About Us

We are qualified speech and language therapists who have experience working in the NHS and education. We are registered with the following bodies:

- * Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists (RCSLT)
- * Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC), a government body which regulates health and care professions within the UK.
 - * Association of Speech and Language Therapists in Independent Practice (ASLTIP).

Our therapists have specialist training in Elklan and Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS).



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Independent Children's Speech and Language Therapy services to meet your individual or service needs at very competitive rates.



What is speech therapy?

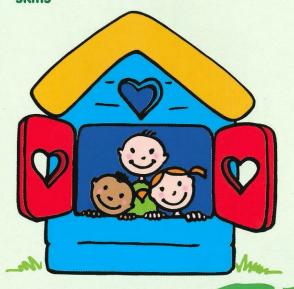
Speech, language and communication underpins everything we do. We often take these skills for granted but many children struggle to communicate.

A child with speech, language and communication needs may present with the following problems:

- * Delayed/disordered speech and/or language development
- * Difficulty putting sentences together so that they can be understood (difficulty expressing themselves)
- * Having difficulty in understanding what others say (receptive language difficulty)
- * Glue ear causing intermittent hearing impairment which affects language development
- * Difficulty using spoken and non verbal communication to interact socially (pragmatic difficulty)
- * Verbal dyspraxia (a motor co-ordination difficulty affecting pronunciation)
- * Mixing up speech sounds in words (phonological disorder)

What can a speech and language therapist do for a child with a communication difficulty?

- Carry out an initial assessment of the child's skills in the following areas: understanding & using language, speech sounds & social communication skills.
 - Assessments can be done through the use of standardised assessment tools and/or observations in the child's natural environment
- Treatment using play, to address the child's difficulties
- Advice to carers/schools about how to support and develop the child's language skills
- Review assessments to monitor the child's progress
- Training for parents and professionals
- Summer schools to target language development, speech sounds and social skills



Pricing

Please call us for up to date rates. We offer very competitive rates for individual assessment/treatment sessions.

We are able to offer discounts for prepaid blocks of treatment.

Parents with private health care policies may be able to claim therapy costs from their insurers.

For schools, nurseries and specialist groups we are able to offer a regular service throughout the year at amazing prices.

