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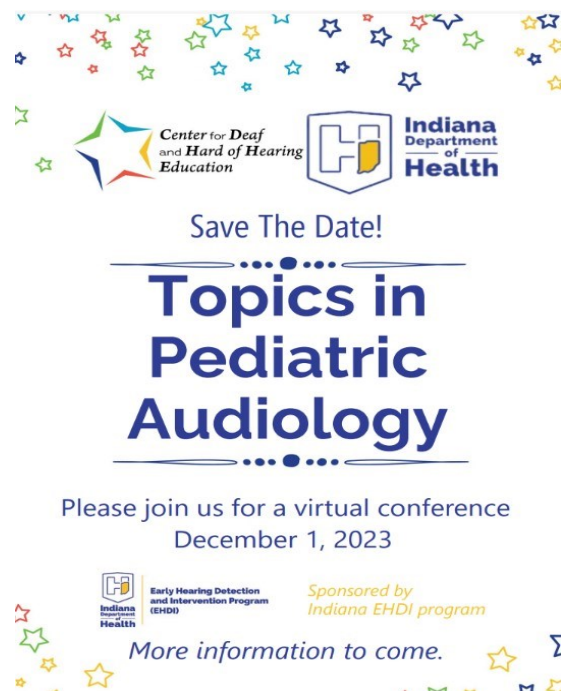
Save the Date

The [Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Education](#) will host our annual webinar, *Topics in Pediatric Audiology* Dec. 1. This year's event will be a full-day webinar on Zoom.

The schedule includes local and national presenters as well as an update from the [Indiana Early Hearing Detection & Intervention](#) (EHDI) program and the presentation of their Dr. Jane Cox EHDI Excellence Award.

Mark your calendars—this is an event you won't want to miss!

This event is provided a no-cost to participants thanks to Indiana EHDI's sponsorship.



Welcome, new staff

Griffin Engle, Au.D., CCC-A

We welcomed Griffin Engle to the Center [Early Intervention](#) team in June. He grew up in Fairmount and received both his Bachelor of Science and Doctorate of Audiology from Purdue University. He completed his audiology externship at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center while also completing training in the Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LEND) Program.

Prior to becoming an audiologist, Griffin was a certified behavioral therapist for children with autism. He strives to provide care that considers the students' and families' needs as a whole. His goal is to be a resource for all families, educators, and professionals in the state and beyond.



Fun Facts

- When the weather is nice, you will likely find Griffin on the golf course. If you ever need an extra for a tee time, let him know!
- He loves listening to, writing, and playing music with either his guitar, drums, or computer software.
- Griffin is a notorious tinkerer and is always looking for things to build or fix. In fact, the majority of his guitar pedals are hand-built.
- He is a lifelong Bengals fan (sorry, Colts!) and can be spotted wearing black and orange Friday through Sunday.



Sarah Shipe, Au.D.

We welcomed Sarah Shipe to our staff in August as the newest addition to the [Deaf Education](#) team at the Center. She is originally from the south side of Indianapolis in Greenwood, and received her bachelors of Science at Purdue and Doctor of Audiology degree from Indiana University. She completed her audiology externship at the University of Georgia, and various clinical and educational settings in Athens and Atlanta, while also completing training in the Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LEND) Program.

Sarah has experience working as an educational and clinical audiologist.

She is passionate about access to education and family centered care. She advocates for individuals' unique needs inside and out of the classroom.

Fun Facts

- Sarah loves all things vintage, and you can find her cruising around in her baby blue 1963 Chevy Nova 2.
- She enjoys being outdoors and adventurous, whether riding motorcycles, side-by-sides, or learning to fly gliders.
- Sarah also loves to attend concerts and sporting events.
- She devours books! She reads with her Kindle, audiobooks, and, of course, print. Support your local libraries!

Find out more

Check out the Center's [Audiology page](#) to learn more about our audiology services – early intervention and school-age and Tips and Tricks documents.

Have a referral for audiology? Fill out this [referral form](#).