The John W. Keys Speech and Hearing Center was established in 1957 as a nonprofit facility specializing in the education and remediation of speech, language, and hearing impairments in children and adults. The Center also houses the Language Preschool Classrooms, the Cleft Palate Clinic, the Communication Disorders Conference Clinic, the United Way Hearing Aid Bank and the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders in the College of Allied Health.

**OUR MISSION**
To provide an optimum environment for student education, research, and consultation; high quality professional diagnostic and therapeutic services and; educational/service opportunities for the community.

The professional programs are fully accredited by the Council on Academic Accreditation (CAA) of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association.

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The LEAPS Pre-Kindergarten program enrolls 10 to 15 children, in which 50 percent experience delay in communication development. The LEAPS program is partially funded by the United Way of Central Oklahoma.

The LEAPS program provides:
- a language-rich preschool curriculum
- small group language sessions
- individual speech & language treatment in the John W. Keys Speech & Hearing Center
- observation/practicum experiences for undergraduate/graduate students in speech-language pathology and audiology
- a research site for the study of normal and atypical development

The LEAPS Language Enriched and Pre-Kindergarten Success Program

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Speech-Language Pathology Services

Diagnostic Clinics

General Speech-Language Assessment
- pediatric to geriatric
- articulation, language, fluency, voice, accent modification
- funded by MCH Grant #5T83MC00009

Communication Disorders Conference Clinic
- pediatric (birth to age 21 years)
- interdisciplinary team
- articulation, language, fluency, voice, hearing
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Cleft Palate-Craniofacial Clinic
- birth through adult
- interdisciplinary team
- feeding, voice (specifically resonance balance), articulation, hearing, language, fluency

Central Auditory Processing Clinic
- six years of age to adult
- speech-language testing emphasizing language processing, reading, oral and written language, and phonemic awareness
- recommendations for remediation

Treatment Clinics

General Treatment Clinic
- pediatric through adult
- articulation, language, voice, accent modification, speech improvement, counseling for communication enhancement

Fluency Clinic
- pediatric through adult
- fluency (stuttering, rate, prosody)

Literacy Clinic
- school-aged through adult
- language, phonemic awareness, written language

Neuro-Clinic
- primarily adults
- communication disorders associated with neurological impairment (stroke, Parkinson’s Disease, ALS, etc.)

Hearing Evaluations
- infants to adults
- behavioral testing
- physiological assessment not requiring a response

Hearing Aid Assessment and Fitting
- infants to adults
- hearing aid evaluations
- dispensing and fitting of digital hearing aids and all assistive devices
- repair and adjustment of all major brands
- computerized programming of hearing instruments

Audiology Services

Central Auditory Processing Clinic
- six years of age to adult
- specialized audiologic testing
- specialized electrophysiologic testing
- recommendations for remediation

Treatment options for Hearing Loss
- amplification
- technology
  - basic technology
  - programmable
  - digital
- FM systems
- assistive listening devices

Hearing Instrument Models

United Way Hearing Aid Bank
- program for low-income individuals
- digital hearing aids at an affordable price