

Speech Therapy for Children

Helping to develop communication skills



Care is tailored to suit the needs of each child and their family situation. Parents and families are involved in every step along the way.



Our speech pathologists work closely with you to ensure your child's communication needs are met and goals are achieved.

This service is for children 0 - 12 years of age who need support with:

- Speech clarity - production of sounds
- Language - speaking and listening skills
- Fluency - stuttering
- Voice - quality of voice - husky, nasal
- Early Literacy - readiness for reading and writing
- School Readiness - readiness to start school, and
- Social Skills - social interaction and communication.

Our speech pathologists provide the following services:

- Initial screenings (including team screenings)
- Detailed communication assessments
- Individual/group therapy programs
- Consultation and advice for families
- Group education for parents
- Training and advice for service providers - kindergarten teachers, child care staff, maternal and child health nurses, schools
- Home programs, and
- Referral to other services if required.

A hearing assessment is always recommended prior to an assessment by a Speech Pathologist. Please ask about our Audiology service.

Reports are available on request.



Our fees

We offer subsidised and fee-for-service health care with private health insurance rebates available. The cost of services depends on your income level and we will help you access funding you are eligible for. We support National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) clients.

Ask us how we can help you.

About us

We are a quality, not-for-profit, accredited health and community service providing doctors, dentists, allied health, counselling, alcohol and drug, child and family services and social support programs. We offer services for all ages and work as a team to support you.

Appointments and referrals

Please contact us on:

✉ intake@accesshc.org.au

☎ 03 9810 3000

If you need to reschedule your appointment; please contact us at least 24 hours before.

Non-attendance fees may apply.

Where to find our speech pathology services for children

For more information on all of our services, sites, parking options and transport:

☎ 03 9810 3000

✉ info@accesshc.org.au

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Ashburton

7 Samarinda Avenue
Ashburton VIC 3147

Lower Templestowe

44 Balmoral Avenue
Lower Templestowe VIC 3107

Hawthorn

378 Burwood Road
Hawthorn VIC 3122

Richmond

283 Church Street
Richmond VIC 3121

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