

WELCOME TO PEDIATRIC FEEDING & SPEECH SOLUTIONS

We appreciate that you have chosen this practice to address your child's feeding, swallowing, nutrition and/or speech/language needs.

The primary goals of this practice are: to help children reach their feeding and communication potential, use a multi-faceted approach to treat the individual rather than an isolated problem, decrease family stress related to these disorders, offer individualized treatment plans that address the specific needs and learning styles of each child, and work as a team with other professionals as needed to optimize the therapy process.

To help achieve these goals, we have specifically chosen an office space that allows us to create a warm, child and family friendly environment. The office has a kitchen, specifically for feeding therapy as well as a living room area (with a fish tank!) and sensory play/ therapy area to foster relaxation, comfort and fun for children and their families. It is essential that children feel comfortable and relaxed in order for them to achieve optimal learning. This idea served as the inspiration that led us to create a warm, home-like feel for this private practice.

At Pediatric Feeding & Speech Solutions, the therapists do not use one specific therapy approach. We use the approach that works best for your child and your family. We feel that it is very important to look at the whole child, and to use our skills and knowledge for ongoing evaluation and problem solving throughout the therapy process. As a result, we have been able to achieve success with a wide variety of children with a wide variety of diagnoses including food refusals, gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD), oral aversions, poor weight gain, failure to thrive, oral motor problems, sensory integration dysfunction, pharyngeal dysphagia, and wean children with feeding tubes to oral eating.

We are very excited about the work that we do and we hope that it shows in our evaluations and therapy sessions. You are the leader on your child's therapy team, so please feel free to communicate your thoughts with us so that we can achieve your child's maximum potential throughout the therapy process together.

We look forward to seeing you in our "home"!