

COUNCIL ON TEACHING
Follow-Up Report for
Teaching in Higher Education Conference Award

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Conference Attended: ASHA Convention 2025

Date of Conference: 11/19/2025-11/21/2025

Award Amount: \$1500

Briefly summarize how your attendance at the conference enhanced your professional development and allowed you to gain a better understanding of teaching in your discipline or trends in higher education in general.

I received a national award at this conference which expanded my own and the department's reputation. Further, I presented a poster and two talks which allowed for dissemination of information. By attending other talks and posters I was able to learn about cutting edge clinical supervision techniques which can be applied directly to teaching graduate students in the clinic. I also attended several interprofessional talks that will help inform my work with interprofessional educational initiatives in both clinic and classroom teaching domains within my own department, but also to the broader university as I am the liaison for the Healthcare Based Interprofessional Education Initiative at the University.

How have you been able to share what you learned about teaching with your department, the University of Iowa, and/or beyond?

I was able to share information from one such interprofessional education talk with a colleague and with this information, we are starting a new clinical education opportunity to expand our interdisciplinary autism diagnostic clinics. This will allow a new clinical educator in the department to offer learning opportunities to graduate students in specialized clinical experiences. This will impact students within my own department but also others as well from psychology and medicine. I also shared information from a talk related to updated billing and reimbursement practices with the clinic faculty in our department to support how they teach this information to graduate student clinicians.

