



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

**Can both the Administrator and the Primary SLP attend the *Lead With Intent Symposium* in Texas if our clinic is willing to cover the cost for the second person?**

We're sorry. Only one representative from each clinic/organization may attend our *Lead With Intent Symposium* in person. We received twice as many grant applications as we had expected, and there is not enough room in our clinic to host two representatives from each entity.

The symposium also includes hands-on training with our LOUD Crowd®. This is another reason that we cannot accommodate two representatives. However, all other SLPs or Administrators who are listed on your grant application have the opportunity to watch the live-streaming of Day One and Day Two of the symposium.

We're thrilled that we received so many grant applications because more people with Parkinson's will have access to SPEAK OUT!® and The LOUD Crowd®.

**How much can we spend on our flight? Is there a limit?**

We ask that you are mindful that a donor is paying for your flight; however, we do not want you to feel that you have to take the cheapest flight to Dallas. For example, we don't want you to have to stop two times or fly at an unreasonable time of day/night in order to keep the cost down.

As you can see from the symposium agenda, it is a "packed" three and a half days. Select flights where you can arrive in Dallas at a reasonable time and be ready to Learn With INTENT! Please note that we cannot reimburse first-class tickets.

**Which airport is the closest to Parkinson Voice Project?**

Love Field Airport is about 20 minutes away; while DFW Airport is 40-50 minutes away, depending on traffic.

**Will Parkinson Voice Project pay for baggage fees?**

We're sorry. The grant will reimburse the cost of the flight for the one representative who is attending the symposium, but not the baggage fees. Please note that Southwest Airlines allows you to check two bags for free.

**Will Parkinson Voice Project be arranging transportation to and from the symposium?**

Yes. Parkinson Voice Project is arranging transportation to and from the Hyatt Regency North Dallas to our clinic for the symposium each day. **See the symposium agenda for pick up times.** However, Parkinson Voice Project will not be covering transportation to and from the airport or any other social activities you decide to participate in during your visit.

**What meals will Parkinson Voice Project be providing during the symposium?**

We will provide breakfast, lunch, water, coffee, sodas, and snacks each day. If you have special dietary needs (e.g. gluten intolerance), we recommend that you bring your own snacks with you. We will add yogurt and fruit to our continental breakfast buffet; and we will be sure to offer salad with each lunch buffet. There are also a few restaurants within walking distance of our clinic if your dietary needs require food that we do not offer.

**Will ASHA CEUs be available for the Lead With Intent Symposium?**

Parkinson Voice Project is applying for ASHA CEUs for the in-person symposium and will let everyone know if/when the course has been approved. ASHA CEUs will not be available for the live-streaming of the symposium.

**Will a recording of the *Lead With Intent Symposium* be available after the event?**

Parkinson Voice Project may create a CEU course from the recordings made from the symposium; however, if we do this, there will be a fee for the course.

**Who will have access to the online SPEAK OUT!® course?**

All SLPs listed on the grant application will be given free access to our online SPEAK OUT!® and LOUD Crowd® training beginning one week after the symposium. We will need a list of the SLPs who will be trained and their email addresses. This can be sent through the “Grant Acceptance Form” or be given to us at the symposium.

**Can we add more SLPs to our list to receive online SPEAK OUT!® and LOUD Crowd® training? We didn’t know we could have more than two SLPs trained.**

Sure. Every entity can list up to five SLPs to receive training online. These SLPs must be working at the clinic/organization that received the grant. Please note that the five SLPs does include the Administrator (if an SLP) and the Primary SLP. So, it’s five SLPs **total** for each grant recipient.

If you have more than five SLPs who are interested in being trained, Parkinson Voice Project does have a special going on this month for “Better Hearing and Speech Month.” We’re offering our online SPEAK OUT!® and LOUD Crowd® training for \$200 until May 31<sup>st</sup>.

**After SLPs are trained in SPEAK OUT!® & The LOUD Crowd®, are there other fees associated with offering the two-part program?**

No. There are no renewal fees associated with our program. A Trademark License Agreement will need to be renewed each year by each SLP, but there are no fees associated with this either.

**Is it okay that our clinic will be billing insurance for SPEAK OUT!®?**

Yes! Most clinics bill Medicare and insurance for SPEAK OUT!® and SPEAK OUT!® Refreshers. We encourage LOUD Crowd® to be offered as a community service.