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## **Communication Disorders Program's Mission**

*The mission of the Communication Disorders Program is to prepare culturally and socially responsible speech-language pathologists who engage in ethical and evidence-based clinical practice, research, and leadership initiative for the promotion of effective communication across the lifespan for the well-being of a global society.*

## **Communication Disorders Program's Vision**

*The Communication Disorders Program fosters a community of culturally competent scholars, practitioners, and students by utilizing evidence-based practice in the implementation of diverse academic and clinical learning experiences while demonstrating a commitment to clinically relevant research and community service initiatives.*

