

How do I determined if my child need speech therapy ?

Every child is unique and develops at their own pace. However, the following is a list of common difficulties and struggles that often indicate a speech or language problem.

- Difficulty finding the right word when talking/often uses placeholder words such as “**um**”.
- Using tenses (**past, present, future**) incorrectly.
- **Difficulty understanding** what other people have said.
- Difficulty **organizing thoughts** when relating something.
- Appearing overly sensitive when with peers due to constant ‘**misunderstandings**’.
- **Pronouncing** certain sounds incorrectly.
- Seeming overly **shy or awkward** when approaching others.
- Difficulty turn **taking, giving in, winning or losing gracefully** when involved in group activities.
- Struggles when **conversing and interacting appropriately** with peers.
- Difficulty completing a task within the **regular allotment of time**.
- Struggles when **following directions**.
- Difficulty finding **good solutions** to everyday problems.



If you are worried about your child's behavior and can notice any of the above symptoms then feel free to visit our clinic to assess your child's behavior and developmental issues by our experienced therapists.