

My Therapy Crew Speech Pathology services

What to expect...

Referral Form

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 - To register for our services, we will need you to complete our referral form.
 - This form will ask you to tell us about the person we will be working with (this may be you, your child or client).
 - The information you provide helps us to match you to the best Speech Pathologist for your needs.



Booking

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 - When one of our Speech Pathologists has an availability open, our administration crew will contact you to offer you a booking.
 - If you are wanting ongoing speech therapy appointments, we will book these as well as consultations and assessments.

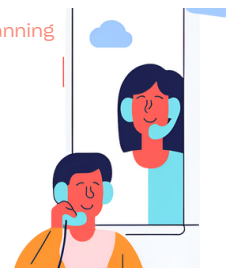


Caregiver Appointment

90 minutes

60 minute call
30 minutes planning

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 - Your first contact with your Speech Pathologist will be as a phone or video call with whoever knows the client the best. This is ideally the authorised decision maker or a main caregiver.
 - This caregiver only appointment will discuss the clients background and current needs to help with identifying the next steps.



First client session

75 minutes

15 minutes room & activity preparation
45 minutes face to face
15 minutes notes

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 - This session will be for the client to meet the Speech Pathologist.
 - During this time, the Speech Pathologist will be completing observations of the clients communication and/or feeding skills (if applicable), which will include engaging activities to help them identify the most appropriate assessments to complete.
 - At the end of this session, the Speech Pathologist will discuss with the caregiver the plan for assessment, so you know what to expect.
 - If the decision maker does not attend this session, the Speech Pathologist will communicate these recommendations with the main caregiver via email.



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Assessment

75 minutes

15 minutes room set up for assessment conditions
45 minutes face to face
15 minutes notes

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- Assessment will likely be completed across a number of sessions based on the clients needs. You should expect at least 2 assessment sessions.
- Assessments can include formal worksheet instructional style activities through to play based or interview style interactions.
- Be assured, your Speech Pathologist welcomes any questions you have about the benefits and purpose of the assessments they have chosen.



Assessment documentation

between 2 - 5 hours

dependent on number of assessments and level of report required.

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- During this time, your Speech Pathologist will score and analyse the results of the assessments.
- These results will then be presented in either a summary or comprehensive report based on what you need:
 - A summary report documents overall results of the assessment.
 - A comprehensive report will include a breakdown of strengths and difficulties across all assessed areas.



The following steps apply to those who will continue with Speech Pathology Therapy services

Goal Setting

60 minutes

45 minutes face to face
15 minutes notes

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- This will be a call or face to face meeting with the decision maker to discuss assessment results and identify therapeutic goals that will achieve long term functional success.
- These sessions include discussions around the client and their caregivers needs and will conclude with recommendations.



Therapy Planning

up to 60 minutes

documentation time only

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- Your Speech Pathologist will use this time to develop a therapeutic intervention plan to achieve your goals.
- This document outlines the next steps in therapy and how we will approach and provide support moving forward.



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Commence Therapy!

75 minutes

15 minutes room & activity preparation
45 minutes face to face
15 minutes notes

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My Therapy Crew

Speech Pathology Services



What service do I need?

To help you identify the most appropriate speech pathology service/s for your needs we have grouped our supports into the following services. We offer both clinic and mobile visits.

Mobile visits will incur additional travel charges.

Speech Pathologist Consultation

Up to 5 hours *

This service is suitable for those who want an understanding of the areas of concern and recommendations on what next steps may be. This might look like -

- My child's Doctor or Teacher has identified they may have communication delays
- I have noticed that people can't understand my child
- I have a Medicare referral from my Doctor

This service may include -

- a communication or mealtime screening
- a written summary of recommendations

This service does not include ongoing therapy sessions



Speech Pathology Assessment and Report

Up to 16 hours *

This service is suitable for those wanting a comprehensive report for -

- Seeking additional supports eg. learning and workplace accommodations and classroom adjustments
- To contribute to a diagnostic process (e.g with a pediatrician or psychiatrist)
- To support third party funding applications (such as NDIS, Workcover).

This service includes -

- Client story, background and needs discovery sessions
- Speech, language/literacy assessment sessions
- Detailed written report

This service does not include ongoing therapy sessions



Speech Pathology Therapy

Up to 10 hours + Therapy**

This service is suitable for those with multiple ongoing communication and/or swallowing, feeding and mealtime complexities.

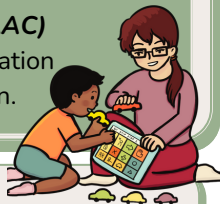
This service includes -

- Comprehensive assessment
- Goal setting and therapy planning
- Ongoing speech pathology therapy sessions
- Quarterly progress reviews
- Reports as required



This service is also appropriate for:

- **Fussy or picky eaters** or those who have **dysphagia** and are wanting to improve their swallowing function.
- Non-speaking clients who require **Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC)** prescription, application and implementation.



Mealtime Management Plans

8 hours *

This service for those who require a protocol to support safe and enjoyable mealtimes. This is typically an annual service, however depending on the clients need may and can include -

- More frequent reviews
- Caregiver and care team training
- Medical team liaison and referrals

This service does not include ongoing therapy sessions



* If client complexities are identified, additional assessment may be required. Your Speech Pathologist will discuss this with you.

** Therapy hours dependent on session frequency

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