



CHILD SCREENING - 2 YEARS

SPEECH/LANGUAGE/DYSPHAGIA

Speech Language Skills

- Follows directions without cues, such as, “give me the cup.”
- Identifies at least 4 body parts
- Plays appropriately with blocks, cars, spoons and baby dolls
- Points to 4 pictures in a book when named
- Uses 50 vocabulary words
- Refers to him/herself by name
- Starts to put 2 words together, “more cookie” or “mama go”

*Refer to a Speech Language Pathologist if the child has less than 5 items checked

Feeding/Dysphagia Skills

- Consuming Liquids in a sippy cup and/or regular cup
- Consuming a variety of sandwiches, meats, vegetables
- Eats at least 10 different foods

*Refer to a Speech Language Pathologist if any items aren't checked

Did you know ...?

- Speech therapy is most effective when children are less than 3 years old
- Early referrals avoid later problems
- Speech problems run in families, so if you have an older child with speech problems, you should refer your younger children too!
- You don't have to ask your doctor for a referral. You can call and make the referral yourself.