

AAC CONCERNS AND MYTHS

Responding to Common Fears



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AAC IS THE LAST RESORT

We work on expressive language, speech production, receptive language, and social skills WITH AAC.

AAC compliments traditional therapy, it doesn't replace it.



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IT WILL REPLACE SPEECH

Research tell us that individuals will use VERBAL speech over AAC if and when they develop the ability to do so.



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MY KID ISN'T READY

Our kids don't have to prove that they are ready to communicate. Find a qualified SLP and get an evaluation, AAC is 100% individualized.



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WON'T HE STAND OUT

Tablets and gadgets are the norm in today's world. Research shows us that most peers are open and accepting of AAC.

It is so much harder for your kids to interact without expressive language than with a device.



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NOT ENOUGH TO SAY

Everyone has the right to communicate- to express their opinions and influence their world.

AAC is a wide spectrum with so many options, all you need is a good assessment and a good plan.