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EDUCATION

December 2013 **Doctor of Philosophy in Speech, Language & Hearing Science**
University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT

May 2000 **Master of Arts, Communication Science**
University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT

May 1998 **Bachelor of Science, Communication Disorders and Biology**
University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

August 2014- **Assistant Professor**
Present Southern Connecticut State University, New Haven, CT

January 2012 - **Faculty/Speech-Language Pathologist**
Present Yale University, New Haven, CT

January 2012- **Speech-Language Pathology Program Manager**
August 2014 West Haven Veteran's Administration

April 2000- **Speech-Language Pathologist**
Present Yale New Haven Hospital, New Haven, CT

April 2000- **Lecturer, Dept. of Surgery, Section of Otolaryngology**
January 2012 Yale University, New Haven, CT

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Present **Assistant Professor**
Southern Connecticut State University

Fall 2007 **Adjunct Faculty**
Southern Connecticut State University

Spring 2008 **Adjunct Faculty**
Southern Connecticut State University

Spring 2008 **Adjunct Faculty**
University of Connecticut

PUBLICATIONS

1. Leder, S., **Warner, H.**, Suiter, D., Bhattacharya, B., Young, N., Davis, K., Siner, J., Maerz, L., Rosenbaum, S., Marshall, P., Pisani, M., Siegel, M., Brennan, J., Schuster, K. Evaluation of Swallow Function Post-Extubation: Is it necessary to wait 24 hours? *Submitted for publication to International Journal of Language & Communication Disorders.*
2. Leder, S.B., **Warner, H.L.** Comparing Simultaneous Clinical Swallow Evaluations and Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluations of Swallowing: Changing Practice Patterns. *Submitted for publication to ASHA Perspectives.*
3. Suiter, D.M. & **Warner, H.** (2017). Adult Swallow Screening and Clinical Swallow Evaluations. In Suiter, D.M. & Gosa, M. M. (Eds.), *Assessing and Treating Dysphagia: A lifespan perspective.* New York, NY: Thieme Medical Publishers. *In press*
4. **Warner, H. L.**, Suiter, D. M., Nystrom, K. V., Poskus, K., & Leder, S. B. (2014) Comparing accuracy of the Yale swallow protocol when administered by registered nurses and speech-language pathologists. *Journal of Clinical Nursing.*
5. Leder, S. B., Donovan, P., Acton, L. M., **Warner, H. L.**, Carling, T., Alian, A. A., & Udelsman, R. (2013). Laryngeal Physiology and Voice Acoustics Are Maintained After Minimally Invasive Parathyroidectomy. *Annals of Surgery* 257,5: 968-970.
6. Leder, S. B., Suiter, D. M., **Warner, H. L.**, Acton, L. M., & Swainson, B. A. (2012). Success of Recommending Oral Diets in Acute Stroke Patients Based on Passing a 90-cc Water Swallow Challenge Protocol. *Topics in Stroke Rehabilitation*, 19(1), 40-44.
7. Leder S, Suiter D, **Warner H**, Acton L, Siegel M (2011) Safe initiation of oral diets in hospitalized patients based on passing a 3-ounce (90 cc) water swallow challenge protocol. *Q J Med* 2012 105:257–263
8. Fattal M, Suiter D, **Warner H**, Leder S (2011) Effect of Presence/Absence of Nasogastric Tube in the Same Person on Incidence of Aspiration. *Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery* 2011 145:796.

9. Leder S, Sutor D, **Warner H**, Kaplan, L (2011) Initiating Safe Oral Feeding in Critically Ill Intensive Care and Step-Down Unit Patients Based on Passing a 3-Ounce Water Swallow Challenge. *Journal of Trauma* 70, 5: 1203-1207
10. Leder S, Sutor D, **Warner H**. (2009). Answering Orientation Questions And Following Single-Step Verbal Commands: Effect on Aspiration Status. *Dysphagia* 24: 290-295
11. Leder S, Acton L, **Lisitano H**, Murray, J. (2005). Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES) with and without Blue-Dyed Food. *Dysphagia* 20:157-162

LECTURES

1. American Speech Language Hearing Association: Clinical Utility of the Yale Swallow Protocol, 2017
2. SCSU Teaching Academy: Technology Tools to Activate Student Learning in the Classroom and Facilitate Writing Research, 2017
3. American Speech Language Hearing Association: How and When to Begin Safe Oral Alimentation in Post-Extubation Intensive Care Unit Patients, 2016
4. American Speech Language Hearing Association: Advocacy for Best Practice in Swallow Screening, 2016
5. New Jersey Speech Language Hearing Association: Evidence Based Practice in Dysphagia, 2016
6. American Speech Language and Hearing Association 2015: Advantages & Disadvantages of Clinical Swallow Evaluation Compared With Simultaneous Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing, 2015
7. American Speech Language and Hearing Association 2015: A Protocol to Determine When to Begin Safe Oral Alimentation in Post-Extubation Surgical Patients, 2015
8. Coping with Trauma Conference, SCSU: Trauma in the acute care setting: Transdisciplinary Rehabilitation, 2015
9. American Speech Language and Hearing Association 2014: Simultaneous Clinical & Instrumental Swallow Evaluations: Findings & Consequences, 2014

