Employment Status PT, OT, SLP, Audiology – June 2020

Organization	Exempt	Non Exempt	Comments
ORG A	All PT, OT, SLP, Audiologists	PT, OT, SLP, Audiologists	Posed great challenges with
	scheduled for 28 hours or	scheduled for 27 or<	staffing during COVID;
	greater		Difficulty in flexing staff for
			volumes
ORG B	All full time staff	If they are any status under 40	
		hours, they clock and are	
		considered non-exempt (half	
		time, part time, prn/pool staff)	
ORG C	All are exempt	PTA	
ORG D	Audiology	PT, OT, SLP	
ORG E	PT, OT, SLP, Aud	PTA, COTA, SLPA	
ORG F	PT, OT, SLP and AUD	PTA, OTA	
ORG G	PT, OT, SLP, Aud	PTA	
ORG H	Audiology	PT, OT, SLP	Staff appreciate the overtime
			but also expect that their 40
			hrs. are guaranteed. Tough
			concept for some to grasp.
ORG I	PT, OT, SLP, Audio	PTA,	
		Employees below a set FTE	
		threshold are hourly to ensure	
		compliance with FLSA salary	
		guidelines	
ORG J		SLP are non-exempt as of the	

		covid crisis (March 2020); prior	
		to that they were exempt	
ORG K	PT, OT, SLP, Aud		
ORG L	PT, OT, SLP, Aud		
ORG M		PT, OT, SLP, Audio	
ORG N	PT, OT, SLP if over 32 hours		
ORG O	PT, OT, SLP	PRN status	Org O is looking at transitioning therapists system wide to non-exempt positions. I'm interested to see the outcome of your poll to see what the nationwide norm is. It would also be interesting if anyone had transitioned one direction or the other and if they did, what was the outcome?
ORG P	All full and part time SLP, PT, OT, Aud		
ORG Q	PT, OT, SLP	PTA	
ORG R	Most of our therapists are	Some of our therapist who only	
	exempt. We follow the dept of	work a couple of days are non-	
	labor rules about salary for	exempt due to not meeting	
	exempt/non-exempt	minimum threshold.	
		PTA and COTA are also non-	
		exempt	
ORG S	PT, OT	PTA, COTA	
ORG T		Although our therapists qualify	
		for an exempt status, the	

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		decision was made to make	
		them non-exempt several	
		years ago. The hospital has	
		defined exempt status to	
		include an 8 hours a day, 5	
		days a week schedule, and very	
		few therapists work a	
		traditional schedule.	
ORG U	PT, OT, SLP	PTA, OTA	
ORG V	Exempt if minimum of .75 FTE		
ORG W	Audio	PT, OT, SLP	Non-exempt was felt to be
			more equitable due to
			fluctuating IP volumes:
			Adult audiologists moved to
			exempt so we moved the peds
			staff tooto avoid a riot
ORG X	Audio	PT, OT, SLP	
ORG Y,ORG Z, ORG AA	PT, OT, SLP	PT, OT, SLP	Depends on FTE status:
			This is something that our
			corporate is looking at as well
			from a system level. It varies
			by hospital current state but I
			would assume we will
			eventually standardize
ORG BB	PT, OT, SLP, Audio		Exceptions: Staff who are PRN
			or work less than the federal
			guideline
ORG CC		SLP	SLP are non-exempt as of the
			COVID crisis (March 2020);

		prior to that they were exempt
ORG DD	PT, OT, SLP, Audio	
ORG EE	PT, OT, SLP	
ORG FF		