

# Olivia Kaweheonapua Uchima

## Objective

My short-term goal is to work as a speech-language pathologist with head and neck cancer patients. My long-term goal is to conduct research to create policy changes and have a leadership role as a speech-language pathologist specializing in head and neck cancer.

## Education

August 2021	Doctor of Philosophy, Public Health; University of Hawaii at Manoa
May 2014	Master of Arts, Communication Disorders; University of Massachusetts Amherst
December 2011	Bachelor of Arts, Speech and Hearing Science; University of Iowa

## Clinical Work Experience

June 2019-	<b>The Queens Medical Center Head and Neck Cancer Institute, Call-in Speech, Language, and Swallow Therapist</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide speech, language, and swallowing services to adults with head and neck cancer</li> <li>• Perform Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES) and Modified Barium Swallow (MBS)</li> </ul>
March 2016-	<b>Kaiser Permanente, Part-time Speech and Language Pathologist</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acute inpatient services to adults with various neurological and swallowing disorders</li> </ul>
April 2021-September 2021	<b>UCLA Health, Senior Speech and Language Pathologist</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acute inpatient services to adults with various neurological and swallowing disorders</li> <li>• Perform Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES) and Modified Barium Swallow (MBS)</li> </ul>
April 17, 2015-January 2019	<b>The Queens Medical Center, Outpatient Speech, Language, and Swallow Therapist</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inpatient and Outpatient services to adults with various neurological, head and neck cancer, voice, and swallowing disorders</li> <li>• Perform Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES) and Modified Barium Swallow (MBS)</li> </ul>

## Other Related Experience

August 2020-May 2021	<b>Maternal and Child Health Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities Trainee</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prepares health professionals for leadership roles to improve supports and services for children with special health needs and their family members</li> </ul>
June 2014-December 2020	<b>Hawaii Speech, Language, and Hearing Association</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Volunteer as Ethics and Licensing Chair</li> </ul>

## Skills

AHA BLS for Healthcare Providers Certified (Expiration 2023)

## Licensure and Certifications

April 2024	EMST 150
October 2023	Vanderbilt LVES
March 2020	Myofascial Release for SLPs
January 2020	FEES Competency Training
March 2019	Transgender Voice Training
January 2017	McNeill Dysphagia Therapy Program
December 2016	FEES Basic Training
December 2015	Introduction to TEP
August 2016	PROMPT
August 2016	LSVT LOUD
December 2015	Evaluation and Management of Head and Neck Lymphedema
May 2015	The MBSImP: An Evidence-Based Protocol to Standardize Dysphagia
May 2015	NMES for The Treatment of Dysphagia Training
April 2015	Hawaii Speech Language Pathology License (SP-1466)
April 2015	ASHA Certificate of Clinical Competence in CCC-SLP (14075901)