

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR
SPEECH LANGUAGE-PATHOLOGY, AUDIOLOGY, AND HEARING AID DISPENSING
Rules Committee Meeting Minutes
October 7, 2026
Conference Call/Webex**

The Georgia State Board of Examiners for Speech Language-Pathology, Audiology, and Hearing Aid Dispensing Rules Committee met via teleconference on Wednesday, October 7, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.

Board (Committee) Members Present:

Alice Cellino, AuD, Chair
Trey Gorman, HA
Gwendolyn Cantrell, HA

Administrative Staff Present:

Amanda Allen, Executive Director
Linsey Joiner, Board Support Specialist
Jalaina Fuller, Licensing Supervisor
Anna Wright, Licensing Analyst
Kathy Jones, Licensing Analyst

Visitors Present:

Cheryl Ward
Peter Kruse
Kimberly Black
Mr. Tucker

The Committee meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m.

Board Rules Discussion:

- Definitions Hearing Aid Apprentices and Dispensers
- Apprentice Dispenser Permits

The Rules Committee convened to begin the process of revising the Board's rules to incorporate changes necessitated by O.C.G.A. §43-44-40 that delineates the dissolution of the State Board of Hearing Aid Dealers and Dispensers and transferred its regulatory authority to the State Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology, Audiology, and Hearing Aid Dispensing.

Following the discussion, the committee requested that additional rules committee meetings be scheduled to continue the rule revision process. Once scheduled, notice of the meeting dates will be posted on the Board's website.

With no additional Board business requiring discussion, the committee meeting was adjourned at 12:05 p.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Linsey Joiner, Board Support Specialist

Amanda Allen, Executive Director

ALICE CELLINO

Chair

AMANDA ALLEN

Executive Director

Minutes approved on: October 19, 2026