Position Name: Audiologist

Practice Name: Athens Oconee Audiology

Practice Location: Watkinsville, Georgia

Are you looking for work/life balance with a four day work week?

Do you want a challenging career that allows you to use all of your skills in diagnostics, counseling, amplification, CI, VNG, and tinnitus management?

Then Athens Oconee Audiology is offering the right position for you!

We are located ten minutes from Athens, Georgia and one hour from Atlanta, Georgia. AOA is four hours from the beach and one hour from the mountains. We enjoy all four seasons in this high income, well educated community.

Experience amazing sporting events (UGA Bulldogs, Atlanta Falcons, Atlanta Braves, Atlanta United), theater, eclectic music and many locally owned, but world renowned restaurants such as Five and Ten, The National, and SeaBear Oyster Bar.

We’ve almost got it all, now we just need YOU!

Position Summary: We are currently seeking a full-time audiologist who is passionate about private practice. The successful candidate will be responsible for performing comprehensive diagnostic testing, hearing aid evaluation, selection, and fitting, patient counseling, and follow-up care. Additional responsibilities may include vestibular testing, cochlear implant evaluation and mapping, tinnitus counseling and management, and fitting Lyric extended-wear hearing aids. We require a solid commitment to compassionate patient care, working in a fast-paced team environment, and enthusiasm for continuing education and professional development.

Primary Job Responsibilities:

- Diagnostic testing to include full audiological diagnostic evaluations, tympanometry and acoustic reflex threshold testing, occasional testing of pediatric patients
- Patient counseling regarding test results, amplification technology, expectations, and development of individual hearing care plans
- Selection and fitting of hearing aids as well as hearing aid verification
- Modification of ear molds and hearing aids
- Perform in-house hearing aid repairs and coordinate manufacturer repairs
- Recommend and demonstrate assistive listening devices
- Maintain accurate patient records by documenting and updating test results, evaluations, treatment programs, and outcomes
- Draft written reports to referring physicians and other service providers.
- Assist with general practice marketing efforts, as directed.
- Participate in community education/outreach activities
• Assist with physician outreach activities
• Maintain patient confidentiality at all times in compliance with HIPAA regulations
• Maintain the highest ethical standards of audiology practice
• Assist with other office administrative tasks as required.

Job Qualifications:
• Master’s Degree in Audiology, Doctor of Audiology (Au.D.) preferred
• Eligible for Georgia audiology license
• 2+ years of experience in a clinical audiology setting is preferred, recent Au.D. graduates will be considered.
• Strong interest in treatment of hearing loss and hearing aid dispensing for adults
• Ability to function in a dynamic, fast-paced private practice with significant patient load

Job Benefits: Competitive compensation package including base salary and incentive, paid time off, retirement plan with matching company contribution, annual CEU allowance, Professional liability insurance, Paid membership in professional organizations

Other details: Athens Oconee Audiology is a private practice audiology clinic located in Watkinsville, Georgia. The practice currently employs one full-time audiologist, one part-time audiologist, and one audiology assistant, along with a full support staff. Watkinsville, Georgia is an affluent suburban community with local access to the vibrant, active culture of Athens.

Please send CV and cover letter to Robin Hardin at rhardin@athensoconeeaudiology.com.
Our Services

- Comprehensive Audiological Evaluations
- Hearing Aids
- Lyric Extended-Wear Devices
- Cochlear Implant Evaluations
- Cochlear Implant Mapping
- Tinnitus Evaluations
- Tinnitus Treatment
- Assistive Listening Devices
- Pediatric Hearing Evaluations
- Dizziness and Balance Testing (VNG)
- Hearing Protection
- Musician Services
- Ear Impressions

Robin B. Hardin, owner and audiologist, has 36 years of experience in the field of audiology. During her career she has worked at the highly recognized Veterans Administration Medical Center in Atlanta, the University of Georgia Speech and Hearing Clinic and the Atlanta Ear Clinic, a neurotology practice. In May 2009, Hardin was one of 25 audiologists in the world to be invited to participate in the Ida Institute in Denmark. The Ida Institute’s mission is to foster a better understanding of the human dynamics associated with hearing loss. In this time, she has come to understand that hearing loss is more than a matter of improving patient’s hearing; it is a matter of improving quality of life and individual well being.

Dr. Deb Brewer has over 30 years experience in audiology. Prior to joining Athens Ocone Audiology and AOA Hearing Aids she spent 25 years at Emory Healthcare in the Audiology Division of the Department of Otolaryngology. While there she supervised audiology students and interns, taught audiology courses for medical residents, performed the full array of diagnostic, implant, and hearing aid services. At AOA she performs diagnostic testing, fits hearing aids, and conducts cochlear implant evaluations and mapping. She enjoys counseling and educating patients about the benefits of treated hearing loss and how hearing aids can improve quality of life.
Daily Wear Devices
AOA Hearing Aids offers a variety of daily wear devices suited for all lifestyles and budgets. We work closely with the largest hearing aid manufacturers including Phonak, Widex, ReSound, Oticon, Starkey, and Unitron.

Daily wear features include:
- Comfort
- Wireless connectivity
- Volume control
- Variety of colors
- Rechargeable battery
- Array of circuits
- Smartphone compatibility
- Bluetooth capabilities
- Multiple automatic programs

Lyric Extended-Wear Devices
Lyric devices are worn 24/7 for up to 4 months at a time.
100% invisible • No daily hassles
No batteries to change
Clear, natural sound

How did you hear about us?
If a friend or family member referred you, you may be eligible for our patient referral program! Refer a friend or family member and receive a $50 American Express gift card! Your friend will receive a $50 account credit which can be applied towards a hearing aid or accessory purchase.

* It does not apply to diagnostic services. The new patient is required to attend their first appointment in order for the rewards to be dispersed.

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