

Dear Colleagues

We hope you are all well and adjusting to the radically different way that we are all working at the moment.

We are sending you a short video, which our Speech and Language Therapy Team have put together. We hope it will help you to remember the importance of simple strategies to support the children and young people in your settings with speech, language and communication needs. Please share this with your staff team as widely as possible.

https://youtu.be/h3OXKoiUV48

Although we are working differently at the moment, our team is still here and still available to offer advice to families and practitioners. We are working hard to contact families on our caseloads to offer virtual appointments, and sharing advice and activities to families that they can be using to support their children at home. We are also working closely with other agencies to ensure that families receive support from the wider system when appropriate.

Please contact us if you have any questions about our current service, or about specific children in your setting.

We hope you enjoy the short video.

Best Wishes

The Speech and Language Therapy team

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