#### Position Description for MSHA Administrative Consultant And Skills Required

#### Skills Required:

- Able to work independently
- Able to work close with members of a voluntary Board of Directors
- Writing and Editing skills
- Conference planning and preparation
- Leadership and Advocacy

## Current Job Responsibilities:

### Writing and Editing

- a. Write, produce, and edit the quarterly newsletter et cetera.
- b. Write, produce, and edit Conference Program Book.
- c. Write, produce, and edit occasional press releases, public service announcements, and other forms of communication.
- d. Write and produce Conference Program Mailer.

### **Conference Planning and Preparation**

- a. Work with VP for Professional Development and Education to secure speakers, negotiate fees, provide confirmation, and follow-up
- b. Work with advertisers and sponsors to secure participation and support for the conference.
- c. Work with hotel contacts on all aspects of conference planning: room and time assignments; food and beverage choices and amounts; daily scheduling and monitoring.
- d. Work to select future hotel conference sites, including site-visits and review of space and fee requirements.
- e. Work at the MSHA Conference at Registration and help with all aspects of the MSHA Conference.

# Leadership and Advocacy

- a. Work with VP for Advocacy and MSHA Lobbyist on legislative issues and communication.
- b. Help to plan and implement MSHA Advocacy Days at the State Capitol.
- c. Reach out to SLPs throughout Michigan to join MSHA and become involved.
- d. Help to produce materials such as bookmarks or pamphlets to increase MSHA membership.
- e. Work closely with the MSHA President on any and all areas of importance to MSHA.

#### Miscellaneous

- a. Bookkeeping for the MSHA PAC account. This includes online reporting with the State of Michigan MERTS program. This also includes reporting and monitoring PAC account to the MSHA Board.
- b. Work closely with the MSHA Office Manager on several projects such as MSHA Membership mailings, conference mailings, maintenance of the MSHA webpage, and planning and running of MSHA Board meetings.
- c. Work closely with the Michigan Speech-Language-Hearing Association Foundation (MSHF).

# Yearly Time Schedule

- 25 hours per week
- Near full-time (Busiest months): December, January, February, & March
- Summer hours (1 day/week): June, July, & August