10. Connecticut Speech- Language and Hearing Association 2014: Advances in Medical Speech Pathology, 2014
11. Oncology Education Series: Postoperative rehabilitation, speech and swallow issues, and tracheostomy care. West Haven Veterans Administration, 2014
12. 5th Annual Lawrence M. Brass Stroke Symposium; Acute Stroke Rehabilitation, 2011
13. Connecticut Academy of Physician Assistants; Rehabilitation: A Transdisciplinary Approach, 2010
14. Improving Stroke Systems of Care in CT; Differential Diagnosis of Aphasia, 2009
15. Middlesex Community College, School of Radiology; Dysphagia Evaluation and Treatment, 2006
16. Tri-Alliance Conference; Evidence Based Practice in the Acute Care Setting, 2003

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

1. **Warner, H.**, Berkovich, C., Dadic, I., Cometz, A. (2017) Using volunteer experiences to enhance clinical learning: A novel approach. ASHA Conference 2017
2. Karlberg, A., **Warner, H.**, Purdy, M. (2017) Avoiding the deer in the headlights: Pre-externship hospital orientation. ASHA Conference 2017
3. Purdy, M., Hindenlang, J., **Warner, H.** (2017) Interprofessional education: Take the leap! ASHA Conference 2017
4. **Warner, H.**, Suiter, D. (2017) How to train registered nurses to perform the Yale Swallow Protocol. ASHA Conference 2017
5. Leder, S., **Warner, H.**, Suiter, D., (2015) Comparing simultaneous clinical swallow evaluations & fiberoptic endoscopic evaluations of swallowing: findings & consequences. ASHA Conference 2015
6. Purdy, M., **Warner, H.** (2015) A novel hospital orientation experience for graduate students. ASHA Conference 2015
7. **Warner, H. L.**, Suiter, D. M., Nystrom, K. V., Poskus, K., & Leder, S. B. (2013). Comparing accuracy of the Yale swallow protocol when

administered by registered nurses and speech-language pathologists.
Poster, ASHA Conference 2013

8. **Warner, H. L.,** Suiter, D. M., Nystrom, K. V., Poskus, K., & Leder, S. B. (2013). Comparing accuracy of the Yale swallow protocol when administered by registered nurses and speech-language pathologists. Poster, Dysphagia Research Society March 2013
9. **Warner H,** Swartwout M, Coelho, C (2010) Quantifying improvements in communicative effectiveness in Wernicke's Aphasia. Poster, ASHA Conference 2010

AD HOC REVIEWER Dysphagia

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS
American Speech-Language-Hearing Association

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE

2000-Present Certificate of Clinical Competency in Speech Language Pathology, ASHA

2000-Present CT State Department of Public Health License in Speech Language Pathology (License # 3167)

PROFESSIONAL ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION

Date	Conference
11/17	American Speech Language Hearing Association, Los Angeles, CA Attended
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10/17	SCSU SPSS Conference: Using SPSS, Statistics, and Quantitative Methods to Improve Faculty Scholarship and Teaching Attended
6/17	Yale University School of Medicine, Section of Otolaryngology Resident Research Day, New Haven, CT Attended
2/17	SCSU HHS First Annual IPE Conference Attended

- 11/16 American Speech Language Hearing Association, Philadelphia, PA
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Presented: 2 - 1 hour sessions
- 10/16 Connecticut Speech Language Hearing Association, Wallingford, CT
Attended
- 6/16 Yale University School of Medicine, Section of Otolaryngology Resident Research
Day, New Haven, CT
Attended
- 3/16 SCSU HHS IPE Conference
Attended
- 4/16 New Jersey Speech Language Hearing Association Long Branch, NJ
Presented
- 11/15 American Speech Language Hearing Association, Denver, CO
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- 11/15 American Speech Language Hearing Association, Denver, CO
Presented: 2 posters, technical session, 1 hour session
- 10/15 Interprofessional Retreat, Madison, CT
Attended
- 6/15 Yale University School of Medicine, Section of Otolaryngology Resident Research
Day, New Haven, CT
Attended
- 4/15 Coping with Trauma Conference, SCSU, New Haven, CT
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Presented: *Trauma in the acute care setting: Transdisciplinary Rehabilitation*
- 4/15 7th Annual Nursing Research Conference, West Haven, CT
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Presented: *Poster: Nursing Administration of the Yale Swallow Protocol*