



# Speech & Language Services

## ▶ Behavioral Feeding Issues

- Tolerating textures, trying new foods

## ▶ Speech

- Childhood apraxia of speech and articulation/phonological problems

## ▶ Language

- Receptive (e.g. understanding directions, knowledge of words)
- Expressive (e.g. using verbal language to communicate wants/needs/interests)

## ▶ Social Communication

- Nonverbal communication (e.g. gestures)
- Establishing & building relationships with others
- Learning “unspoken” rules of social situations

## ▶ Play

- Increasing play interests
- Expanding functional play
- Building play with peers

## ▶ Augmentative & Alternative Communication (AAC)

- Beginning or maintaining AAC program (e.g. PECS or tablet communication app)
- Transitioning from AAC to spoken language

We do *not* treat

- Primarily behavioral challenges (e.g. aggression)
- Medical feeding concerns
- Fitting an AAC device

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