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# Sensory motor dysfunctions associated with speech and language impairments

We are running a project looking at sensory and motor outcomes in individuals aged 4 to 13 years with a diagnosis of Childhood Apraxia of Speech.

By improving our understanding of sensory and motor profiles in this condition, we hope to improve prognoses, better identify those in need of support and develop more targeted strategies.

## We are looking for individuals:

- Aged 4 to 13 years
- With a diagnosis of Childhood Apraxia of Speech

## What is involved?

- Completing online surveys about sensory behaviours, physical activity and health and medical history
- Evaluation of motor performance and cognitive-motor tasks at RCH
- Participants will receive a brief report on their sensory-motor performance from a qualified Physiotherapist
- Participants will receive a \$40 gift voucher for their time

#### About us

The Translational Centre of Research Excellence for Speech Disorders examines speech and language in individuals with rare genetic conditions.

We are trying to better understand the strengths and difficulties of communication in children with rare genetic syndromes. Our longer-term aim is to help develop better targeted therapies.

## **GET IN TOUCH!**

If you or someone you know may be interested in helping with this research, we would love to hear from you. Contact us at:

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