](#) *
- [Telebehavioral Health 101 Series starting 1.8.21](#) *
- [Telebehavioral Health 201 Series started 10.23.20. Enrollment still open.](#) *
- [Optimizing Telehealth Opportunities and Revenue Capture 12/9/20.](#) *
- [Free Technical Assistance from the Distant Care Project, American Academy of Pediatricians](#) *
- [TeleReflections Video Series](#) *
- [Pediatric Feeding Service Delivery During COVID-19; Early Intervention](#) *
- [Telehealth Recommendations for Dysphagia Management during COVID-19](#) *
- [Routines-Based Intervention and Telepractice](#) *
- [Battelle Developmental Inventory-3 Remote Administration Guidance](#) *
- [Pronto Therapy Group; Telepractice and Early Intervention](#)
- [ASHA free CEUs for SLPs experiencing COVID-related hardship](#)
- [Division for Early Childhood \(DEC\) Resources for COVID Outbreak- lots of great videos and blogposts](#)
- [Nat'l Ctr for Hearing Assessment and Management; Utah State University Teleintervention 101](#)
- [NW Regional Telehealth Resource Center Behavioral Assessment and Intervention via Telehealth for Children with Autism and Related Disorders](#)

- [Barnard Center, UW; Building Relationships while Using Virtual Platforms](#)
- [ECTA telepractice home visiting training videos and other training resources](#)
- [North Carolina Family Infant and Preschool Program; Tele-Practice Infographics](#)
- [APTA free on-line training for PTs](#)
- [DECA Program Use during COVID-19](#)

Brookes Publishing Free Webinars

- [How Providers and Parents Partner Together to Use ASQ®-3 in a Virtual Environment](#)
- [Using ASQ®:SE-2 Effectively with Parents During Virtual Screening Interviews](#)
- [Using AEPSi™ to Engage in Authentic Assessment Virtually](#)
- [TPBA2: Can We Do Assessments Via Zoom?](#)
- [Using PICCOLO™ and HOVRS for “Virtual” Home Visits](#)
- [Child Find: Identifying Children for IDEA Services in a Remote and Virtual Context](#)
- [Strategies for Engaging Parents \(not Children!\) during Tele-intervention](#)
- [Let’s Talk to Parents: Strategies for Remote Parent Counseling and Training](#)

Funding Opportunities

- [Guide to Low-Income and Low Cost Internet Options *](#)
- [Free Cell Phones to Medicaid Recipients *](#)
- [Head Start Connectivity Resources Page HHS Rural Health Care Services Outreach Grant closes 12/8/20 *](#)
- [HHS Rural Health Care Services Outreach Grant closes 12/8/20 *](#)

Reimbursement

WA Office of the Governor

- Telehealth parity [proclamation 20-29 extended](#) to Dec. 7. Requests have been made by several health organizations the extension of this proclamation until Jan. 1, 2021, when the [payment parity law](#) will take effect. *

WA Office of Insurance Commissioner

- [7th Extension of Emergency Order on Telehealth](#)- extended to Dec. 11. *

WA State Health Care Authority

- [Information about novel coronavirus-19](#) for providers, billers and partners *
- [Apple Health \(Medicaid\) telemedicine & telehealth brief *](#)
- [Telehealth Guidance for Apple Health Clients *](#)
- [Telephone-based services during COVID-19](#)
- [Request a Zoom License *](#)
- [Zoom Telehealth FAQ *](#)
- HCA email address for [COVID-19 billing, coding, or telehealth policy questions](#)

Centers for Medicaid and Medicare Services (CMS)

- [CMA Approves WA State’s Request for 1135 Medicaid Waivers 3/19/20](#)
- [Medicaid Telemedicine page *](#)
- [CMS codes for telephone services reimbursement](#)

US Federal Government

U.S. Department of Education

- [Questions and Answers on Providing Services to Children with Disabilities During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 Outbreak](#)
- [FERPA and COVID-19](#)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

- [Telehealth & Coronavirus FAQ *](#)
- [HIPAA and COVID-19 Announcements, Notifications & Guidance](#)
- [Telehealth for Providers *](#)

Other Agencies

Early Childhood Technical Assistance Center (ECTA)

- [Remote Service Delivery and Distance Learning](#)
- [COS Completion When Teams Can’t Meet In Person](#)
- [Remote Screening, Evaluation, and Assessment *](#)
- [Determining Eligibility Remotely. *](#)

WA State Telehealth Collaborative

- [Telehealth Resources *](#)

Northwest Regional Telehealth Resource Center

- Virtual Office Hours: Wednesdays, 11 a.m. PST through Jan. 6, 2021. [Registration link *](#)

Center for Connected Health Policy

- [Overview of WA state Laws and Reimbursement Policies](#)

Public Consulting Group

[Telehealth In Early Intervention IDEA Part C: Resources to Consider During the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency.](#)

Sample Consent for Services Provided Via Telepractice Form

• [Click here for sample Consent for Services form](#)

DMS Documentation

• [Documenting alternative methods of service delivery in the DMS](#)

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